



## VIP Night 2024 is here!

### **TICKETS**

Ticket sales for VIP Night are open. Visit the link below to get your tickets today. Don't have a table of 10? No problem at all. Contact Molly Willer at [mwiller@ht-school.org](mailto:mwiller@ht-school.org) and she will happily get you a seat at the perfect table. get your a seat at the perfect table.

**Purchase your tickets here:** <https://one.bidpal.net/2024vip>

### **WHEEL OF CHANCE**

Wheel of Chance is LIVE! We have amazing items/experiences for you to buy chances to win. Some are sold out but we still have several AMAZING items left to buy chances for!! Buy your chances here – don't wait, we sell out every year!!! \_

**Buy chances to win!** <https://one.bidpal.net/rafflewoc>

### **SILENT AUCTION**

Our Silent Auction goes LIVE Friday, January 19 at 6:00 PM! You may view items and place your bids here:

We have AMAZING things, start bidding on Friday. It will close on VIP night at 10:45 PM.

Be sure to also check out class art and Teacher experiences.

<https://one.bidpal.net/2024vip>

Questions? Please reach out to Lauren Johnson, [lascot2@gmail.com](mailto:lascot2@gmail.com) or Molly Willer, [mwiller@ht-school.org](mailto:mwiller@ht-school.org).

# IMPORTANT DATES

**January 17** - All School Mass - 8:15 AM

**January 17** - 1st Reconciliation Parent/Child Meeting (MPB) - 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM

**January 17** - 1st Reconciliation Parent/Child Meeting (MPB) - 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM

**January 18** - PTA Meeting (Clifton) - 8:00 AM to 9:30 AM

**January 22** - Operation Parent (MPB) - 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM

**January 24** - All School Mass - 8:15 AM

**January 27** - VIP Night (Omni)- 6:00 PM

**January 27 - February 2** - Catholic Schools Week

**January 31** - All School Mass - 8:15 AM

**January 31** - Teacher/Staff/Volunteer Awards (Church) - 9:00 AM

**February 5** - Governor's Cup: Composition Competition

CALENDAR

## CATHOLIC IDENTITY

### Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:30 am

11:00 am

6:30 pm

Confession:

Every Saturday: 3:30-4:30 pm

[Parish Bulletin](#)

### Vision Statement of Holy Trinity Catholic School

To be a school of excellence that encompasses the whole child by modeling Jesus through our Catholic teachings, commitment to academics, service to the community, and devotion as life-long servants of God.

# Formation Focus - January

## Fruit of the Holy Spirit Patience:

As Christians, we are called to be patient, especially with our brothers and sisters in the Church. Living in peace with those around us can be a challenge, but we must respond in love, not anger when differences arise between us.

Read Colossians 3:12-13

### St. Francis de Sales

**Feast Day:** January 24

**Patron Saint:** Catholic writers, Catholic press, death, journalist, and adult education



## PTA Skating Party

Save the date for our PTA Skate Party, Tuesday, January 16 from 6:00-8:00 PM (doors open at 5:40). The party will be at CHAMPS ROLLERDOME, 9851 LaGrange Road. The cost per child is \$5 (cash only, please). This will include skating and skate rental.

# Important Announcements

## Inclement Weather

With the season for cold weather/inclement weather being upon us, be sure to watch for communications from the school regarding closings, early dismissals, etc.

Please note with temperatures predicted to be extremely cold next week, there will be no adults manning carpool when it is extremely cold - opening doors, helping children out of cars, etc. There will be adults standing inside the doors to assist, if necessary. Please make sure your children are ready to get out of the car - jackets on, backpacks ready, etc.

## Receive Emergency Notifications:

- Once you have logged in to myHTTPS, go to Account.
- Next, click on Settings.
- Under Account Settings on the left, select "Notifications".
- Click on the green plus sign. You will need to add your ten-digit number and provider.
- If the email address on the left is incorrect, make the necessary change.
- Next to Announcement Posted, select Setup Options.
- Under General Categories, select Closed/Late Opening/Early Dismissal.
- You will then need to check the email and/or text box next to Announcement Posted.

## Winter PEP

Our PEP (Pupil Enrichment Program) classes offer students the opportunity to participate in after-school activities from 3 - 4 p.m. once a week for 6 weeks. Winter PEP class registrations are now open. Learn about the classes offered, and **register online** by Friday, January 26th. Questions should be directed to the lead teacher for each class.

