



# CRUSADER CONNECTIONS

## Father Andrew White S.J. School Newsletter

### Important Dates

**February 24:** Progress Reports Posted on Portal (grades 4-8)

### *FAW Annual Giving Campaign*

This year, we are raising funds to purchase new K-5 Reading/Language Arts textbooks and accompanying supplemental resources and materials. Thank you for prayerfully considering donating to this important fund that directly benefits our children.



**Feb. 23, 2021**

*"Let us not love with words or speech, but with actions and in truth."*

*-1 John 3:18*



### 2021 – 2022 Registration

Registration for the 2021-2022 school year is now open. Thank you to the families who have completed the re-enrollment process through the TADS website. Admissions are now open to the

public. If you haven't re-enrolled through [tads.com](http://tads.com), you will need to do so ASAP to secure your child's spot for next year. If you are not returning, please contact Ms. Francisco so we know what openings there may be. Families can complete re-enrollment forms through their TADS account online at <http://mytads.com/a/fatherandrewwhiteschool>. **The easiest way to complete the process, is to click on the link that will be included in your email.**

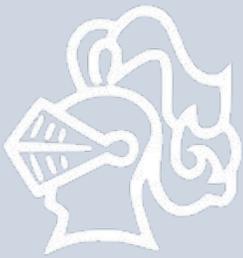
The March and April lunch menus are now active.

[Orders can be placed](#) for March until **this Thursday, February 25th** and for April until March 25th. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Rutherford at [fawslunch@fatherandrewwhite.org](mailto:fawslunch@fatherandrewwhite.org).



**Progress Reports:** Mid-quarter progress reports for students in grades 4-8 will be posted on Parent PlusPortals, **tomorrow, Wednesday, February 24th**. Please login to check your child's progress. If you have any questions, please contact your child's teacher. To find the report, click the child's picture, then "Classroom," then "Progress Reports," then "Combined Reports." Please go over the reports with your children and encourage them to keep working hard through the last half of this quarter! <https://www.plusportals.com/FatherAndrewWhiteSchool>





### School Hours

8:20am - 2:25pm

We have FAW Tervis Tumblers for sale! Send in cash or a check to reserve yours.

**\$10**

Only 25 left!



## *Italian Dinner & Brown Bag Auction!!*

The third time was the charm for our annual Italian Dinner. We are very appreciative of all those that helped prepare the delicious meal and tasty desserts. A great big thank you to our coordinator, Karen Mayo and all of the volunteers who helped make this Drive Thru event such a success.

# THANK YOU!

A special thank you to all of those families and businesses who donated to the Brown Bag Auction. Without your donations, the fundraiser would not have been a success! See the flyer attached for a detailed list of those who donated as well as a list of the winners.

Many thanks to our hardworking coordinators, Kristen Haley, Jessica Phillips, Shannon Dent, and their team of volunteers.

**Photos Wanted!** We are looking for various pictures for the school yearbook and website. If you have any photos that you've taken at FAW events, we'd love to have them! **It would be appreciated if you could send your photos for consideration in our upcoming yearbook, lobby TV, and/or the website.**

Pictures may be e-mailed to [FAWnews@fatherandrewwhite.org](mailto:FAWnews@fatherandrewwhite.org).

Thanks for your help!



**Place your lunch orders by Friday!**

**FAW Volunteers are the best!**

Click [HERE](#) to record your volunteer hours!



Thank you for volunteering!

Playground Volunteers sign-up [here](#)





## We have a winner!

Last week our students voted and we are happy to announce that our Spirit Sticker winner is 4th grader, Makenzie Bailey! Her design will be printed and new stickers will be on sale for \$4 each. Congratulations!

A special thank you goes to our art teacher, Mrs. Gavin and our Spirit Sticker coordinator, Melissa Barrick for working on this project.

*"Let today be the day you give up who you've been  
for who you can become."*

*~ Hal Elrod*

## Annual Spring Auction



Snow showers bring May Flowers...  
...and our Annual Spring Auction!

We are excited to announce:

### Colors of Spring

A VIRTUAL AUCTION EVENT

Do you need more volunteer hours? On your own schedule or from home? We have fun and creative volunteer opportunities.

Due to this year's online format, we need more volunteers before the event goes live in May. Please consider volunteering. To view the different opportunities and to see how you can help, go to:

<https://signup.com/go/ccDVsmv>

Please contact Jen Tennyson, [jtennyson@gmail.com](mailto:jtennyson@gmail.com) if you have any questions. Thank you in advance for your help!



