





## School News ...

"God looked at everything He made, and found it very good." Genesis 1:31

Check out   for more school news and pictures!

**Welcome Back & Happy New Year!** The staff would like to send a very special **THANK YOU** for the delicious tray of cookies and treats we received at Christmas. It was a wonderful variety and enjoyed very much by our families and holiday guests! THANKS to all the volunteers who arranged and delivered the trays. We are truly blessed by the kindness of the H.A. Parents!  
- Holy Apostles Faculty and Staff

**The January 10th Discipleship Wednesday will support Linden Grove Nursing Home.** Your generosity will support bus trips, special entertainment, holiday parties, and arts and crafts for their residents. Thank you in advance for your support of the January Discipleship Wednesday next week!

### School Calendar

#### Upcoming Dates:

**January 4**—Art Club, Forensics

**January 5**—All School Mass, January Birthday Table

**January 6 & 7**—Fellowship Weekend

**January 8**—Advanced Band, 9:30am Mothers with Munchkins meeting in the WC

**January 9**—Crescendo Choir

**January 10**—Lego League, Discipleship Wednesday, Beginner and Intermediate Band

**January 11**—Art Club, Forensics, 2nd grade Brownie Meeting

**January 12**—All School Mass

**January 15**—Advanced Band, 4th grade Girl Scout Troop Meeting, Quarterly and Semiannual Tuition Payments Due, Early Bird Auction Registration Deadline

**January 16**—Crescendo Choir

**January 17**—Intermediate and Beginner Band, Lego League

**January 18**—Art Club, Forensics

**January 19**—All School Mass

**January 20 & 21**—Fellowship Weekend

**January 21**—Lego League STATE Completion

**January 22**—Advanced Band

**January 23**—Crescendo Choir

**January 24**—Beginner and Intermediate Band

**January 25**—Art Club, Forensics

## Holy Apostles Parish and School *Dinner & Auction*



**Saturday,  
March 9, 2024**

**Ingleside Hotel  
2810 Golf Road, Pewaukee**

**Early Bird Registration  
begins December 1, 2023**

**Join us as we celebrate the Ultimate Derby Night!**

**Gather a table of 10 or be placed with fellow school parents.**

**Early Bird Registration ENDS January 15th!**



We mourn the loss of [Nicole Flynn](#), mom to Addison (7th grade) and wife to Ron. Please pray for her family during this difficult time.

Her visitation is scheduled at Holy Apostles Church for Saturday, January 6, 2024, from 9-11:15am. The funeral liturgy will immediately follow at 11:30am.

May she rest in God's peace and be risen in eternal glory!

**Reminder for inclement weather closures: Student transportation safety is of the utmost importance to all of us. We will continue to follow the New Berlin School District (SDNB) for observed “snow days” due to extreme cold temperatures/heavy snow. The SDNB has HA school family contact information included in their ROBO phone/email system for weather-related school closings. In case of a closure, the district will call, send an email, and text message the information.**

**The following information was shared with us by the SDNB superintendent:** When faced with bad weather and having to consider delaying or canceling school, I consult with other area school superintendents, SDNB administrators and other professionals. We typically begin with a conference call around 4 a.m. to discuss travel conditions, busing, and student/staff safety. We closely monitor all factors before making a decision.

Our typical threshold for canceling school, as it relates to wind chill, is negative 35 degrees. There are weather-related circumstances, however, that warrant the school day to be canceled even if wind chills do not reach the threshold. For example, extreme temperatures may affect the starting and running of buses, which would affect our decision regardless of the wind chill.

The following options may be used when weather conditions require a change in the school schedule:

1. Normal schedule - Buses will run normal schedule but may be late due to road conditions.
2. Delayed morning start with normal dismissal times - All pick-up times delayed two hours with normal p.m. dismissal times.
3. School closed - All activities cancelled for the day and evening.
4. Early release - Implemented to avoid pending inclement weather conditions to allow students to be dropped off prior to the dark evening hours.
5. Cancellation of after-school and evening activities.

Emergency Weather Information for the SDNB can be found on WTMJ - Channel 4; WITI - Channel 6; WOKY - AM 620; WKTI FM 94.5. The Holy Apostles School Facebook page (linked from our school website) will also be updated with closing information.

**Tax Statements for Tuition and Extended Care (Before School, Lunch Fun, Wrap Around Care and Kids Connection) will be sent home with your youngest child at Holy Apostles the week of January 22nd.** You will receive a Flocknote notification on the day they are coming home so you will know when to ask your child for the envelope. Thank you!

