



# ST. ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

## **Lion's Roar: September 20, 2021**

Parents,

With safety as the utmost importance, St. Aloysius School employs a deputy each day to patrol the parking lots and to be a visible presence on campus. The deputy uses an Ipad with access to the almost 50 cameras on campus to monitor the campus during the school day. Due to Hurricane Ida, the deputies were deployed to other areas of our city/state to assist with more pressing needs; however, we are happy to report that they are back to their normal routine of being on campus each day.

One of the deputy's duties is to place the cones at the entrance of Carpool A/B at 7:40am as a visual for you to drive around to the school office to check your child(ren) into school. Carpool technically ends at 7:40am. Students are dismissed from the gyms at 7:40am, so the duty teachers must welcome their students in the classroom as school officially begins at 7:45am. Please understand that teachers have 25-30 students waiting at their doors, so they must leave the carpool area at 7:40am. We understand that Baton Rouge traffic has increased since Hurricane Ida, so please plan accordingly.

-Erin Candilora

***"The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart." Amen***

---

### **Important Dates-**

<b>Wednesday, September 22</b>	<b>7th/ 8th Class Mass</b>
<b>Thursday, September 30</b>	<b>Picture Retakes</b>
<b>Thursday, October 7</b>	<b>End 1st nine weeks</b>
<b>Friday, October 8</b>	<b>Fall Break, <u>No School</u></b>
<b>Monday, October 11</b>	<b>Fall Break, <u>No School</u></b>
<b>Tuesday, October 12</b>	<b>Conference Sign-up opens, 8:00pm</b>
<b>Monday, October 18</b>	<b>Conference Sign-up closes, 8:00pm</b>
<b>Wed.-Thurs., Oct. 20-21</b>	<b>5th-8th grade parent conferences; <u>No school for 5th-8th grade students</u></b>
<b>Friday, October 22</b>	<b>PreK-4th grade parent conference; <u>No school for PreK-4th grade students</u></b>

---

**UPCOMING MASS UNIFORM INFORMATION:** Per the handbook, dress uniform must be worn on Mass days. Boys must wear uniform pants on Mass days beginning with the October 13 mass.

---

**NEED TO ORDER LAST YEAR’S (2020-2021) YEARBOOK?**

Numerous families have reached out requesting copies of the sold out 2020-21 yearbook. After contacting the publishing company we are happy to announce that we can place another order. They can reprint a digital copy of the original book, which may be of lower quality. Due to the small batch reprint and shipping costs the books will be \$55. Please email [speneguy@aloysius.org](mailto:speneguy@aloysius.org) if your family is interested. If we receive enough orders, 25, we will place the order. We hope this helps and, once again, thank you for supporting our school.

**NEED TO ORDER THIS YEAR’S (2021-2022) YEARBOOK?**

There is a link to order the current year’s yearbook on the school website- (Parents/ Important Links/ Purchase a Yearbook).

---

**PICTURE RETAKES:** If your child was absent on picture day or would like to take retakes, Barberito Photography will return on Thursday, September 30 for individual picture retakes.

---

**Additional Carpool Decal Order:** If you are interested in purchasing an additional carpool decal, please use [this order form](#). The order will close on Friday, September 24.

---

**FLU SHOTS** - The CDC recommends that everyone 6 months and older receive an annual flu vaccine. We strongly encourage students and their families to get a flu vaccination this year. While most of our focus has been on COVID recently, the flu is still a major public health issue and we want to do everything we can to prevent the spread of any illness at our school.

---

**LIONS IN ACTION:**

**Football:**

Sunday 9/26 (4th) 12:30 @ St. Aloysius  
Sunday 9/26 (5th) 1:30 @ St. Aloysius  
Sunday 9/26 (8th) 3:00 @ St. Aloysius

**Girls’ Basketball:**

Developmental League:

DAY/DATE	SITE	GAME 1 @ 5:45	GAME 2 @ 6:30	GAME 3 @ 7:15
MON 20	MBS	MBS-ALOY(B) (5)	VAR	VAR
TUE 21	ALOY	ALOY(W)-OLOM(B) (5)	ALOY(B)-OLOM(W) (5)	ALOY(R)-THER (5)
THUR 23	ALOY	ALOY(R)-GEO(G) (3)	ALOY(W)-GEO(G) (4)	ALOY(R)-GEO(W) (4)

