



Kid Konnection

St. Peter's Episcopal School



November 2021

Message from the Director, Janet Boutin


November gives those of us at St. Peter's School a special opportunity to count the many blessings God has given us. Most importantly, we are all blessed to have your children at our school. Their happy faces are a constant joy to all of our staff. We are also very thankful for the tremendous support of our families through participation in our Parent Association. As Director, I am privileged to work with such a dedicated staff of loving teachers. Our staff is committed to everyone's safety, providing the best early education and ongoing opportunities to explore and grow in God's world. They deserve our thanks.

November is Parent/Teacher conference month at St. Peter's. This year, due to our COVID Guidelines, in-person conferences will be limited. However, every teacher will send home checklists of your child's progress and samples of their work. These checklists are given out in the Fall and Spring to help guide lesson planning, class activities and to help set goals for your child. Please visit the [Church Facebook](#) page to see pictures of ongoing school activities and see the joy your children are experiencing at school.

Please mark your calendars for two special chapels. **Wednesday, November 17th**, is our "Feed the Hungry" Chapel; students will collect much needed canned items for CAM (Christian Assistance Ministry) local food bank. **Wednesday, December 8th**, is our Annual St. Nicholas/Toy Chapel. We will collect Christmas presents for the young children of Divinity Family Services. Divinity cares for area children in CPS care and our hope is to make their holidays a little brighter. Both of these special chapels help our children to experience the joy of giving and helping others in our community.


Have a blessed Thanksgiving holiday!





Thank You!

Special Blessings!



The Haynes Family for the small house for our playground! The children love it!


The Cheney Family for donating more packages of pull-ups to help when families run low on supply!

The Cottage Shop for the large bookcase to put at one of our teacher work areas.



HEB for donating prizes for the Fall Fest!

The Martinez and Lehmann Families for brand new toy donations for our Wobblers! The toys are a hit!

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Important Dates

- Fall Fest:** Thursday, November 4th; 5:30—7:00 pm; Both Playgrounds. 
- Parent Association Meeting:** Friday, November 5th @ 8:30 am; Tucker Hall/MPR.
- Daylight Savings Time Ends:** Sunday, November 17th.
- School Board Meeting:** Monday, November 8th.
- School Closed:** Friday, November 12th in observance of Veteran's Day.
- Feed The Hungry Chapel:** Wednesday, November 17th. Please send non-perishable foods anytime between now and Nov. 18th for local distribution (CAM). 
- Thanksgiving Feast:** Friday, November 19th. This year, the Feast will be held in each classroom. The children will feast on turkey, cheese, fruit, etc. The School will let you know what food item your child's class will be providing for the Feast. Feast items can be dropped off at carpool.
- Thanksgiving Holidays:** Monday-Friday, November 22nd—26th. No School.
- St. Nicholas/Toy Chapel:** Wednesday, December 8th. Please send a gift offering that will be donated to the children helped by Divinity Family Services. Please limit your gift items for children under 5 years of age. **Also, do not wrap the gifts.** We give these gifts instead of exchanging classroom gifts.



BE THANKFUL



Thank you


Episcopal School Sunday

Parish members donated \$1,481.00 towards the School's Scholarship Program.



Thank you
St. Peter's Staff

God is love



St. Peter's Episcopal School
Celebrating 53 years
1969 - 2021/22

We are proud to announce St. Peter's School's legacy program:

"The Best Beginnings"

This program has been established to secure the School's future for years to come. When planning your estate, remember our School. Your donations will help to control future tuition costs, supplement scholarships, upkeep the playgrounds, assure the classrooms have educational materials and technology, help to recruit and retain high quality staff and much more.

To learn more about the "Best Beginnings" Legacy Program contact the School Office at stpeterskerrville@hotmail.com or 830-257-0257. The legacy form can be downloaded from our website: www.stpeterskerrville.com. The form is simple and does not require an attorney.

Thank you

Amy Rector, School Board President
Janet Boutin, School Director

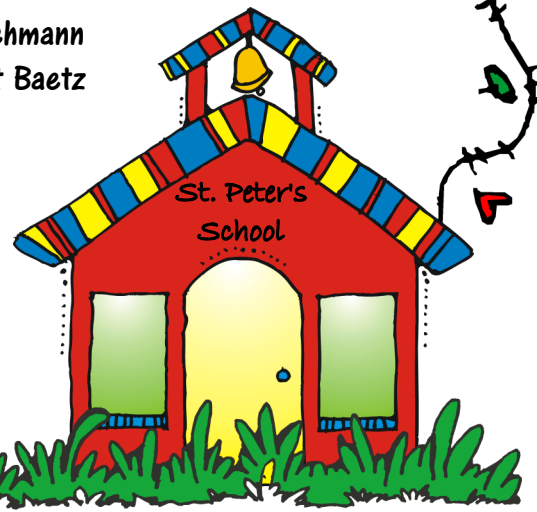
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child
of
God



Health and Safety News

As a result of House Bill 2086 that passed during the 81st Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 42 of the Human Resource Code will be amended to include Section 42.064 requiring that information about **gang-free zones** be distributed to parents and guardians of children in care at licensed child care centers.