Click [HERE](#) to view the Spring Auction Volunteer Opportunities



## Volunteer Opportunity

Looking for a way to earn volunteer hours? Have a knack for videography? Know your way around technology? The PR/Marketing Committee of the FAW School Advisory Board needs your help! We are looking to create virtual tour and promotion videos to be included on our school website and social media pages.

If you are interested in supporting this endeavor please send an email to Karen Mayo - [kazzz1000000@hotmail.com](mailto:kazzz1000000@hotmail.com) - or Gail Ridgell - [gridgell@md.metrocast.net](mailto:gridgell@md.metrocast.net).



**Do you use Groupon? If so, double down on the savings by starting with SCRIP. Groupon offers a 7% rebate!**

## SCRIP NEWS



This week we are sending home reports of your SCRIP purchases. Remember, each family who accepts reduced tuition in exchange for service hours must also earn \$50 in REBATES for the school through the SCRIP gift card program. This is called "minimum distribution" on the SCRIP report. If you do not receive a report, that means your family has not yet purchased any gift cards this year. With an average rebate of 5%, each family would have to purchase about \$1,000 of face value gift cards over the course of the year to be used not only for gift giving but for your everyday purchases. The reporting year ends **MARCH 31, 2021**. Once you have earned \$50 in rebates, 75% of any additional rebates earned can be credited to next year's tuition or this year's 8th grade class fund. **Please complete this [Google Form](#)** to direct where your proceeds should go. The reports included this week represent the selection you made last year. We keep a large selection of gift cards in stock and can special order many more. We will place our next special order to include orders received by close of business tomorrow, Wednesday, February 24th. Please contact the SCRIP lady at [faw.scrip@gmail.com](mailto:faw.scrip@gmail.com) with questions or for more information.

Make a reservation on the school website to paint the rock.



## SPIRIT ROCK

Paint it for birthdays, school events, encouragement or special occasions for \$20 a day! Show your school spirit and your FAW pride for all to see!

<http://fatherandrewwhite.org/spirit-rock/>



**Handbook Highlight:** HONOR CODE continued

- “Plagiarism is cheating and students receive instruction about what plagiarism is and the serious consequences for plagiarizing written work.
- Consequences for cheating include, but are not limited to, students not receiving any credit for the assignment, not having the opportunity to make-up the work, parents being notified, and lunch/recess or after school detention.
- Students will abide by the following statement when submitting both written and digital assignments: I affirm that the work I submit is my own and that I have neither received nor given unauthorized help.
- Parents will support FAW in its goal of helping students to grow in moral values by encouraging academic honesty in their children.”



**St. Jude's Math-A-Thon** is here!!! Each year our students are given the opportunity to help St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital through the Math-a-thon program. The children are asked to get pledges from family and friends based on their completion of a series of grade level math problems. The pledges are then collected and the funds benefit research for the serious diseases that affect the children of St. Jude's. We hope that your student will be participating in the online program. **Parents will need to register via this link:** [https://fundraising.stjude.org/site/TR/Math/Math?pg=entry&fr\\_id=130315](https://fundraising.stjude.org/site/TR/Math/Math?pg=entry&fr_id=130315).



The Math-A-Thon runs through March 5th, which is also the deadline for all donations. \*If you are unable to participate in the math portion of the fundraiser and would still like to collect and send in donations, it would be greatly appreciated. Please make checks payable to: “St. Jude Children's Research Hospital” and place them in an envelope. We thank you so much for considering a donation to this truly admirable cause. Please see the attached flyer for more details. To sign up and begin the Math-a-thon today, click [HERE!](#)

**Weekly Reminders:**

- Order Hot Lunch (by Thursday)
- Register for Math-a-Thon
- Service Scholarship Families -> Complete [Google Form](#) ASAP
- Re-register through your TADS account online
- Donate to our Annual Giving Campaign
- Order an FAW Tervis Tumbler
- Send FAW pictures and news to [FAWnews@fatherandrewwhite.org](mailto:FAWnews@fatherandrewwhite.org)



# There's POWER in Numbers

*Thank you for helping the kids of St. Jude!*

February 22, 2021



## Dear Parents,

Our students are joining St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in the fight against childhood cancer by participating in a St. Jude Math-A-Thon from February 22-March 5, 2021. This event helps kids refine their academic skills while teaching them that they have the power to help others.

Your involvement is a big part of making this program a success, and participation is easy.

