



October 21, 2011

Friday Folder

Issue: 8

29th Week in Ordinary Time

The [Friday Folder](#) is a **PDF** document containing information for parents, guardians, students and staff.

It is available on our website each Friday. A general email notification is sent to all registered contacts when the Friday Folder ONLINE has been uploaded to our website and is available for you to read or download.

Special in this Issue: Sunday, October 23, 2011 is World Mission Sunday

- **Q of A Book Fair Volunteers Needed Flyer**
- **Lions' Club Vision and Hearing Screening Flyer**
- **Queen of Apostles Catholic School Auction Reservation Form**
- **Queen of Apostles Catholic School Auction Raffle Form**
- **La Prima Hot Lunch Program Menus and Order Form**
- **Auction Reservation Form**
- **Auction Raffle Form**
- **American Math Challenge Winners**
- **Fall Festival Flyer – FALL FESTIVAL TOMORROW, Saturday, October 22, 2011**

Regular Inclusions:

- **Principal's Letter (First Fridays or ad hoc)**
- **Q of A Weekly - Information Newsletter from our PTO**
- **The Calendar is available on our homepage**
<http://www.queenofapostlesschool.org>
PLEASE CHECK THIS CALENDAR REGULARLY - updates are made nearly every day so, to keep yourself informed, visit the calendar page often.

As events, notifications and information need to be shared with you, the Friday Folder will also include flyers, documents, forms, notifications, etc. as may become available.

The PTO Board's meeting minutes are also included in the Friday Folder as they are made available through the PTO Board Secretary (Usually monthly).

If you would like to submit anything for inclusion in our Friday Folder, all submissions must be sent via email as a PDF document or as a Word, Publisher, PowerPoint or Excel file.

In-house Conversion to PDF will be made to all submissions received in formats other than PDF prior to publication. All submissions must be approved by the principal before being published.

Email your submissions to Mr. Doxzen by the end of school (3:15 p.m.) on Tuesday for inclusion in that week's Friday Folder ONLINE.

Should you be unable to view or download the Friday Folder ONLINE, please contact Mr. Doxzen. Arrangements for receiving a printed copy of the Friday Folder must be made through the school office.

d.doxzen@queenofapostleschool.org



Veritas et Gaudium

QUEEN OF APOSTLES CATHOLIC SCHOOL

4409 Sano Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22312

October 21, 2011

Dear Parents,

We have had a lot of rain over the past month. It is important that students have rain gear for dismissal. The easiest way is to place a small umbrella or poncho in the bottom of their backpack, so they are prepared for any adverse weather.

We are now releasing walkers after the first group of cars leaves from dismissal at approximately 3:25. Releasing the walkers at 3:15 did not allow the teachers adequate time to account for all of the students. This change allows the teachers the time to assure that all of the walkers are accounted for.

We occasionally have parents pull their cars up the driveway and park in the spaces across from the entrance from the Notre Dame Graduate School. For the safety of our students this driveway should not be used unless you or your student have a difficult time walking up the hill due to injury or any another concern.

The Fall Festival is this Saturday from 1:00 until 5:00. It should be a wonderful time, and I hope to see you there. Thanks to Mrs. Crowley for organizing this event.

This past week as Sophia was falling to sleep in her crib, she started singing "Hail to the Redskins" which Joanne and I could hear through the monitor. She continued for a good ten minutes. Needless to say, I am a very proud father.

In Christ,

Mark Moran

The Q of A Weekly



October 21, 2011



Count Down to the Hoe Down: 15 Days!

Have you Purchased your tickets yet?
Don't Forget – if you purchase your tickets this weekend,
you will receive a “FREE” Drink Ticket!
Tickets will be on sale at the Fall Festival and after all Masses this weekend

So, don't delay – and giddy up on over to the auction blogspot for the latest
updates and to view the Auction “Wishlist”!

<http://qofa2011auction.blogspot.com/>



FALL FESTIVAL: This year's **Fabulous Fall Festival** is coming up TOMORROW - **Saturday, October 22nd from 1:00pm to 5:00pm.** Adults and kids, please come in your costumes! Trick-or-Trunk and activities will be held outside, with refreshments and more activities inside Hannan Hall. And it is never too late to volunteer to help (set-up, clean up, help with face painting & games) and to take part in the Trick-or-Trunk! To sign up to be a “trick-or-trunk” or to volunteer or to donate festive treats, please contact Cristina Crowley at cristinacrowley@hotmail.com.

