

## Upcoming Events

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GRANDPARENTS' DAY

OCTOBER 27



FOODIE FEST

OCTOBER 27-29



ALL SAINTS' DAY &  
QUARTER AWARDS

NOVEMBER 1

# FAMILY BULLETIN

## Grandparents' Day, October 27th

### HUMAN FORMATION

Mass begins at 8:30AM. Special guests with children in the Loreto Center or the Rainbow Building will go to the classrooms to pick up their child and bring them to mass. Children in grades 1-7 will meet their guests in church. After mass, grandparents and grandchildren will be able to go to the classroom to meet their teacher, take pictures, and enjoy light refreshments. Look for brightly colored cards to be handed out after mass with a schedule for your family to follow. Grandparents' Day ends at 11:00AM. Grandparents are welcome to sign their grandchildren out and take them with them at that time. (Parents, please let your child's teacher know if they will be leaving with their grandparent or if they will be needing a school lunch.) Otherwise, all children must be picked up by 1:00 PM, as there is **no After Care** on this day as we will be setting up for the Foodie Fest.

## Join us for the Foodie Fest

### HUMAN FORMATION

Come out and join us the weekend of October 27th - 29th for some great food, awesome games, fun rides, and wonderful entertainment. Here are the bands that will be playing:

**Friday - Louisiana Spice 7:00 - 11:00 PM**

**Saturday - Uptown Phunk 7:00 - 11:00 PM**

**Sunday - Category 6 5:00 - 8:00 PM**

Please check out the school website for Ride Bracelet Order Forms.  
\$20 Ride Bracelet - Thursday Preview Night - St. Benilde students only!!  
\$60 Ride Bracelet - Friday, Saturday and Sunday - All rides, all the time!

## We love our Volunteers!

In order to make our Foodie Fest a success, we rely on volunteers just like you. Many have already signed up to make this important fund raiser a wonderful success. If you have not signed up or if you would be willing to work an extra shift, we have a wonderful website where you can choose your time and what booth you would like to help. It will even send you reminders for when you are scheduled to work. Please visit:

<https://signup.com/client/invitation2/secure/2042682/false#/invitation> (There is also a link on the school website.)



## The \$10,000 Raffle

The sale closes October 26

The St. Benilde Foodie Fest is October 27-29, 2017 on the St. Benilde School grounds! Proceeds from the Foodie Fest go to school improvement efforts, including updated learning resources, technology, classroom equipment, and school beautification.

This year, the Foodie Fest is doing a \$10,000 Reverse Raffle! Here is how it works...

- ❖ In a reverse raffle, you want to be the LAST number called... not the first. Starting with the opening of the Foodie Fest on October 27, we will pull numbered tokens every hour at the alumni booth. Numbers called will be eliminated from the chance at \$10,000.
- ❖ HOWEVER, we will have some “kicker” tokens in with the numbered tokens. If your token is pulled immediately after a kicker token, you can win one of several cash prizes and gift certificates. New this year, we will also have the Second Chance Kicker (your doubloon goes back into the drawing), and the Top Ten kicker (your doubloon goes back into the drawing when there are only ten chances left... meaning you get a 1/10 shot at winning the \$10,000).
- ❖ On Sunday evening during the last hour of the Foodie Fest, the owners of the last ten doubloons will be called to the stage. We will pull doubloons one at a time. After each doubloon is pulled, the remaining doubloon owners will be given a choice... they can either keep going or split the \$10,000 evenly among them. All of the

### Calendar

October 20: Trunk or Treat 7:00 - 9:00PM

October 27: Grandparents' Day - Mass at 8:30AM

October 27: Early Release Day - Dismissal at 1:00PM Campus Closes at 1:00PM ALL students must be picked up

October 27: St. Benilde Foodie Fest - Louisiana Spice Playing 7:00 - 11:00

October 28: St. Benilde Foodie Fest - Uptown Phunk playing 7:00 - 11:00

October 28: St. Benilde Foodie Fest - Category 6 playing 5:00 - 8:00

October 30: Campus Closed for Foodie Fest Cleanup

October 31: Halloween - Have fun, stay safe!