# Catholic Schools Week Schedule!

Catholic Schools Week is Saturday, January 27th through Friday, February 2nd. Below are listed some of the activities planned for this special week.

## **Saturday, January 27 & Sunday, January 28**

- Join us at your preferred Mass with your family.

## **Monday, January 29**

- Decades Day: Holy Trinity School opened in 1885. We've been around a lot of decades - dress in your favorite decade style from 1883 to today! Modest and respectful attire is required. Clothing changes only, no wigs or accessories.
- Find the Patron Saint Game on the Cafeteria Wall - Submit your entry by Tuesday, 1/23

## **Tuesday, January 30**

- Students can wear appropriate pajamas (no shorts, tank tops, or slippers). Athletic shoes should be worn for recess.
- All-School Bingo at 1:45 p.m. Buddies will work together.

## **Wednesday, January 31**

- We'll celebrate our Faculty, Staff, and Volunteer of the Year at our weekly Mass.
- 8th Grade vs. Faculty/Staff Volleyball Games - Begin at 1 p.m. 8th-grade parent guests can attend; live-streamed on the school YouTube page. on livestream. Grades 5-7 are attending in the gym, along with 1st graders. Clifton and grades PreK-4 are watching in their classrooms via livestream.

## **Thursday, February 1**

- Our education at HT is setting us up for success. Dress like the career you plan to work to achieve. (Clothing changes only, no wigs or accessories.)
- 8:05 AM Spelling Bee

## **Friday, February 2**

- 1st Friday Adoration - All students PK - 8 will participate in Eucharistic Adoration in our Church.
- Spirit Day

# Student Activities & Opportunities

## Book Bee

It is time to start forming our Book Bee academic competition teams! Each grade level team (3, 4, 5, 6, and a combined Jr. High team) works together to read and know 12 books (just 6 books for our 3rd graders this year) among up to 12 team members. [The book list is available here](#) and is on myHTTPS Parent Pages, too.

On the day of the competition, the team sits together to answer three questions about each book per round. Teams in the top half after Round 1 advance to Round 2. After Round 2, the top three teams receive awards. There is no audience for the competition, as students are there to compete with all schools present and compete at the same time in a school's gym. Guests can join them for awards.

Teams usually meet after school from 3 - 4 pm every other week in February, March, and weekly in April for practices. The practice day of the week is chosen by the coach and team. The competition is just one Saturday in mid to late April and usually lasts around two hours for each grade. Book Bee includes minimal commitment compared to other activities.

To sign your child up for this competition, [complete the online form](#) by January 22.

To coach, contact Natalie Miller, [nhbmiller@gmail.com](mailto:nhbmiller@gmail.com), the parent coordinator this year until Mrs. Davenport returns from maternity leave. We need at least one coach per grade level to be able to have a team - and coaching is quite simple, as students read the book and write practice questions while reading to use during practices.

To coach, you must be current on your background check and safe environment training (check with Jill Greer, [jgreer@htparish.org](mailto:jgreer@htparish.org), in the parish office if you're unsure of your current status).



# Holy Trinity Athletics!

## **Boys Lacrosse sign-ups**

Boys lacrosse sign-ups are now OPEN on the Game Day site (<https://gameday.loucsaa.net>).

Lacrosse is for students grades 3 through 8.

For questions, please contact Jason West ([jasonkellywest@me.com](mailto:jasonkellywest@me.com)).

## **Girls Lacrosse sign-ups**

Girls lacrosse sign-ups are now OPEN on the Game Day site (<https://gameday.loucsaa.net>).

Lacrosse is for students grades 3 through 8.

For questions, please contact Sarah Mascarich ([smascarich@gmail.com](mailto:smascarich@gmail.com)).

## **Swimming sign-ups**

Swimming sign-ups are still on the Game Day site (<https://gameday.loucsaa.net>).

CSAA Championship Meet: Saturday, March 2, 2024, at Mary T Meagher  
Practices: Sunday afternoons in January and February at St. X High School  
Parent volunteers are needed - please contact [jenniesyork@gmail.com](mailto:jenniesyork@gmail.com) to volunteer!