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HOT LUNCH REMINDERS: Reminder - The PTO sponsored Hot Lunch Program is available through La Prima on Monday through Thursday. To order hot lunch for your child(ren), you must complete and return the Hot Lunch Order Form (attached). The deadline for ordering for November is **TODAY - Friday, October 21**. Copies of the upcoming menus are also attached this week for your information.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: The PTO still needs volunteers to help serve Hot Lunch during lunch periods – 11:30am to 1:30pm each day - Monday thru Thursday – in November and December. This is a great way for a few parents to earn all of their volunteer hours just within the first half of the year. If you are interested, please contact Cristina Crowley at cristinacrowley@hotmail.com.



CANDY COLLECTION: It is that time of the year, when we have more candy than we can possibly eat! So the PTO has a deal for you! Starting November 1 – if you have left-over candy – please donate it to us for an upcoming Family Fun Night Event. Donations can be sent in to the attention of “Family Fun Night.”

Q OF A EAGLES – SPORTS GEAR SALE: The Sale has started – show your school spirit by sporting a Q of A Eagles “Hoody”! Orders will be taken until Friday, October 28. So, don’t delay – get your **Hoody TODAY!!**

GO EAGLES!!!

Dates to Remember

Oct. 22	Fall Festival
Oct. 27	Early Dismissal-12:15pm-Extended Day Avail
Oct. 28	Diocesan Institute – NO School
Nov. 5	Q of A Auction – Texas Hoe-Down
Nov. 10 & 11	Parent Teacher Conferences – NO School
Nov. 23	Early Dismissal-12:15pm- NO Extended Day
Nov. 24 & 25	No School – Have a Blessed Thanksgiving



La Prima does not use peanuts or other tree nuts in the school nutrition recipes.

Hot Lunch Order Form

Please return this order form along with a check made payable to "Queen of Apostles PTO" by **Friday, October 21, 2011**.
You may order monthly or pay in advance.

Milk is included.

Please complete the following:

Student Name	Grade	White Milk	Chocolate Milk	November \$68	December \$50	January \$68	February \$72	March \$77

TOTAL: \$_____

Parent Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

If you have any questions, please contact Allie Bernardo at allie.bernardo@verizon.net or by phone at (703) 624-4645.

The H Generation



November 2011



<i>monday</i>	<i>tuesday</i>	<i>wednesday</i>	<i>thursday</i>	<i>friday</i>
31 Chicken Alfredo Penne Pasta Green Peas Fruit Salad	1 Beef Chili Corn Bread Tossed Salad Pineapple Chocolate Pudding	2 BBQ Turkey Sandwich Sweet Potato Fries Carrot & Celery Sticks Apples	3 Macaroni & Cheese Baked Chicken Nuggets Broccoli & Tomato Salad Honeydew Melon Applesauce Carrot Cake	4
7 Tacos with lettuce, tomatoes, cheese & salsa Spanish Rice Honeydew Melon	8 Chicken Piccata Rotini Pasta Broccoli Bites Cantaloupe Chocolate Chip Cookies	9 Cheese Pizza Rolls Baby Carrots Fruit Salad	10 No School	11
14 Spaghetti & Meatballs Spinach Salad Yogurt & Peaches Apples	15 BBQ Riblets Oven Fries Green Bean Salad Tangerines Sugar Cookies	16 Roasted Turkey with Gravy Mashed Potatoes Cranberry Sauce Pumpkin Pie	17 Chicken with Aurora Sauce Radiatore Pasta Broccoli Bites Pineapple Angel Food Cake	18
21 Chicken Parmesan Rotini Pasta Tossed Salad Orange Slices	22 Soup & Sandwich Vegetable Soup Grilled Cheese Pita Banana Chocolate Chip Cookies	23 Thanksgiving Holiday	24 Thanksgiving Holiday	25
28 Macaroni & Cheese Baked Chicken Nuggets Spinach Salad Honeydew Melon	29 Seasoned Beef Strips Vegetable Fried Rice Peas Cantaloupe Melon Brownie	30 Chicken Cacciatore Rotini Pasta Tossed Salad Grapes	1 Grilled Ham & Cheese Oven Fries Baby Carrots Pineapple Applesauce Carrot Cake	2

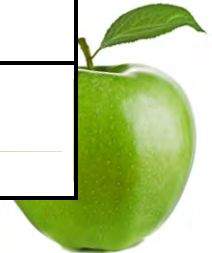


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la PRIMA Food Group December 2011



