



SCB Newsletter - October 26, 2026

"I'm so glad I live in a world where there are Octobers."
— L.M. Montgomery

SCB Families,

Happy Halloween week! We are looking forward to a fun week filled with fall festivities, excitement, and plenty of school spirit. Students are invited to wear black and orange tops this Friday to celebrate Halloween!

Our big event this week is the SCB Fall Festival this Friday! It promises to be a wonderful evening of community, family fun, and Halloween festivities. We hope you will join us! Please be sure to register so we know to expect you. You can find all the details and registration information here: [Fall Fest Info!](#)

It is hard to believe November is already around the corner! Our next big SCB event will be the school musical, and we hope you will come out to support our talented students. Tickets are available [here](#).

Wishing everyone a safe and happy Halloween! We look forward to celebrating with you this Friday at Fall Fest!

St. Charles Borromeo, Pray for us.

Beth O'Reilly
Principal, SCB

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P.S This newsletter is a little long this week, make sure you scroll down and expand to see all of the content.



Upcoming Events:

October:

October 26 - 28: Accreditation Visit

October 27: All School Mass

October 28: Noon Dismissal

October 28: Auction Shirt Day

October 28: Oceans 5 Arcade Takeover (3pm-9pm)

October 30: SCB Fall Fest (Details below!)

October 30: Basketball Registration closes for MS girls and 3rd - 5th grades



November:

November 2: SCOPE Boosterthon Kick-Off

November 4: St. Charles Feast Day - All School Mass

November 6: Veterans Day Assembly

November 10: School Musical Preview

November 10: School Commission Meeting @ 5pm

November 11: No School - Veterans Day

November 12: Picture Retake Day

November 12: School Musical 7pm

November 13: SCOPE Boosterthon Glow Run Event

November 13: School Musical 7pm

November 14: Musical Dinner Theater 5:30pm

November 15: School Choir sings at 10am Mass

November 17: SCOPE Meeting @ 6:30pm

November 18: Auction Shirt Day

November 18: Primary Mass

November 20: SCOPE Coffee & Mini Meeting

November 23 - 27: No School Thanksgiving Break (Preschool - 8th Grade)

November 23 -25: Toddler Program Open Regular Hours

Rooted in Faith, Anchored in Hope. Annual Fund



Excellence in Education Annual Fund

ROOTED IN FAITH,
ANCHORED IN HOPE

"Building Strong Foundations. Inspiring Endless Possibilities"

Week 5 Campaign Update

Ways to Give:

- You will receive a donation/pledge card in the coming weeks with a letter requesting your participation. Your contribution can be made at any time.
- We gladly accept cash, checks, credit cards, stock transfers, and company matched gifts.
- You can donate online, by clicking on the button below:

THANK YOU!

Our current total is:

\$41,687

with

10%

School Family Participation

**FOR THE 2026-2027
ANNUAL FUND!**

Donate to the "Rooted in Faith, Anchored in Hope" Annual Fund Campaign



Every donation is important!

Many small donations become a large donation. You might also consider a monthly donation over the next 10 months; a donation of \$20 a month becomes \$200 after 10 months.

All donations, whether large or small, are needed, welcomed and appreciated!

Upcoming Charges in FACTS

Please watch your accounts for the upcoming charges in FACTS:

- 1st grade field trip to playhouse

More SCB News and Information

Quick Notes:

Black & Orange Day:

To celebrate Halloween, we invite our students to wear a black and/or orange shirt on this Friday, October 30th. Please note, all students must wear uniform bottoms.

Vaccine Clinic:

SCB will be hosting a vaccine clinic to get ready for flu season on Thursday, October 29th. Please use [this private Sign-Up Genius](#) to reserve your appointment.

You can find the required forms [here](#).



If you want us to escort your child to their appointment, please have them bring their forms to school with them on the day of the clinic.

Lunch Menu:

Our October hot lunch menu is now available on our website.

You can also click here to view: [October Lunch Menu](#)

Substitutes Needed:

We are looking for substitute teachers for the upcoming school year. If you are interested in applying, please contact Mrs. Kuzmanich at vkuzmanich@stcharlesb.org

Spirit Wear Store:

We have a new Spirit Wear through our Ink Ink partner! If you are interested in purchasing, please visit our Spirit Store website here: [SCB Spirit Wear Store](#)

Please note: Items in our Spirit Wear Stores are NOT uniform approved and may not be worn in lieu of uniform pieces.

Veterans Day Photos & Stars

Photo Information:

As we begin preparing for Veterans Day, please send us your photos of your to scbsocial@stcharlesb.org

Please include:

Name

Rank

Military Branch



Star Information:

If you would like to hang a star in Feist Hall to recognize your veteran, please fill out the following form, and we will send a star home for you to fill out!