**Hot Lunch Schedule Update for January 15th & 22nd: New Berlin Public Schools will be off both dates.** HA hot lunch will be:

**January 15th**—Turkey, Cheese & Cracker Lunchable, peach cup, fresh carrots, chocolate chip cookie

**January 22nd**—Cheese Pizza Lunchable, applesauce cups, fresh broccoli, ice cream cup

# Home & School Association ...



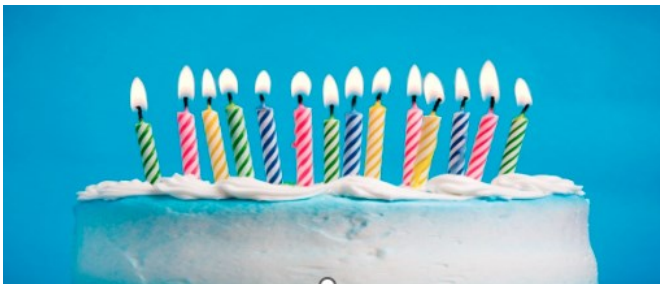
**Scrip Update!** Please have all Scrip orders placed or sent into school by 8:30 am on Monday order days. You may place an order three ways: send a completed form into school with a check made out to Holy Apostles Home and School OR order [online](#) OR send us an email of what you wish to purchase to [scrip@hanb.org](mailto:scrip@hanb.org).

**Upcoming Order/Pick Up Dates:**

January 8 / 11	April 1 / 4
January 22 / 25	April 15 / 18
February 5 / 8	April 29 / May 2
February 19 / 22	May 13 / 16
March 4 / 7	May 27 / 30
March 18 / 21	June 3 / 6

More information can be found on the [scrip website](#) or feel free to contact Elizabeth Carpentier at [eaopoter@uwalumni.com](mailto:eaopoter@uwalumni.com) for more details.

## Support HA Family Owned Business through SCRIP!



**Please join us for the January Birthday Table**  
**On Friday, January 5th during your student's lunch period.** PARENTS, GRANDPARENT, & OTHER SPECIAL PEOPLE ARE WELCOME! (Please be sure to enter the school through the main entrance by the flagpole.)

**Lunch Periods:**

K5 & 1 <sup>st</sup>	11:10 – 11:30
Middle School (Grades 6 – 8)	11:33 – 11:50
Intermediate (Grades 4 & 5)	11:55 – 12:12
Primary (Grades 2 & 3)	12:15 – 12:35
K4	12:20 – 12:50

For families new to HA: Birthday Table is a Home & School sponsored event where H&S provides cake to students who are celebrating their birthdays that month. During Birthday Table it is encouraged that you bring a special lunch and have lunch with your child! **If a special guest is not available for your child that day, your child may invite one friend to sit with them at the birthday table.**

**IMPORTANT MESSAGE IF YOU ARE ATTENDING: PLEASE SEND YOUR RSVP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE AT [SCHOOLOFFICE@HANB.ORG](mailto:SCHOOLOFFICE@HANB.ORG) TO GET YOUR BADGE PRE-PRINTED.**

## Marriage Enrichment Night

Guest Speakers  
Christine & Joe Winters



"Our Favorite Tips, Tools, & Tangible Takeaways for Couples at Any Stage of Marriage"

**Saturday, February 10th**

**Join us at Holy Apostles for a special date night with your spouse to grow in relationship with each other and God!**



<https://bit.ly/HAMarriageFeb1024>



**Mass, Dinner, Happy Hour, Discussion, & More!**

**Check out ALL community events**

Also check out the **parish** social media sites:



## Clubs and activities ...

**2023-2024 Holy Apostles Ski Club—Happy holidays!!! Please consider joining the HA Ski Club for the 2023-2024 season!!!!** The HA Ski Club is open to any HA student or child in the HA Parish ages 7 -18. On club nights, every member of the student's family receives the same great discounts on tickets (\$30) and rentals (\$30). On non-ski club nights after 3pm (excluding Saturdays), the child can use his or her annual ski pass to get ski club rates (\$30). Here's the info for your consideration:

**WHERE?** Alpine Valley Ski Resort in East Troy - an easy 25 min drive from New Berlin

**WHEN?** We will ski as a club on the following upcoming dates starting at 5:30pm.

**Friday 1/5, Friday 1/19, Friday 1/26, Friday 2/2 (afternoon, no school), Friday 2/16**

*\*Backup dates in the event of prior cancellation due to inclement weather:*

*Thursday 3/1 & Friday 3/8*

**Find out more [here](#). Permission slip can be found [here](#).**

## Community News & Camps...

### **Pius XI Winter Youth Dance Clinic - Friday, January 19th**

Join Pius XI's award-winning Varsity Poms team for a winter youth dance clinic on Friday, January 19th from 4:30 - 8:00pm at the Pius XI Field House. Participants will learn a short dance routine and have the opportunity to perform it that same night at the Varsity basketball game. Open to all K4 - 8th graders. Event fee of \$35 includes pizza dinner, t-shirt, poms, and hair bow. More information included on the flyer. Register by January 10th by visiting: <http://bit.ly/xipoms-clinic>.

Direct questions to Coach Karyn Schlacter at [piousxipoms@gmail.com](mailto:piousxipoms@gmail.com).