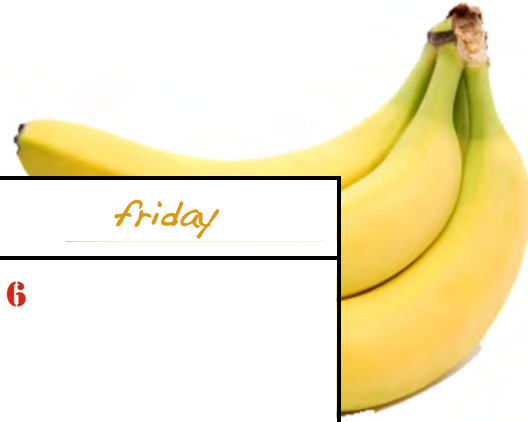
<i>monday</i>	<i>tuesday</i>	<i>wednesday</i>	<i>thursday</i>	<i>friday</i>
5 Beef Stroganoff Penne Pasta Broccoli Bites Fruit Salad	6 BBQ Chicken Legs Hash Brown Potatoes Green Bean Salad Cantaloupe Double Chocolate Cookie	7 Tacos with lettuce, tomatoes, cheese & salsa Spanish Rice Honeydew Melon	8 Baked Ziti Sausage Medallions Tossed Salad Orange Slices Oatmeal Raisin Cookies	9
12 Pasta Bolognese Broccoli & Tomato Salad Yogurt & Strawberries Apples	13 Grilled Chicken Pumpkin Risotto Sweet Corn Honeydew Melon Sugar Cookies	14 Meatball Subs Tater Tots Baby Carrots Grapes	15 Macaroni & Cheese Baked Chicken Nuggets Tossed Salad Pineapple Chocolate Pudding	16
19 Baked Ziti Sausage Medallions Spinach Salad Apples	20 BBQ Turkey Sandwich Oven Fries Chopped Salad Pineapple Chocolate Pudding	21 Winter Break	22 Winter Break	23 Winter Break
26 Winter Break	27 Winter Break	28 Winter Break	29 Winter Break	30 Winter Break



The H Generation



January 2012



<i>monday</i>	<i>tuesday</i>	<i>wednesday</i>	<i>thursday</i>	<i>friday</i>
2 Winter Break	3 Chicken Parmesan Rotini Pasta Spinach Salad Honeydew Melon Chocolate Chip Cookies	4 Tacos with lettuce, tomatoes, cheese & salsa Spanish Rice Fruit Salad	5 Cheese Lasagna Tossed Salad Orange Slices Blondies	6
9 Macaroni & Cheese Baked Chicken Nuggets Spinach Salad Apples	10 Seasoned Beef Strips Vegetable Fried Rice Peas Cantaloupe Melon Brownie	11 BBQ Riblets Oven Fries Green Bean Salad Fruit Salad	12 Chicken Alfredo Cavatappi Pasta Broccoli Bites Pineapple Applesauce Carrot Cake	13
16 Martin Luther King Holiday	17 Chicken Piccata Rotini Pasta Broccoli Bites Cantaloupe Melon Chocolate Chip Cookies	18 Boxed Lunch Turkey Sandwich Baby Carrots Chips, Fruit Cookies	19 Spaghetti & Meatballs Tossed Salad Grapes Vanilla Pudding	20
23	24 Teriyaki Beef Vegetable Fried Rice Fruit Salad Applesauce Carrot Cake	25 Sloppy Joes Sweet Potato Fries Cucumber Salad Pineapple	26 Macaroni & Cheese Baked Chicken Nuggets Carrot & Celery Sticks Honeydew Melon Sugar Cookies	27
30 Pasta Bolognese Tossed Salad Yogurt & Peaches Apples	31 Roasted Chicken Legs Parmesan Rice Roasted Green Beans Honeydew Melon Blondies	1 Roasted Turkey with Gravy Mashed Potatoes Broccoli & Tomato Salad Cantaloupe Melon	2 Chicken Quesadillas Spanish Rice Sweet Corn Pineapple Chocolate Chip Cookies	3



Q of A has American Math Challenge Bronze Award Winners!
Way to go!!

The American Math Challenge is a two-day, online math competition with warm-up competitions the week before. Last Wednesday and Thursday, students in grades 4-8 accepted the challenge. On Wednesday, they tested their knowledge of mathematical concepts with 50 activities to master. Each activity had 300 points available, with 15000 points being the highest score achievable for the whole day. On Thursday, students played Live Mathletics Levels, with the scores from the first 10 games on each level contributing to their final challenge score. The most exciting moments were watching the students compete with international students, as well as their school friends!!

Congratulations to the following students who earned Bronze Award Certificates in the American Math Challenge during the past two weeks. They solved 1000+ math problems!

