

Happy National Lobster Day September 25

Greetings St. Pius X School Families!

There is a great deal of information in this week's communication, which is our **main tool for sharing information** with families. Therefore, we ask that you take the time to read it, in its entirety, to keep up with what is happening in our school. Thank you in advance for your time and attention!



Please note the following important **calendar dates**:

Friday, September 27	6:00 PM till	Social Event: St. Pius Tenth School Cornhole Tournament (Church parking Lot – Adults Only)
Friday, October 4	9:30 AM	School Liturgy
Thursday, October 10		School Picture Day This is a DRESS UP day
Friday, October 11		Superintendent's Conference Day (No school for students)
Monday, October 14		Columbus Day/Indigenous People's Day (No school)
Saturday, October 26	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Halloween Party (School Gym)
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It's Almost Here!

Bigger, Better, and guaranteed to be an A-MAIZE-ING Event 2024 St. Pius Tenth School "Fun-Raiser" **Cornhole Tournament** Friday, September 27, 2024, at 6:00 PM (Rain Date Friday, October 4) Church Parking Lot Dinner is also available and catered by our own Knights of Columbus Council 17086 Please note, this is an Adult Only event See the flyer in this week's communication



2024 School Fundraiser

Thank you to everyone that has participated so far in our Fall fundraiser! We have just a few days to go. If you have not had a chance to participate, it is not too late! Registering at <u>www.shopfund.com</u> is super easy and you can share the fundraiser directly with your supporters through your student's dashboard!

Save Around Coupon Book Reminder -

Books that were sent home can be paid for online @ <u>www.sapaynow.com/273259</u> - select "I have my book"

Additional books and out of town books can be purchased online as well **OR** you can send payment into school. Don't forget, your child will receive a free St. Pius T-shirt for selling 3 books.

NEXT TURN IN DAY - Monday, September 30th

Remember, every order gets us closer to our goal. The more we raise, the more activities and events we can offer our students.

Thank you for your continued support of our school and for helping us reach our goal!!

REMINDER FOR CAR LINE

Just a reminder for those families whose students are driven to school: Please follow the guidelines that we have established for arrival and dismissal. When dropping off students in the morning at our Pre-K doors, cars that are going to the main entrance for K – 5 drop off should go around the Pre-K cars slowly and carefully. At dismissal time, K – 5 pick up cars should go around the back of the church and wait at the stop sign to be signaled by the staff member following our Pre-K dismissal. ALL cars are expected to exit the parking lot via Chestnut Ridge Road. Thank you for your cooperation!



We are again asking for your help by scanning and submitting receipts for Box Tops for Education. Each month the class that earns the most \$\$ will earn a dress down day!

We've surpassed the \$20,000 lifetime earnings goal! We're currently at \$187.00 for this year. Our first monthly leaderboard starts next Tuesday. Included in this week's envelope are the steps to follow to give credit to your child. Remember to use Mrs. Sabo's referral code(O0GA5M0B) when signing up to earn 25 Bonus Box Tops!



The Submarine School of Music Piano, Guitar, Ukulele, and Voice

We are thrilled to announce a potential new partnership between St. Pius Tenth School and The Submarine School of Music.

The opportunities are a bit different than what we have offered in the past, but this is an incredible chance to change things up a bit. It also expands the opportunity to all students in grades K – 5! Please see the enclosed flyer for further information, and as always, please call the school office with any questions.



My name is Jasmine Torres. I am Puerto Rican and I was born and raised here in Rochester NY. I have loved music ever since I was young and had the privilege of growing up in a very musical family with generations of musicians and singers. I love music, and I love sharing that love with others, especially young kids who are just discovering the joy of music. I am a board-certified music therapist and have had the privilege of working with children of all ages and populations. I teach piano, voice, guitar, & ukulele!

Click here to sign up



Please see the flyer this week to help a great cause. Matthew's Closet is in need of gently used children's clothing. You may send bags in with your children and our Before Care coordinator will be sorting and delivering. Thank you!

CASE (Creating a Safe Environment) for Volunteers

All parent/guardian volunteers must complete the online Diocese of Rochester's Creating a Safe Environment (CASE) for Volunteers Training (before volunteering at any event where students are present). Information is provided below:

Diocese of Rochester Volunteer Requirements

Catholic school system or in its parishes and related ministries fulfill the following criteria:

- 1. Participate in or complete online a Creating a Safe Environment Training course (<u>https://www.dor.training/home.aspx?pagename=volunteer-training</u>).
- 2. Complete and sign a Diocese of Rochester Volunteer Code of Conduct Form.
- 3. Complete the Criminal Record Check process.
- 4. If driving children, complete the Volunteer Driver Information Form and have driving record checked. This must be completed every year.