## Register: at [StJude.org/math](https://stjude.org/math)

- Click here:  
[https://fundraising.stjude.org/site/TR/Math/Math?pg=entry&fr\\_id=130315](https://fundraising.stjude.org/site/TR/Math/Math?pg=entry&fr_id=130315)

## Share: via email and on social media

- additional resources are available in your online fundraising center
- use [@stjude](#) and [#stjudemathathon](#)

## Track: your progress

- encourage friends and family to donate online
- log any offline donations (cash and checks) in your online fundraising center to receive credit toward prizes

## Earn: prizes

- return offline donations to your teacher in an envelope
- select your prizes via the email sent to you after the event

## You Make a Difference

The donations you collect will help fund the lifesaving research and treatment at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital®. From the staff, parents and patients of St. Jude—thank you!

## How to Participate

### Set Your Goal.

- Three sponsors who donate \$20 each would raise \$60—enough to earn a prize from St. Jude.

### Fundraise.

- Ask friends, relatives, neighbors, business associates and local businesses to sponsor you.
- Your sponsors can make credit card donations via your online fundraising page.

### Collect Donations.

- Remember to log any offline donations in your online fundraising center to receive credit toward prizes.



Visit [stjude.org](http://stjude.org) for more information about how you can help kids like Bella.

## About St. Jude

- Families never receive a bill from St. Jude for treatment, travel, housing or food—because all a family should worry about is helping their child live.
- Treatments invented at St. Jude have helped push the overall childhood cancer survival rate from 20% when the hospital opened in 1962 to more than 80% today.
- Because the majority of St. Jude funding comes from individual contributors, St. Jude has the freedom to focus on what matters most—saving kids regardless of their financial situation.

## Meet Bella

Bella is a precocious toddler who loves to dance. In 2018, tests in India revealed a mass on her brain. Bella's parents turned to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital for her care.

At St. Jude, Bella's treatment for anaplastic ependymoma, a cancerous brain tumor, included proton therapy and chemotherapy. "At St. Jude, they're not just thinking of your child's treatment, they're thinking about what families go through," said Bella's dad. "You don't have to worry about anything. You just focus on your child."

Bella is now home and returns to St. Jude for regular checkups.



 Please detach and return this permission slip to your child's school tomorrow.

## Parent/Guardian Permission Slip

Yes, I want my child to fundraise for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

My Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

My Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**CONSENT AND RELEASE FOR ST. JUDE** In signing this release, I (the "Parent") as parent or legal guardian of a minor under the age of eighteen years, the "Participant", permit Participant to attend and participate in the St. Jude Math-A-Thon event ("Event") for the purpose of fundraising for and/or raising awareness of St. Jude Children's Research Hospital ("St. Jude"). I acknowledge and warrant that Participant is physically fit and able to safely participate in the Event without risk to themselves or others. I, on behalf of Participant, understand that there may be risks associated in taking part in a physical activity and/or an activity and assume all risk of injury that may occur as a result of Participant taking part in the Event. I, on behalf of the Participant, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless St. Jude, American Lebanese Syrian Associated Charities ("ALSAC"), all public or private agencies whose property and/or personnel are used, all other sponsoring or co-sponsoring companies or individuals and all individual organizers or volunteers related to or involved in the Event (collectively, "Releases") from all liability to Parent, Participant and his/her personal representatives, assigns, heirs and executors, for all loss(es) or damages(s) and any and all claims or demands therefore, on account of injury to Participant or property. Parent hereby assumes the risks of loss(es), damages(s), or injury(ies) that may be sustained by Participant while participating in the aforementioned activity.

**Important: Participants under age 18 cannot sign this form. Only their Parent or Guardian may sign on their behalf.**



# SPONSOR FORM

My Goal for St. Jude \$ \_\_\_\_\_

	Sponsor's Name	Address, City, State, ZIP	Email Address	Donation Amount
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Make additional copies as needed.

Checks/Money Orders Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Online Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Note: Please make all checks payable to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

**GRAND TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

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# THANK YOU from the Brown Bag Auction Committee!!

A special **Thank You** to all the families who donated to the Brown Bag Auction!!

Ashley	Bowen	Curry	Dent
Downey	Farr	Franklin	Greer
Haley	Harris	Johnston	Moran
Phillips	Roy	Rutherford	Smith
Stanalonis	Weber	...and a few anonymous families	

Another special **Thank You** to all the businesses who donated as well!!

Dunkin Donuts	Generations Vineyard
Hometown Heart Apparel	IL Piccolo Morso
OakPoint Insurance	Social Coffeehouse
Target	

**We couldn't have done it without you!!**

And, the winners were.....