## **Concessions/gate help in gym**

We still need help at the front gate and in the concession stand in the gym each weekend during basketball season. We host 10 or so games a week, and to do this we need volunteer help.

Please sign up if you can help:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0b4baea82ba2ff2-holy2#/>

## **Football and basketball coordinators**

Each sport at Holy Trinity has a parent volunteer coordinator in charge. We are currently in the process of looking for a tackle football and basketball coordinator for the 2023-24 school year. These are must positions for us to continue to have the programs we sponsor.

If you are interested, please contact the Director of Sports Ministry, Jody Demling [jdemling@htparish.org](mailto:jdemling@htparish.org).

# Holy Trinity Athletics!

## **Tennis sign-ups**

Holy Trinity will compete in the Spring Catholic/Independent School Tennis League with matches held at Louisville Indoor Racquet Club ([8609 Westport Road](#)).

WHO CAN PLAY? - Any 3rd through 8th grader. While all levels of playing abilities are welcome to play, players must have a rating of 1.5 to compete. Players must be able to serve and keep score for matches. All players need to register through Game Day.

Please sign up as soon as possible. We need to provide the league leadership our roster by Monday January 22nd.

MATCH SCHEDULE - Matches will be played on the following Saturday afternoons (1pm-7pm): 2/24, 3/2, 3/9, 3/16, 3/23 and 4/13 followed by Tournament play on Sunday 4/21. The matches last one hour at LIRC culminating in the league tournament. We will play 8 courts each week consisting of singles and double matches. All players will need to have a rating (1.5 - 4.0). This rating helps the coaches coordinate the matches based on player abilities so everyone is playing an opponent at their level.

PRACTICES - Date and time will be communicated once we know the size of the team.

RATINGS VERIFICATION - Ratings verifications will take place in mid-January with a make-up rating session (final date TBD) and a \$5 cash fee per player for the make-up rating session.

REGISTRATION FEES - The registration fee is \$115 and includes match court time and match play, team t-shirt and rating clinic, and practices (tennis pros and court rental fees).

QUESTIONS? - Please email Jo-Dee Jackson at [jjackson2826@gmail.com](mailto:jjackson2826@gmail.com) or Sarah Banta at [scbanta@gmail.com](mailto:scbanta@gmail.com).



# Holy Trinity Athletics!

## **Boys Volleyball Sign-Ups!**

It's time to sign up for the boys' volleyball season (grades 1 through 8)!

It's a quick season with tryouts the first week of February and the city tournament set to be finished before spring break!

Games will begin on Feb. 20.

Volleyball in the CSAA league is for grades 3 through 8.

We will put a team in the 1st and 2nd grade league at St. Agnes, and those games will be on Sundays starting Feb. 25.

For information contact: Julie McDonnell ([jmmcdonnell@hotmail.com](mailto:jmmcdonnell@hotmail.com)).

## **Upcoming Sign-Ups!**

We will have sign-ups opening soon for soccer, track and field, golf, and field hockey!

**Please note for all sports:** Once sign-ups are closed we will NOT be able to add anyone to these sports. For spring sports, it's a very quick turnaround and we have to turn in team numbers and won't be able to add. So please SIGN UP NOW!!!

# Community News!

## Holy Trinity Fish Fry!

The Holy Trinity Fish Fry will be held Feb. 23, March 1, 8, and 15.

The kitchen will be open from 5:30-8:30 p.m. on all four of those nights. We will have volunteer sign ups out soon!

## Save the Date! Summer Festival!



Save the Date! The Holy Trinity Summer Festival will be held Aug. 2 and 3 of 2024.

More details in the coming months.

## Become Who You Are!

- ✔ Do you often feel disconnected from your parish community?
- ✔ Do you feel like you're not making any progress personally?
- ✔ Are you tired of pushing and pushing to be better and just getting the same results?

But what if you could:

- ♥ Find peace in the pursuit?
- ♥ Stop feeling like you're chasing an elusive goal.
- ♥ Feel content with where you are as you work for the next thing.

And what if it didn't require becoming more but just fully becoming who you are?

IT'S TIME TO BECOME WHO YOU ARE!

[Click here](#) to learn more and sign up for this workshop series that starts soon! Tuesday afternoon sessions begin Jan. 16. Thursday evening sessions begin Jan. 18.