



NPA October Newsletter

CARNIVAL IS ALMOST HERE!!! Each class needs booth workers, set up and take down volunteers, and a silent auction basket. If you have not heard from your Homeroom Helper on how you may assist, please contact her. All parents/guardians are asked, as members of the NPA, to help their child's respective class meet its needs so OUR Carnival and Silent Auction will be another huge success! All families are also asked to donate cakes, brownies, cookies, etc... to the Cake Walk. Our goal this year is to raise **\$25,000**. With the LV raffle we have a good chance of exceeding that goal. We have around 200 LV tickets left, please continue to share this fundraiser with friends, co-workers & especially on social media.

Final numbers for the NPA raffle are in and I'm thrilled to say that we raised right at **\$67,000!!!** The cakewalk at the Seafood Festival was also a huge success and we raised **\$2,567.25!!!** A big thank you to Brandon Cloud and Maggie Landry for chairing this event, and to each of you who volunteered your time to bake, build or work the booth.

Upcoming events and things to remember:

1. **Our second NPA meeting and raffle drawing will be held on Thursday, October 5th, at 5:30 p.m.** The meeting will be held in the gym. This will be our final meeting before Carnival, so please make every effort to attend. Dinner will be served & child care will be provided. We will also have a drawing at the end of the meeting for a free month of tuition.
2. Don't forget about the pumpkin decorating & scarecrow contests.
3. Pre-sale Carnival ticket sign up is going home this week.
4. We are still collecting Carnival sponsorships. They will be included in all Carnival acknowledgements, Facebook & on the website. If you know of a business who could help us, please reach out to them.
5. **Silent Auction will also be held on Saturday, October 14th in conjunction with Carnival.** If you would like to help with this event, please contact Mary Williams or Alex Snyder.

This year's SA has some exciting items including: a trip to Cabo Mexico, a trip to Sonoma Valley, a Saints helmet signed by Archie Manning & Drew Brees, a framed LSU stadium picture & the 2nd Grade's "Dad's Day Out" Basket has 2 Saints tickets in it! We will start sharing this on our FB page closer to Carnival. Please share with your friends.

6. Set up for Carnival will begin at 3:30 on Friday, October 13th. **AFTER SCHOOL CARE IS FREE but is only provided for those who help with setup.** Otherwise, you will need to make other arrangements for your children that day. Dinner will also be provided by the school. We are almost always done by 6pm on Friday.
7. The 5th grade is responsible for Teacher Appreciation for the month of **October**.
 - **Congratulations to Brennan Tarrant on his winning design for this year's Halloween Carnival t-shirt!**
 - **Thank you to our Presenting Sponsors: Aladdin Construction, Bay Marine Boat Works, Broadwater Dental, Delta World Tire & Hornsby Watts, PLLC.**

Our NPA has several committee chairs this year. If you would like to volunteer to help for a particular event, please contact the chairperson of the event by sending a note through the school. The office does a great job of making sure the notes go home with the children.

Committee	Chairperson(s)
Seafood Festival	Brandon Cloud & Maggie Landry
Carnival	Charnell Martino & Jen Byers
Silent Auction	Mary Williams & Alex Snyder
I Give Catholic	Allison Watts
Breakfasts with Santa and the Bunny	Susie Davis and Jenny Baker
Disney Raffle	Allison Watts
Lenten Dinners	Jody Stoddard, Summer Canon & Warren Davis
Peace Love & Saints Fun Day	NEEDS A CHAIR
Peace Love & Saints 5K	Warren Davis
T-Shirts	Summer Canon
Box Tops	Amy Leon
Yearbook Chair	Brooke Theobald
PR and Advertising	Kerry Stoddard and Katie O'Grady
Aluminum Can Recycling	Warren Davis
Homeroom Helpers, Raffle Tickets & School Supplies Kits	Allison Watts & Cheryl Steinwinder
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