



St. Rocco School

"Sharing the love of the Heart of Christ!"

"Catholic Schools Light the Way"

Magdalen Chianese, Principal

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THURSDAY PACKET

Picture Re-takes – Picture re-take day is on November 14th. Students must wear their academic uniform as their pictures will be included in the yearbook.

American Girl Raffle – The National Junior Honor Society will be holding a raffle on Friday, November 9th. They will be raffling off a St. Rocco uniform for an *American Girl*® doll. The cost of the tickets will be 2 for \$1.00. Students may purchase these tickets during their lunch period all next week.

Cross Country News – Congratulations to the Cross Country team for a great season. They competed in the championship games last week at Slater Memorial Park and did an awesome job representing themselves and St. Rocco School. Special thanks to the following parents/volunteers who stepped up to coach at practices and meets. They are: Mr. & Mrs. Fiorenzano, Mr. Galagarza, Mrs. DePetrillo, Mr. Capraro, Mrs. Bowman and Nick Fiorenzano (a recent 8th grade graduate). I would also like to recognize Ms. Hand for rearranging her schedule so that she could help our students. Without her participation we would not have had a team

Fundraiser – Monday, November 5th is the final day for all magazine orders to be returned.

Parent Association – The Parent Association will be holding a meeting on November 14th at 7:00PM in Café Rocco. Please make every effort to attend these meetings so you can participate in the extra curricular activities that have been planned for our school children.

School Agendas – Parents please check your child's school agenda each evening. This is a form of communication between the teacher and you. There may be times that your child's teacher may request a signature on a test sheet, or may want to schedule a conference with you.

Stewardship Card Contest – The following students were inadvertently omitted from last week's list of finalists for the Stewardship Card Contest. They are: Alessandra Colapietro, Olivia O'Connor, Joanna Carlino, Carla Pineyro, and Lindsay Ferrieri. We apologize for the omission.

Fantastic 50 Raffle – Patty Bowman is accepting the gifts or gift certificates from the places of business that the parents were supposed to contact for the 50/50 raffle. You may drop off the certificates at school, or you can have the store manager mail it directly to the school. **All gifts certificates must be in by Monday, November 5th.**

Thank you! – A special thank you to the Parent Association for sponsoring the Halloween Party last Friday evening. The children had a wonderful time. I would like to recognize Melissa Patrone and her committee for doing a fine job decorating and organizing this great evening of fun for all!

Coat Drive – During last month's Coat Drive we collected over 175 coats. The coats will be donated to a variety of organizations who service those who are less fortunate. We would like to thank everyone who donated to this cause and supported this community service project.

CHRIST is the reason for this school.

~in our minds, on our lips, and always in our hearts~