What is a gang-free zone? A gang-free zone is a designated area around a specific location where certain gang related activity is prohibited and is subject to increased penalty under Texas law. Specific locations where certain gang related criminal activity is now prohibited include, but are not limited to, public schools, playgrounds, video arcade facilities, and day care centers.

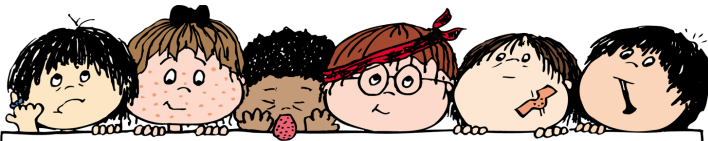
The area that falls within a gang-free zone can vary depending on the type of location. For example, certain gang-related criminal activity that occurs within 300 feet of a video arcade facility is a violation of the new law, whereas certain gang-related criminal activity that occurs within 1000 feet of a school or day care center is a violation of the law.

How do parents know where the gang-free zone ends? The gang-free zone is within 1000 feet of your child care program. Maps may be produced for the purposes of prosecution and may be updated by the local municipal or county engineer. Parents may contact their local municipality to attempt to obtain a copy of the map if they choose to do so.

At St. Peter's School, the safety of our students is always our top priority. Contact the School Office if you have any questions. Thank you.



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KEEPING KIDS HEALTHY

1. Keep students home if they are sick, help us prevent illness from spreading.
2. Have children wash hands frequently with soap and water. Wash for 20 seconds.
3. Cover your mouth and nose when coughing or sneezing. We teach them to cough into their elbow (not their hands).
4. Seek medical attention early if your child has flu like symptoms.

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Health is the condition of wisdom and the sign of cheerfulness' Emerson

Please ...

do not bring a sick child to school. Children must be "fever free" for 24 hours in order to return to school.

Regular hand washing keeps the germs away.

boo boos happen!



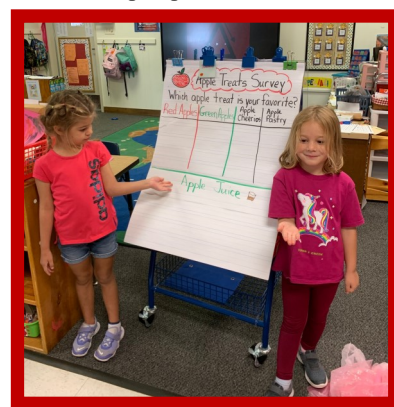
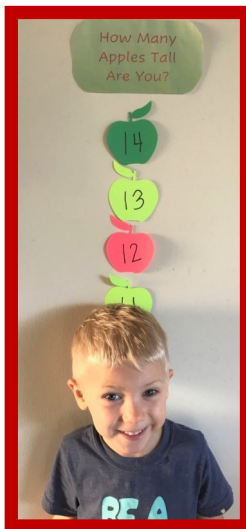
Pre-K 4's



Tasting Apples!

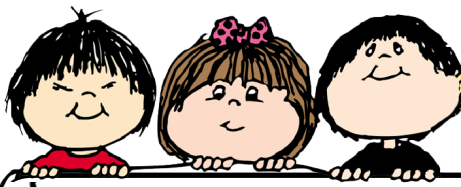


Sorting Apples!

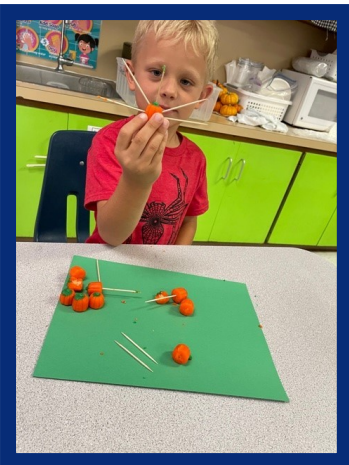


Painting With Apples!



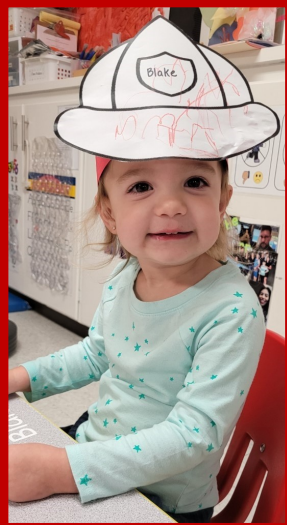


You can learn something everyday if you listen



Kinder Stem Time

(science, technology, engineering and math)



Thank You ... KFD!



Fire Prevention Week October 2021



See more school photos visit: [St. Peter's Church Facebook](#)



Fire Prevention Week

FIREMAN