November 1: All Saints' Day Mass and Quarter Awards

doubloon owners must unanimously agree to split the money to do so... so if one holds out, we call the next doubloon!

Doubloons are on sale NOW! The sale closes October 26 or when the 400th token is purchased. So go to [501auctions.com/sbsgala](http://501auctions.com/sbsgala) and click on "\$10,000 Raffle" and buy your chance at big money!

## Fair Dance Schedule

### HUMAN FORMATION

Saturday	Sunday
1:00PM First Grade	1:00PM PreK 4
1:30PM Second Grade	1:30PM Kindergarten
2:00PM Third Grade	2:30PM Seventh Grade
2:30PM Fourth Grade	3:00 Cheerleaders
3:00PM Fifth Grade	
3:30PM Cheerleaders	

## All Saints' Day

### SPIRITUAL FORMATION

Please join us for mass at 8:15AM on November 1, 2017 - a holy day of obligation. Our faith filled worship will bring a smile to your face! We will also be celebrating the end of the first quarter with the first quarter awards after mass. We look forward to seeing you there.

## Foodie Fest T-Shirts Are In

### HUMAN FORMATION

The Foodie Fest T-Shirts are now in and have been sent home. Students may wear their shirts every Tuesday and Thursday with appropriate uniform pants/skirts/jumpers between now and the Foodie Fest on October 27-29! Come for the Food! Stay for the Fun!

# National Junior Honor Society

## ACADEMIC FORMATION

Congratulations to our newly inducted National Junior Honor Society Members. These seventh grade students have demonstrated excellence in the areas of Scholarship, Leadership, Service, and Character. We are pleased to be able to recognize them for their accomplishments and efforts.



### NJHS Inductees for 2017-2018

Katherine Aranda

Brianna Copping

Blake Eddings

Noah Flynn

Morgan Grice

Haley Guidry

Xavier Powell

Eleanor Quinette

Jacob Razmus

# Help Wanted

## HUMAN FORMATION

St. Benilde School announces the following positions are currently open.

**Early Childhood Formation:** The Loreto Early Learning Center is a division of St. Benilde School serving infants and toddlers Monday - Friday from 7 AM - 6 PM. We are currently seeking energetic and hardworking employees to work as assistant teachers/ substitutes in our programs. We can offer both full time and part time positions. Pay ranges from \$10 - \$18 per hour depending upon the individuals experience and degree level. A competitive benefits package including medical, dental, vision, 401K, and tuition discounts is available to full time employees. All applicants must be able to

pass a criminal background check and complete all required training by the Archdiocese of New Orleans Office of Safe Environment as a condition of employment. Candidates with experience working in Early Childhood or a degree in Early Childhood Education is preferred but not necessary.

To apply, please print and complete the early childhood staff application at this link: <https://www.stbenilde.com/documents/2016/8/EARLY%20CHILDHOOD%20TEACHER%20APPLICATION%20copy.pdf>. You may then either mail to the school (1801 Division St., Metairie, LA 70001) or email to [jkelly@stbenilde.com](mailto:jkelly@stbenilde.com).

**Substitute Teachers:** St. Benilde School is now looking for substitute teachers for PK3 - 7th grade. Qualified applicants must have at least a high school diploma. Candidates with degrees in education, early childhood, or a related field are preferred. All applicants must be cleared through the Office of Safe Environment and complete a criminal background check to be considered for employment. If you or someone you know is interested, please contact Mrs. Valerie Perez – Interim Principal, – at school (504-833-9894) or via email: [vperez@stbenilde.com](mailto:vperez@stbenilde.com).

**After Care Counselors:** The After Care Counselor works in the school's After Care program for children in Grades K-7. After Care Counselors are responsible for providing direct care to the children in their assigned classroom under the supervision of the Director of Faith and Human Formation. The candidate will - at a minimum - be a high school graduate, be able to pass a state and federal criminal background check, and be cleared through the Office of Safe Environment for the Archdiocese of New Orleans. If interested, email Cecilia Wilson at [cwilson@stbenilde.com](mailto:cwilson@stbenilde.com).

More information and applications can be found at <http://www.stbenilde.com/employment-opportunities>.