Varsity League:

DAY/DATE	SITE	GAME 1 @ 5:45	GAME 2 @ 6:30	GAME 3 @ 7:30
MON 20	MBS	DL	MBS-ALOY (6)	MBS-ALOY (8)
THUR 23	SJV	SJV-ALOY (6)	SJV-ALOY (7)	SJV-ALOY (8)

**Cross Country:**

Saturday, September 25: US Express Invitational @ Howell Park  
9:30 am Girls/10:00am Boys/ 10:30am Open

---

**THANK YOU-**

Special thanks to our Teacher Appreciation Committee co-chairs Mollie Carby and Aimee Woodard for providing "teacher tailgate" food for our September faculty meeting! We greatly appreciate the wonderful treat!

Thanks to Benjamin Nguyen for providing extra umbrellas for our carpool duty!

Thanks to Monica Waechter and Aimee Pecanovsky for donating ponchos for our faculty members to use for carpool duty.

---

**ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH FAIR:** The Fair requires over 700 volunteer shifts to be covered during the weekend! There are many opportunities available; volunteering is a wonderful service to our Church, Parish, and School, and the weekend would not be possible without our Parishioners. If you would like to volunteer, please visit the website [www.staloyusiusfair.org](http://www.staloyusiusfair.org) and access the Volunteer Signup to let us know how and when you would like to help.

The FAIR STORE is now open! <http://www.staloyusiusfair.org/store>

Please take note of the following deadlines:

- Fair T-shirt prices will increase by \$5.00 for any order placed on or after **Wednesday, October 6th.**
- Sizes for any order placed on or after October 6th will not be guaranteed.
- Last day to order St. Aloysius logo merchandise online is this Thursday, **September 23rd**, for guaranteed orders.
- Last day to order merchandise online (tickets, shirts) is **Wednesday, October 18th.**

PRIZE BOOTH DONATIONS: Please consider cleaning out your closet and donating gently used (or new!) stuffed animals to the prize booth. Donations can be dropped off at the Pastoral Services center starting now (please wrap in a plastic bag)! The Fair appreciates your donations!

---

***The mission of St. Aloysius School is to educate the whole child in the Catholic tradition for a life of meaning and purpose.***

## St. Aloysius Children's Choir Rehearsals start October 6th!



We have discussed COVID protocols, and ways to start our children's choir safely at St. Aloysius Church, and we feel comfortable beginning rehearsals on **Wednesday, October 6th!** We will rehearse with choristers in the church, to allow for more space between singers, and a larger air space, and the children will sing masked. They will have snack time before rehearsal outside, in the courtyard between the church and convent. When the mask mandate is lifted at school, we will discontinue wearing masks.

Students will rehearse every Wednesday. They will meet outside between the church and convent after school beginning at 2:45PM and will need to be picked up promptly at 4:30 PM in the church parking lot near the convent. A sign-up genius link will be sent soon to provide snacks for rehearsal.

**Our first mass to sing would be Sunday, November 21 @ 11AM, The Feast of Christ the King!**

We will not have a parent meeting, but please feel free to e-mail or call Children's Choir Director, **Danielle Laird** with any questions, or just to say hello! [dlaird@catholichigh.or...](mailto:dlaird@catholichigh.or...) and my cell is 225-733-1533. [Parents can click here to sign their child up!](#)

F A I T H F A M I L Y  
2021  
**glow**  
**fair**  
F U N  
S T . A L O Y S I U S

**October 22 - 24**



ST. ALOYSIUS  
*Women's Retreat*

NOVEMBER 18-21, 2021

Applications can be found online at [aloysius.org/acts-retreats](https://aloysius.org/acts-retreats)  
or a paper copy can be picked up in the Pastoral Services Center.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:**

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5 AT 4PM

**LEADERSHIP TEAM:**

ALLISON PHAM, DIRECTOR

ANN MICHAEL LAGARDE, CO-DIRECTOR

ASHLEY ROUSSEL, CO-DIRECTOR

TANYA BARES, SPIRITUAL COMPANION