This is <u>required</u> to work with children in any capacity in our school - room parent, assist in the classroom, clubs, lunch volunteers, chaperone/drive on fieldtrips, athletic coach, and/or assistant at any social event where students are participating. All volunteers must participate in a renewal of training as determined by the Diocese of Rochester.

Have a Wonderful and Blessed Week!

"Be Who God Meant You to Be and You Will Set the World on Fire!"

St. Catherine of Siena

St. Pius X School



"FUN-RAISER"

Cornhole Tournament



Friday, September 27th

3000 Chili Avenue R'ochester, NY 14624

Bags Fly at 6:00pm Food catered by Knights of Columbus \$15 per dinner Dinner Entree/ Sides/ Dessert Includes two drink coupons per guest: Soda/water Beer/Seltzer

Bring your own team / \$20.00 per person

Cash Prizes for 1st, 2nd & 3rd

(no cash payouts the night of event)

50/50 Raffle need not be present to win Double Elimination Bracket



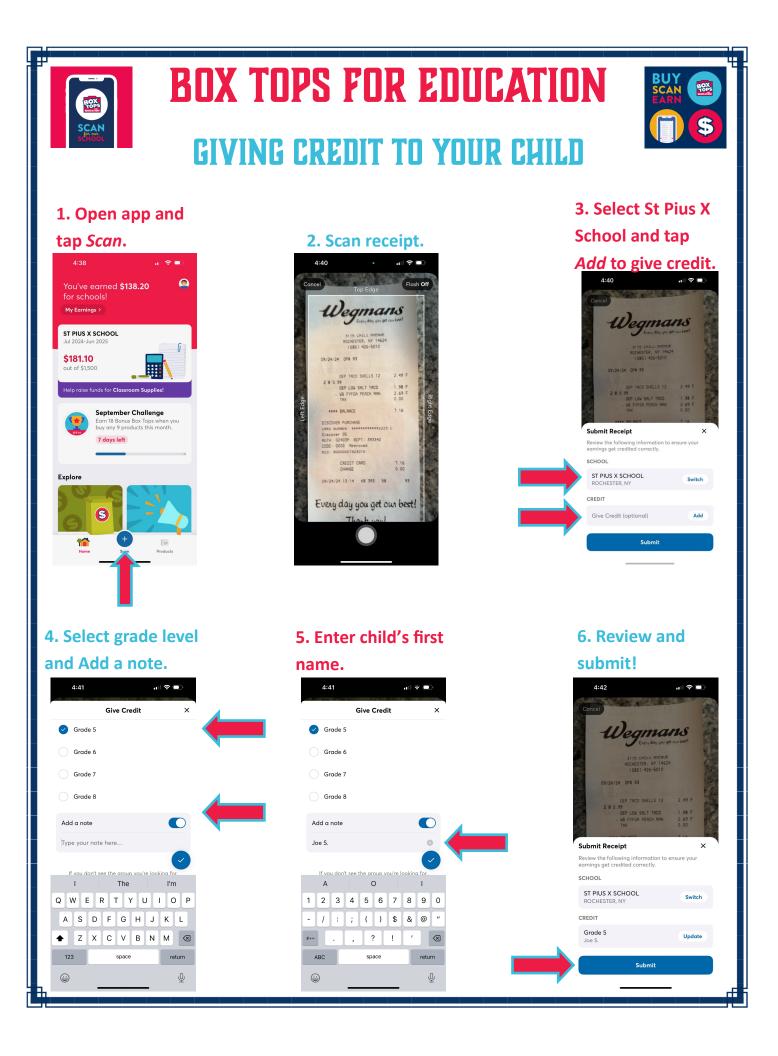
Register online:

https://giving.ncsservices.org/App/ Form/6239e895-512a-4228-b85f-bdcdd834308d

or

In-person on the app before bags fly! ADULT ONLY EVENT PLEASE





Private Music Lessons at St. Pius!

Led by multi-instrumentalist teachers from the Submarine School of Music



\$130/month - includes a weekly private music lesson + participation in recitals and other Submarine School of Music events. Students will be brought out of class for 30 minutes during a time chosen by their classroom teacher.

Émail submarineschoolofmusic@gmail.com to sign up!





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