#1 Phyl Haley	#15 Trent Brady	#29 Ms. Ward
#2 Caroline Wright	#16 Trevor Vallandingham	#30 Phyl Haley
#3 Theresa Bell	#17 Sully Allan	#31 Collin Curry
#4 Aubrey Rossignol	#18 Ms. Rowland	#32 Phyl Haley
#5 Chandler Johnston	#19 Ella Tritschler	#33 Benjamin Matisick
#6 Addison Pitcher	#20 Emma Guy	#34 Mary Taylor
#7 Betsy Haley	#21 Matti Jane Johnston	#35 Sarah Lowe
#8 Ava Francis	#22 Caroline Wright	#36 Reid Curry
#9 Julie Farasy	#23 John Parlett	#37 Caroline Lowe
#10 Ava Francis	#24 Brendan Lynch	#38 Bella & Brielle Beavan
#11 Gena Burke	#25 Addison Bradford	#39 Carson Pilkerton
#12 Bodie Phillips	#26 Katelyn Sirmons	#40 Lefty Phillips
#13 Connor Lynch	#27 Blake Good	#41 Ms. Rowland
#14 Betsy Haley	#28 Patrick Haley	

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# Scrip-To-Go

Date:  Sent home with student

Family Name:  To be picked up in office

Student Grade:

Product	Rebate	Qty	Ext Price	Product	Rebate	Qty	Ext Price
Amazon \$10	2.50%			Noodles & Company \$10	8.00%		
Amazon.com \$25	2.25%			Olive Garden \$25 *	8.00%		
Amazon.com \$100	2.25%			Outback \$25 and \$50	8.00%		
AMC Theaters/Lowes \$25	8.00%			Panera Bread \$5 LIMITED TIME	8.00%		
American Express \$25	1.25%			Panera Bread \$10	8.00%		
Bath & Body Works \$10	12.00%			Panera Bread \$25	8.00%		
Bath & Body Works \$25	12.00%			Papa John's Pizza \$10	9.00%		
Barnes & Noble \$5 *	8.00%			Pizza Hut \$10	8.00%		
Bed Bath & Beyond \$25	8.00%			Potbelly's \$10	8.00%		
BJ's \$100 FAW LOCAL	2.00%			Red Robin \$25	8.00%		
BJ's \$50 FAW LOCAL	2.00%			Red Robin \$25	8.00%		
Bob Evans \$25	10.00%			Sheetz \$25	3.00%		
Cabela's \$25	8.00%			Shell \$50 *	1.50%		
Chipotle Mexican Grill \$25	10.00%			Shell \$25 *	1.50%		
Chipotle Mexican Grill \$10	10.00%			Staples \$25	5.00%		
Chuck E. Cheese's \$10	8.00%			Starbucks \$10 *	7.00%		
Cold Stone Creamery \$5 LIMITED TIME	11.00%			Starbucks \$25 *	7.00%		
Cracker Barrel Old Country Store \$10	8.00%			Starbucks \$5 *	7.00%		
Cracker Barrel Old Country Store \$25	8.00%			SUBWAY Gift Card \$10 *	6.00%		
Dick's Sporting Goods \$25 *	8.00%			Sweet Frog \$10	25.00%		
Domino's \$10 and \$25	8.00%			Sweet Frog \$5	25.00%		
Disney \$25	3.00%			T.J.Maxx / Marshalls/HomeGoods/Sierra Trading \$25 *	7.00%		
Dunkin' Donuts \$5	3.00%			Target GiftCard \$10 LIMITED TIME	2.50%		
Dunkin' Donuts \$10	3.00%			Target GiftCard \$25	2.50%		
Dunkin' Donuts \$25	3.00%			Target GiftCard \$100	2.50%		
Food Lion \$25	3.00%			Target GiftCard \$50	2.50%		
Food Lion \$100	3.00%			Texas Roadhouse \$25 *	8.00%		
Gap/Banana Republic/Old Navy Options \$25	14.00%			The Home Depot \$25 *	4.00%		
Giant Foods/Giant Food Stores \$25	4.00%			Under Armour \$25	11.00%		
Giant \$50	4.00%			Visa® Five Back™ \$50 Gift Card	1.25%		
Giant \$100	4.00%			Visa® Five Back™ \$100 Gift Card *	1.25%		
iTunes \$15	5.00%			Walmart/Sam's Club \$25	2.50%		
iTunes \$25	5.00%			Walmart/Sam's Club \$100	2.50%		
Kohl's \$25 *	4.00%			Wawa \$25 *	1.00%		
Longhorn Steakhouse *	8.00%			Weis Markets \$100	5.00%		
Lowe's \$25 *	4.00%			Weis Markets \$25	5.00%		
Lowe's \$100*	4.00%			Wendy's \$10	6.50%		
McKay's \$25 FAW LOCAL	5.00%			Zappos \$25 *	8.00%		
McKays \$100 FAW LOCAL	5.00%						
McKays \$50 FAW LOCAL	5.00%						

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