4th Grade: Olumuyiwa Fashanu, Matthew Fonda, Wali Shaikh, and Fanceska Padilla

5th Grade: John Filipek

6th Grade: Adrien Henao, Matthew Do, and Matthew Tillson

7th Grade: Natalie Ledesma, Karan Mirpuri, Tommy Fonda, Seven Rowen, Jamie Pasha, Orlando Miguel, Glen Matzinger-Lash, Christopher Henao and Gabby Sampaio

Thank you to Mr. Doxzen for all of his last minute efforts to ready the computers for this challenge, as well as his support and patience during these exciting two weeks. Also, thank you to all of the students who participated, their parents and teachers for awarding them the opportunity to have math fun!

MEMO

Date: 10/7/2011
To: Parents
From: Queen of Apostles School Library

Re: Request for Book Fair Assistance – November 7th - December 11th

Parents who are interested in assisting with our school's **Bookworm book fair on November 7th – December 11th** are requested to either send in this completed form or e-mail Miss Killion at e.killion@queenofapostleschool.org with the following information AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Your assistance will be greatly appreciated.

PARENT'S NAME _____

STUDENT'S NAME _____

Monday, November 7th
Book Fair Preview

8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. _____ e-mail address _____

Tuesday, November 8th (“Lunch with Someone you Love” day for students with last names beginning with A-K)

8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. _____ e-mail address _____

11:30 a.m. – 4 p.m. _____ e-mail address _____

Wednesday, November 9th (“Lunch with Someone you Love” day for students with last names beginning with L-Z)

8:30 a.m.– 12:00 p.m. _____ e-mail address _____

12:00p.m. – 4:00 p.m. _____ e-mail address _____

Thursday, November 10th (Parent Teacher Conferences)

11:00 a.m. – 3 p.m. _____ e-mail address _____

Friday, November 11th (Parent Teacher Conferences)

8:30 – 12:00 _____ e-mail address _____

12:00 – 4:00 _____ e-mail address _____

QUEEN OF APOSTLES CATHOLIC SCHOOL
2011 AUCTION & FUNDRAISER

TOWN BOONWYN

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5TH
6:00 PM - 10:30 PM



TICKETS: \$50
PER PERSON OPEN SEATING

RESERVE A TABLE FOR 8
FOR AN ADDITIONAL: \$ 40

LIMITED AMOUNT OF RESERVED TABLES AVAILABLE - BOOK EARLY!

Detach Below This Line and Return to the School Office

RESERVATION FORM

NAME: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

_____ Adult Dinner Tickets @ \$50 each = \$ _____

_____ Table Reservation * @ \$40/table = \$ _____

*(Includes Raffle Ticket, Pitcher of Beer or Bottle of Wine)

_____ I am unable to attend but here is my donation of \$ _____

Please indicate if you need a tax deductible letter.

TOTALS: CASH \$ _____ CHECK \$ _____ (payable to Queen of Apostles PTO)

PARENTS...

Top Reasons to **GET EXCITED** about this year's **Q of A Annual Auction:**

- (1) \$2000 credit towards School Fees to 1 lucky winner
- (10) Extended Care Drop-Ins to 1 lucky winner
- (1) \$150 Uniform Gift Card from Flynn & O'Hara to 1 lucky winner
- Look like a hero! Purchase a Dress Down Pass for your child (up to 2 per student)



Get your Auction Raffle Tickets **TODAY!**

Please use 1 form PER CHILD. Please fill out the info below and turn it in with your check (made payable to Queen of Apostles School PTO) at the school office.

ITEM	COST PER ITEM	# OF TICKETS	TOTAL
Dress Down Pass (Purchase) – up to 2 per student allowed	\$5		
\$150 Uniform Gift Card (Raffle Ticket)	\$10		
(10) Extended Care Drop-Ins (Raffle Ticket)	\$25		
\$2000 credit towards School Fees (Raffle Ticket)	\$100		
		Amount on Check	

Parent's Name: _____

Student's Name & Grade: _____

Phone & Email: _____

Need Additional Info?

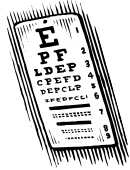
Contact Marina Cook at 703-942-8989 or fmcook@cox.net



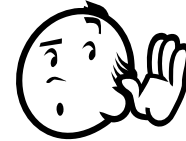
Queen of Apostles Catholic School

Vision and Hearing Screening

Sponsored by the LIONS CLUB



Volunteers Needed



For help with the screening and organizing students

Wednesday, November 9, 2011

Beginning at 8:30 a.m.

Interested Volunteers are asked to please
call the school office or email Mrs. Blackwell at
m.blackwell@queenofapostlesschool.org

Please give your name and telephone number

703-354-0714

Thank you for your help!

Maureen Blackwell, R.N.

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School Nurse