

St. Peter's and McAuley Families,

Please see the following information for this week:

***NHS Blood Drive***

The Spring Blood Drive will be held on ***Tuesday, April 13th.***

**We have been notified that there is a shortage of blood and they are asking for as many donors as possible so share this date with friends, family, or anyone you think would be interested in donating blood!**

The link below is for a flyer with all of the information. Please share this with anyone that you know that would like to donate blood!.

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1xjwDjIzCk4w22xm1fBqsTAzHT3e\\_OApX/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1xjwDjIzCk4w22xm1fBqsTAzHT3e_OApX/view?usp=sharing)

***National Honor Society Induction:***

The induction ceremony for both St. Peter's and McAuley will be held on Wednesday, April 14th at 6:00 p.m. Members selected for induction have been sent invitations for this event. McAuley students need to check his/her emails and RSVP using the google form link by Tuesday, April 13th so we have an accurate count of all those attending.

***Scheduled Day of School/Day off April 16th***

On the master school calendar, Monday, April 16th was designated as a HALF DAY OF SCHOOL. We will be using this day as one of our "make-up days" and **will be in school ALL DAY. So, April 16th instead of a Noon dismissal, it will be a normal 2:55 Dismissal.**

**Again, April 16th is NO LONGER a half day--it is a full day!!**

***MSSU College Visit (on campus:)***

Thursday, April 22nd, at 9:00 a.m. a representative from Missouri Southern State University will be here to talk to any juniors and seniors that are interested in attending MSSU. Please mark this date on your calendar if you want to meet with the rep.

***McAuley Information night:***

For students currently in Grades 8 through 11, please mark your calendars for Wednesday, April 28th beginning at 6:00 p.m. More information will be sent soon but this is a night where parents and students can learn about the programs and opportunities for students attending McAuley Catholic.

Topics will include: A+ program

NCAA Clearing House for Division I and II College Athletes

Franklin Technical School Opportunities

Scholarship and Financial Aid Information for College

***McAuley Athletic Booster End of the Year Banquet:***

What: 2021 McAuley Sports Banquet

When: Friday, May 7 at 6:00 PM

Where: McAuley Gym

Who is invited? All Student Athletes and their families in Grades 9-12

Menu: Pulled Pork (provided by Booster Club)

Green Beans

Cheesy Potatoes

Drink

*\*\*green beans and cheesy potatoes will be prepared by the Culinary management class and Mrs. Stancell.*

**Please bring: A dessert to share with everyone!**

Students that are currently in the 8th grade are invited to attend with his/her parents. However, 8th grade students will not be recognized. This is a tradition at McAuley to invite the incoming freshmen to attend and see the upperclassmen recognized for his/her accomplishments throughout the school year.

Please make reservations by filling out the google form by using this link:

<https://forms.gle/6YGstrWEmsrH8gUe7>

### ***2020-211 Auction:***

The 2020-2021 Joplin Area Catholic School Annual Auction will be a “Tailgate theme.” The Auction will be held on April 24, 2021 and we are encouraging families and individuals to join us either in person in the parking lot OR join us virtually. For more information please visit our website at <https://www.jacss.org/development/auction/>

### ***Raffle Tickets:***

***If your child sold Raffle tickets, please get them turned into the office!!!!***

Students brought raffle tickets home to sell. They are \$5 for one ticket or 5 for \$20. Raffle winners get: During the auction we will host a raffle where someone will win one of three prizes

- 1st prize: \$1,885 (the year Catholic education started in Joplin)
- 2nd prize: \$135 (the number of years since founding)
- 3rd prize: \$50 gift card to a restaurant

Students who sell the raffle tickets can win prizes as well!

- Sell 3 tickets – cold treat or ice cream treat at lunch
- Every 5 tickets sold – Earn 1 free dress certificate\*
- 20 tickets sold – Earn 5 free dress certificates\*
- Cannot be used on a Mass day

### **Activities**

April 12th Baseball @ Jasper 4:30 PM  
Golf @ Horton Smith Inv @ Schifferdecker All DAY  
St. Peters Track @ Mt. Vernon

April 13th National Honor Society Blood Drive 9:00 to 2:00  
Golf vs. Thomas Jefferson @ Twin Hills 4:00 p.m.  
Track @ Pierce City Relays 3:30 p.m.  
Soccer vs. Cassville JAC 4:30 p.m.

April 14th High School National Honor Society Induction 6:00 p.m.  
St. Peter's National Honor Society Induction 6:00 p.m.

April 15th Golf @ Neosho 8:30 a.m.  
Soccer @ Springfield Greenwood 4:30 p.m.  
Baseball @ Sheldon 4:30 p.m.  
Track @ East Newton Relays 3:00 p.m.  
Softball @ Verona 5:00 p.m.

April 16th Soccer @ Springfield Hillcrest Tournament  
Baseball vs. Exeter Joe Becker 4:30 p.m.  
Softball @ Jasper Invitational

April 17th **Warrior 5K Dash**  
Soccer @ Springfield Hillcrest Tournament  
Softball @ Jasper Invitational  
Track @ Sarcoxie Invitational

***Mass Schedule:***

Tuesday, April 13th Students in the "House of Thomas"

Thursday, April 15th McAuley Students

***Dress Day:***

Friday, April 16th Spirit Wear

**Lunch Menu:**

April is FOOD Battle Month--Our Culinary students will "compete" with the restaurant we use on Monday to "recreate" the main course and see who makes it better!! This week is Sonic Breakfast Burritos vs. Culinary Arts Breakfast Burritos

April 12th In House Sonic Breakfast Burritos and Tater Tots

April 13th In House Baked Chicken, Mashed Potatoes and Gravy, Green Beans. Dessert

April 14th In House Homemade Beef Noodles, Broccoli Casserole and Dessert.  
April 15th In House Biscuits and Gravy, Bacon and Fruit

April 16th In House Breakfast Burritos and Cinnamon Duros  
(NOT a typo!)

**Upcoming Dates to Remember:**

April 21st High School Theater Dept. One Act Play 7:00 p.m.

April 24th JACS Auction at St. Mary's 5:00 p.m.

April 28th McAuley Information Night 6:00 p.m.  
May 1st Junior/Senior Prom 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.

May 7th McAuley Athletic Banquet 6:00 p.m.

Have a blessed week!  
Dr. Yoakam