[Star Request Form](#)

Charlie and the Chocolate Factory Musical Tickets on Sale Now!

Tickets to this year's Musical, Charlie and the Chocolate Factory are on sale now!

Show Times:

Thursday, November 12th @ 7pm

Friday, November 13th @ 7pm

Saturday, November 14th @ 5:30pm (Dinner Theater)

[Purchase Your Tickets Here!](#)



Christmas Wreaths are Available

Support Boy Scouts Troop 294 and purchase your Christmas wreaths.

Wreath pick up will be at St. Charles:
Saturday, November 21st from 5:30pm - 6:30pm Sunday,
November 22nd from 8:30am - 1:00pm

Purchase your wreaths here by November 15th!

SUPPORT SCB BOY SCOUT TROOP 294!

CHRISTMAS WREATH SALE

Order online for local pick up
www.scbtroop294.com

Local Pick up: St. Charles Borromeo School Gym
Sat, Nov 21 st 5:30 - 6:30 - Sun, Nov 22 nd 8:30 - 1:00

Can't make it to pick up or want to send a wreath to friends and family out of town? Ship direct from LCF.
https://www.lyndecreewreaths.com/?campaign_id=7844853

St. Charles Fall Fest

St. Charles Fall Fest

THIS Friday, October 30th
6:00pm - 8:30pm

Join us for our first-ever St. Charles Fall Fest! We're excited to bring our community together for an evening of fall fun for the whole family.

You will be able to enjoy:

- Trunk-or-Treat
- Trunk-or-Treat Decor Competition
- Costume Competition
- Cake Walk
- Carnival Games
- Beer and Wine Garden

Come hungry—Chick-fil-A and Starvin' Marvin's Hot Dog Truck will be on site with food available for purchase.

Admission is \$10 per family. Carnival games and the cake walk will require activity tickets, which can be purchased separately.

Gather your family and friends and join us as we kick off what we hope will become a favorite St. Charles tradition! Visit our website for complete event details, activity ticket information, and everything you need to know before you go.

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER TO ATTEND FALL FEST HERE!](#)

Fall Fest Volunteers Needed!

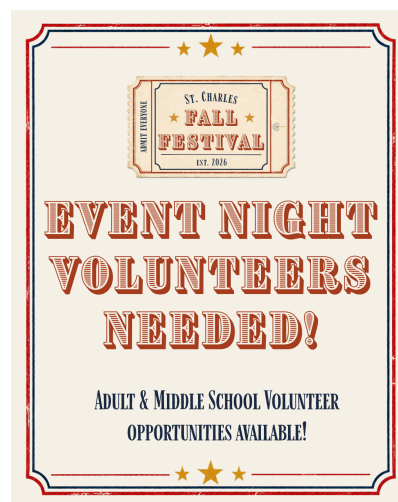
We have both adult and middle school volunteer opportunities for our Fall Fest which will take place on October 30th.

Please take a look to see where you can help!

Adult Volunteer Opportunities

Middle School Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteer to Bring Cupcakes for the Cake Walk



SCOPE

SCOPE is our parent/teacher organization.

SCOPE stands for St. Charles Organization of Parents & Educators.

This is a great way to get involved in the school and community, find out about events, and meet new families. We would love for you to join us!

Ocean5 Arcade Takeover

Date: Wednesday, Oct. 28th

Time: 3pm - 9pm.

Location: Ocean5 in Gig Harbor

When you visit Ocean5's arcade on Wednesday October 28th, 50% of the proceeds will come back to SCB!



Our SCB Glow Run Fundraiser is coming soon!

REGISTER TODAY!



Our Boosterthon Glow Run is SCOPE's largest fundraiser of the year!

This year our goal is to raise: \$42,000.

We use this money to reimburse our teachers for additional classroom supplies that benefit each of our students!

★ **Key Dates:**

🖥️ October 19th - Sign up opens at [MyBooster.com](https://mybooster.com)

🎉 November 2nd - Kickoff at SCB!

👟 November 13th - Glow Run Event Day

Visit [MyBooster.com](https://mybooster.com) today to register!

POP! Art Affair Applause Auction



Auction Made Easy

Auction Made Easy is your one stop to complete all your auction requirements!

Auction Made Easy includes:

- 2 auction t-shirts OR 1 sweatshirt
- A \$200 donation to Super Shopper
- 1 tuition raffle ticket
- 1 Auction Photo Bundle (1 printed & digital photo)
- Your child(ren)'s participation in Procurement Free Dress Day, March 19th, 2027
- Your child(ren)'s participation in Auction Free Dress Week, May 17-21,



Auction T-Shirts & Sweatshirts

If you'd prefer to just purchase an Auction T-shirt or Sweatshirt, they are now available on our website!

