



Blessed Sacrament School
Wednesday Weekly
September 28, 2022

Boys Town Skill of the Week: Disagreeing Appropriately

1. *Look at the person.*
2. *Use a pleasant voice.*
3. *Tell why you feel differently.*
4. *Give a reason.*
5. *Listen to the other person.*



Dear Blessed Sacrament Families,

In the midst of our Hello Week last week, I had the pleasure of seeing something heartwarming during Junior High recess. Any of the 6-8 students who weren't playing basketball or Four Square were in a giant circle volleying a volleyball. Although I'm one who finds a lot of joy (and sometimes pain) in competition, there was no aspect of winners and losers in this game. No one got out. No one was excluded. Everyone simply bumped, set, or spiked the volleyball across

to the other side of the circle if it came close. If it was missed or hit out of the circle; there was no complaining, no glares, and no annoyed sighs—someone simply chased after it or started it up again. Being kind and inclusive were two of the main themes of Hello Week, and I loved being able to see our Junior High students exemplifying them!

In Christ,

Mrs. Jennifer Tran

SACRAMENTAL PARENT MEETING

There will be a required meeting in the gym for First Communion and Confirmation **TODAY** from 6:30-8:00.

PICTURE RE-TAKES

Re-take will be **Friday, September 30**. Students taking re-takes must bring their uniforms to school to change in to for the rest of the day.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

You should have all received an email prompting you to sign up for Parent-Teacher Conferences on Tuesday, Oct. 4 (3:40-6:45) or Thursday, Oct. 6. (1:30-5:00, 5:45-7:45). These are mandatory, so if you can't make any of these times, please set up an alternative time to meet with your child(ren)'s homeroom teacher. There **will** be extended care on Tuesday but **not** on Thursday as it is a 1pm dismissal. Please confirm which date you are signing up for as both days are in the same sign-up genius. If you'd like to have a conference for longer than 5 or 10 minutes, you are welcome to sign up for two consecutive times. Below are the links for sign-up:

[PK-5 Sign-up](#)

[6-8 Sign-up](#)

[Specialty Sign-up](#)

PTO FUND-A-WANT



At Blessed Sacrament we are blessed to have amazing teachers and staff that help our children grow in their education and faith. There is no better way to show support to our teachers than helping them get the resources they need/want to have in their classroom to help our students become the best they can be. PTO is excited to sponsor the Fund-A-Want project. On this [Amazon Wish List](#), there are supplies/tools our teachers are requesting for their classrooms. If you are unsure of what to buy you are welcome to purchase a gift card and the PTO will compile them and make a purchase with them. This project will run through **Friday, October 21**. Items can be shipped directly to Blessed Sacrament at 1725 Lake St, Lincoln, NE 68502 or you can bring them in. Thank you for helping us support our teachers. If you have any questions, please contact Clarissa Hunt at ceceluther@yahoo.com or 402-480-2225.

CSS FOOD BAGS

We will be receiving food bags from Catholic Social Services after school on Tuesday, October 4. Please take what you need as we usually have some leftover (even if that means two for one family!).

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR TRUNK OR TREAT

If there is anyone or a group that would like to do a Trunk at the Trunk or Treat that is hosted by the Knights of Columbus on October 28, please reach out to Justin Wemhoff by text or phone 202-316-9378 or kofc11001@gmail.com. Please come on out for a fun evening of dressing up and trick or treating from 5:30-7:30pm!

PTO PIZZA BOXING



PTO is doing pizza boxing for the Husker Home Football Games. There is a 16-year-old minimum age requirement to volunteer. The PTO receives **\$100 per volunteer** and with these funds the PTO is able to fund field trips, positive office referral parties, and so much more. Below are the dates and times of the first four football games and the number of volunteers we need. Please email Clarissa Hunt at ceceluther@yahoo.com or text/call 402-480-2225 if you can volunteer. These volunteer hours will go towards your family's 15 hours of stewardship hours. Thank you for helping the PTO. 🍕

November 5th arrive at Memorial Stadium TBA. Need **7** volunteers

November 19th arrive at Memorial Stadium TBA. Need **8** volunteers

SCRIP

Congratulations to Julie Main who won the \$100 Scrip Gift Certificate at Fest Quest! Christmas is right around the corner! Use Scrip gift cards for purchasing gifts or groceries for your holiday gatherings. Need a teacher gift but not sure what they would like? Scrip gift certificates allow them to buy exactly the gift card they want. Order early to ensure the cards you want are in stock! Here is a complete list of gift cards: <https://www.raiseright.com/brands>.

Not sure what Scrip is? Scrip is an easy way to support Blessed Sacrament just by using gift cards for your everyday purchases like groceries and gas! Scrip will be available between masses on Oct. 16th/30th and Nov. 6th/20th and is always available to purchase at the rectory during the week. Email Jennie Korth at jenniekorth@gmail.com or text 402-366-4218 with questions.





SLIM CHICKENS DINE OUT EVENT

Don't want to cook supper!?! The PTO has you covered!! Come out to support our school during our dine out event at **Slim Chickens**, 1601 Pine Lake Road, on **Tuesday October 18th from 4:00-9:00 p.m.** The PTO will receive 15% benefit from all sales that mention Blessed Sacrament. Pre-Order your **SCRIP** gift card by **October 11th** by contacting Jennie Korth via email jenniekorth@gmail.com or text 402-366-4218 or through the [SCRIPT form](#) that can be purchased at the rectory. The SCRIPT program will receive 20% of the gift card sales!

PIUS ASSISTANT SWIM COACH

Pius is in search of an assistant swim coach for the 2022-23 season. The season officially begins on November 14 and will last into February. Practices are generally evenings from 7p-10p at a Lincoln high school and meets are during the week or on Saturdays. If interested or know someone who is, please contact greg.lesiak@piusx.net.