



# HOLY + FAMILY SCHOOL

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Holy Family School, as part of Holy Family Parish community, educates and inspires students to grow in faith, to demonstrate academic excellence, and to model Christian citizenship.

Week 26 Newsletter  
March 13, 2024



*Volleyball Rocks!*

# Principal Message

Greetings Holy Family,

The week is here! This weekend we will gather for our annual High Hopes Auction. I look forward to spending the evening with all of you to support our school. See you there!

Whether you are attending the Auction as a guest, working the event, or engaged elsewhere, you still have a part to play. Our Cash Raffle winners will be announced during the Auction. ALL TICKETS MUST BE TURNED IN - NO EXCEPTIONS. Please complete your part and return your ticket package to the office if you haven't yet!

This Friday we are celebrating St. Patrick's Day. Send your child in colors of the holiday. Those who are choosing to participate in the potato or trap activity should bring their entries to the breezeway during drop off and place them on the tables in the designated areas.

God bless you all,  
Mrs. Day

## Upcoming Events

Here are a few upcoming events.

- Mar. 14 - School Mass sponsored by 4th grade
- Mar. 15 - Themed Free Dress - green & white for St. Patrick's day & afternoon Assembly
- Mar. 16 - High Hopes Auction!!
- Mar. 18 - Walking Stations 8:30
- Mar. 22 - Spring Tea 1:00 in the Hall

## School Announcements:

### Spring Tea - March 22nd

Families are invited to our annual Spring Tea next week! If you are a parent of a PK-4 grade student, please read Mr. Terry's letter attached to the email. It outlines the need for rehearsal at home to supplement our work at school and the costume requests for this year (we are keeping it simple!). Costumes are expected in the classroom on Monday, March 18th. Be sure to label all pieces and the bag they should be kept in.

### Enrollment Contracts for 2024-2025

Student contracts for the 2024-2025 school year were opened over the weekend. Be sure to complete your contract quickly to take advantage of the "early bird" material's fee.

Contracts are only released to families who have first completed their Intent to Enroll form. Do not delay in getting your forms completed! [www.hfsauburn.schooladminonline.com/portal](http://www.hfsauburn.schooladminonline.com/portal)

### Refer a Friend Tuition Incentive!

Any family that brings in another family for the 2024-2025 school year will receive a tuition discount! Here are the details:

1. You refer a family and they tell us you sent them
2. Your referred family registers for the new year
3. Your referred family starts the year and stays enrolled through the first semester
4. Your \$500 tuition discount is posted to your January statement

## **Yearbook Ordering**

Included in today's envelope is an attached flyer from Lifetouch on how to order a yearbook for your student. The website is ybpay.com and the Yearbook ID Code is 13123824. Yearbook orders are due April 19. The only way to purchase a yearbook is through the Lifetouch portal. 8th grade students will not need to order a yearbook as the cost is already included in the Graduation Fee paid by parents.

## **Lenten Fish Fry-Exciting News Full Dinner Menu will Continue**

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a fish fry dinner this Friday, March 1st. Dinner begins at 5:30pm. ***Due to the wonderful turnout for the Fish Fry last Friday, March 1st the Knights of Columbus will again be offering the full dinner menu.*** See the attached flyer for menu choices. The Knights of Columbus would like to thank all parishioners that have supported them all these years.

## **HF Parish Annual Easter Egg Hunt**

Holy Family Parish's annual Easter Egg hunt is soon approaching on Sunday, March 31st after the 11:00am Mass and Mrs. Lindsay Carter and the Children's Ministry are in need of help filling all the Easter Eggs. If you would like to earn service hours (adults or middle schoolers 5th through 8th graders) please join her in the parish center library on Saturday, March 16th beginning at 10:00am.

## **Athletic's Volleyball Update**

Greetings Hawk Families,

Welcome to the latest edition of Hawks HQ News, bringing you the freshest updates on our school's sports scene. Let's dive into the recent happenings at Hawks HQ!

