

Dear Parents:

Only four days remain until the end of the first quarter and the start of Fall Break! Thank you all so much for a great start to a difficult school year. Please make sure you see the notes below on the St. Lawrence Live and Parent/Teacher Conferences.

God Bless!

Mr. Detzel

TAG Day September 30th – We will be having a TAG Day to benefit St. Lawrence LIVE next Wednesday, September 30th. Any student that brings in \$1 or more may be out of uniform. The class that brings in the most money and the class with the highest percentage of participation will win a prize. They can slime Mr. Detzel, pour a bucket of ice water on him, or throw a pie in his face. They could also pity our principal and choose a movie day. Please help us support St. Lawrence LIVE on our TAG day.

Congratulations Ivy Studer – Congratulations to Ivy Studer who won her age category for the Tall Tale Writing Contest at the Lawrenceburg Public Library. Way to go, Ivy!

St. Lawrence Live – Just a reminder that you have until Wednesday, Sept. 30, to secure your At-Home Experience kit for St. Lawrence LIVE. Please complete the attached flier and submit payment by Wednesday, Sept. 30. Raffle ticket sales are underway. Please see the flier in your Friday folders to make your raffle selections. Split-the-pot ticket sales begin after Mass on Sunday, Sept. 27. We'll be selling these tickets next week in car line, too. A \$100 buy-in gives you a chance to win \$5,000. Only 100 tickets will be sold. Get yours fast. Contact Amanda Corsmeier directly for questions about split-the-pot (call or text: 859-866-3219). As a reminder, St. Lawrence LIVE 2020 is a virtual event on Saturday, Oct. 17. We'll go live on Facebook that night to draw split-the-pot and raffle winners. Please plan to participate in this important fundraiser for our school!

Parent/Teacher Conferences – Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held either virtually or via telephone during the week of October 19th – October 23rd. Teachers will be sending out information before fall break.

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Important Dates

9/30/20 – TAG Day for \$1 or more
- Flu Shots
10/1/20 – End of 1st Quarter
10/2/20 – 10/11/20 – FALL BREAK
10/12/20 – Return from Fall Break
10/17/20 – St. Lawrence LIVE

Academic Corner –

Reading and Writing Tips

Sight Word Activities

Slide and Find

Your youngster can reveal sight words hidden in rice. First, cut a sheet of construction paper to fit inside a plastic zipper bag. Write 15–20 sight words in random places on one side of the paper, slide it into the bag, and have your child add scoops of dry rice until the page is covered. Seal the bag, and lay it flat on the table. He/She should use his/her finger to slide the rice around through the plastic and say each word as he/she uncovers it.

Park and Read

Let your youngster draw a parking lot for her/his toy cars on poster board or construction paper. In each parking space, have him/her write a sight word (*was, they, because*). As he/she parks each car, he/she reads the word in its spot. Or call out any word in the lot, and he/she has to park a car in the space labeled with that word.♥