Students may wear their Auction T-shirts or Sweatshirts on marked calendar days and on any Spirt Shirt Day.

T-shirts & Sweatshirts will be available for pick up during the SCB Information Fair on September 1st.

[Click here to purchase Auction Made
Easy!](#)

2027-2028 Enrollment Information

Applications for the 2027-2028 Academic Year are Now Open for NEW students

Applications for the 2026-2027 school year are now open for new students.

Re-Enrollment for current students will run from December 21, 2026 – January 9, 2027. All existing students at SCB receive re-enrollment links via email to re-enroll for their spots for next year.

If you have a new student who you would like to enroll for the 2027-2028 school year, please be sure to fill out an application for them. **This includes siblings of current students.**



Financial Aid Applications for the 2027-2028 Academic Year are Now Open!

Applications for Financial Aid are now open for the 2027-2028 academic year. All applicants for tuition scholarships must be completed on the online FACTS Grant & Aid website by December 31, 2026.

This is for consideration for both Fulcrum financial aid as well as our St. Charles Endowment aid.

Please click here to be directed to the online application.

Tuition Rates for the 2027-2028 Academic Year

Tuition will be set in December for the 2027-2028 academic year.

In-Parish Tuition & Scholarship Applications:
Apply now!

Due by February 28th 2027 for consideration.
This is a hard deadline.

In-Parish Tuition Rate Applications for 27-28 School Year

FOR SCB STUDENTS
KINDERGARTEN- 8TH GRADE

OPEN NOW!



For more information, visit
our website or contact us at
253-564-5185



SCB Club Corner

Club Corner

Click on the links below to register for:

- **Athletics** (also see below)
- **Bricks for Kids**
- **Chess**
- **Choir**
- **Coding Club**
- **Creative Kids Dance**
- **Karate**
- **Rainbow Parrot Art**
- **Robotics**
- **Yoga & Mindfulness**



SCB Social Social Club!

St. Charles Borromeo has launched the SCB Social Social Club, a fun new way for students, faculty, and staff to get involved in our school's social media! Whether it's participating in reels, photos, interviews, trends, or other fun content, we want to feature more of the people who make SCB special!

We have three separate sign-up forms for faculty and staff, younger students, and middle school students. Signing up does not guarantee a feature, and participation is always optional!

Sign Up Here:

- 2YO–4th Grade (Parent/Guardian Sign-Up): **Sign Up for our 2 year old - 4th Grade Social Club**
- 5th–8th Grade (Student Sign-Up): **Sign Up for our 5th - 8th Grades Social Club**

Please note: Signing up does not change existing photo permissions. Students on the school's No Photo List will not be featured, even if a form is completed.

SCB Athletics



Middle School Girls Basketball & Grades 3 - 5 Girls & Boys Basketball Registration is Open!

Click to Register: [Register for Sports Here!](#)

Reminder - all Middle School Sports need a physical on file in the main office to participate.

Email scbathletics@stcharlesb.org with questions.

Facilities Updates

Gym Update

Our Fund-an-Item Gym Refresh is well underway, and we are excited to share some updates! Our new padded chairs and scorer's table have arrived, our brand-new scoreboard has officially been installed, new signage is up, and the gym has received a fresh coat of paint! We are also looking forward to the arrival of our new bleachers, basketball backstops, and volleyball equipment this fall.



Thanks to the incredible generosity of our St. Charles community, our gym is getting a much-needed refresh that will benefit our students and athletes for years to come. We are so grateful for your continued support and can't wait to share more updates as everything comes together!



Feist Hall Update

We are excited to share that our Feist Hall Refresh is moving forward!

Our brand-new stage has arrived and will be assembled in time for our school musical!

We are also working closely with our Parish partners to plan additional improvements that will enhance Feist Hall for our students, families, and the entire St. Charles community.

Counselor Corner

to know more about Catholicism, come join us!

Please click here to register for Teen OCIA:
**2027 Teen Becoming Catholic (OCIA) |
Archdiocese of Seattle**

Please click here to register for Adult
OCIA: **2027 Becoming Catholic (OCIA)
Registration | Archdiocese of Seattle**

For any questions, please contact Candyce
Ochoa at cochoa@charlesleo.org or
(253) 366-9203

Please click here to register for Adult
Confirmation: **2027 Adult Confirmation
Registration | Archdiocese of Seattle**

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