**7-8 Grade Girls:** Despite facing a formidable opponent this weekend, our 7-8 grade girls' volleyball team exhibited remarkable sportsmanship and determination, even though they did not secure a victory. Let's continue to support them as they regroup and prepare for their next challenge.

**5-6 Grade Girls:** Exciting news from the 5-6 grade girls' team! Coach Holly shared, "The 5/6th grade girls had an exceptional weekend with big wins on both Saturday and Sunday. They have shown great improvement and are working well as a team, displaying significant individual growth." Let's celebrate their success and encourage them to carry this positive energy into their upcoming matches.

**7-8 Grade Boys:** Our 7-8 grade boys' volleyball team delivered an unforgettable performance this Sunday. In a thrilling match that went down to the wire, the boys emerged victorious. The joy was like winning the Super Bowl, with parents and players storming the court in celebration. A big shout-out to the entire team for their determination and tenacity!

### **Special Thanks to Mrs. Csonka:**

A heartfelt shout-out to Mrs. Csonka for her generous donation of 10 new volleyballs to our boys' team. The balls will become part of Holy Families Sports department after the season concludes. Mrs. Csonka's kindness ensures that all our teams have the equipment they need to succeed. Thank you so much for your support!

As we look forward to the upcoming competitions, let's come together in cheering for our teams. Your support truly matters, so be sure to share your encouragement and congratulations with our dedicated players.

Stay tuned for more updates from Hawks HQ News!

## **Bellarmino Preview Day**

Bellarmine Preparatory High School would like to invite current 6th and 7th graders to their Preview Day on Tuesday, March 26th beginning at 5:00pm until 6:30pm. Please see the attached flyer for more information.

## Parent Club News

### Raffle Sale

All raffle tickets and monies are now due! If you still have your packet please get it in before Thursday - we are drawing the winner at the Auction on Saturday evening.

### Pizza Lunch Needs YOU

We need volunteers for the next round of pizza lunches 4/10 to 6/5.

Here is the link to sign up:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0A4CACAE29ABF85-47759229-pizza>

Thank you,  
Heather Goh-Helmer  
206-234-3790

## Development News

### High Hopes Auction

Thank you to all who purchased Auction tickets. We are going to have a great crowd and have a huge amount of fun while raising funds for HFS! We can't wait to see your hippie or disco costumes (although these aren't required!).

The **schedule** on Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup> is:

- 5:15pm Silent Auctions Open for Special Invitation Only Guests
- 5:30pm **All Guests Arrive**
- 6:15pm First Silent Auction Closes
- 6:45pm Second Silent Auction Closes
- 7:00pm Dinner Begins
- 7:20pm Raffle Drawings and Live Auction Begin

A soft copy of the **auction catalog** can be found on our HFS website: [Auction - Holy Family School - Auburn, WA \(hfsauburn.com\)](#) This will provide you with the Live Items and Bid-O-Gram descriptions. A separate PDF document is also available on the website that will allow you to preview the silent items.

See Wednesday envelope for information on group buying opportunities as well as Tuition Raffle Tickets.

### Annual Campaign

Thank you to all those who have made their Annual Campaign donation. If you haven't yet done so, please do send yours in. If you need a new envelope, reach out to Gretchen, you can also donate through our website.

<https://www.hfsauburn.com/donate.html>

All current families are expected to participate in this fundraiser. The donation window is open throughout the spring, but don't wait to send in your donation as all commitments are due prior to May 6th. If we don't hear

from you we will follow up. The amount you donate is your decision please prayerfully discern what you are able to give at this time. Whether you donate \$1 or \$1,000 it will fulfill your contractual obligation.

## **Enclosures/Attachments**

Spring Tea flyer

Yearbook Order Form

Auction Tuition Raffle flyer

ASB St. Patrick's Day flyer

Pizza order Form

Scrip News

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Holy Family Parish Easter Egg Hunt flyer

Holy Family Parish Lenten Family Fish Fry Schedule

Holy Family Parish Lenten Fish Fry Menu

Bellarmino Preparatory High School Preview Day 6th and 7th graders