

St. Thomas Aquinas Early Childhood Center News

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Dear Families and Friends,

January was very exciting! We had a tornado drill, a fire drill, and we even had St. Thomas Aquinas (Deacon Mel) come visit our school and tell us about his life. Thank you to all who participated in our Catholic Schools Week Celebrations! The children had so much fun!

I am looking forward to our "Share the Love" dinner and silent auction Friday, February 17th from 7pm-10pm. We have lots of great items to bid on! I hope to see you all there!!

Ash Wednesday is on March 1st. The children and families can receive ashes in the courtyard at 9:15. As we begin our season of Lent we encourage the children to show their love of Jesus through acts of kindness.

Thank you for your continued support of our school! We are so blessed to have you be a part of our St. Thomas Aquinas ECC family "Where Faith, Fun and Learning Begin".

Happy Valentine's Day!

Blessings,
Miss Alicia

Reminders & Updates:

- We have a new EC2 class opening on February 28! Welcome back to Miss Janine, who will be teaching this class! Miss Janine was a teacher at STA ECC for many years. We are so glad to have her back!
- Registration has now opened to the public. If you have not yet registered your child for next school year, please do so as soon as possible so we can hold their spot! Remember, if you refer a family to our school and they start in the fall, you will receive a \$25 credit to your account!
- As a reminder, please be sure to sign your child in on the pink Lunch Bunch sheet if they are staying. Also, mark if they will be participating in an enrichment program. Children that stay for LB during the parenting class should also be signed in. Thanks for your help!



Upcoming Events

February 1

Timeless Tales "Princess & the Frog" Ilam Parish Hall

February 3

Courtyard celebration/Family picnic - Ilam - NO LUNCH BUNCH

February 6

Open registration begins

February 17

Share the Love Dinner/Silent Auction 7pm

March 1

Ash Wednesday - Ashes in the courtyard at 9:15am

March 10

Family Movie Night 6pm

Meet Our Staff

EC1

Miss Kelly & Miss Adrienne - Room 5&6

Miss Kim & Miss Pam - Room 7

EC3

Miss Holly & Miss Gia - Room 9

Miss Lauren & Miss Gia - Room 8

EC2

Miss Holly & Miss Annette - Room 9

Miss Janine - Room 11 & 12

Alicia Mumma, Director

Kari Glenny, Admin. Assistant

Father Mike, Pastor

Father George, Asst Pastor

Share the Love Dinner and Silent Auction



Please join us for our 2nd Annual Share the Love Dinner & Silent Auction! Enjoy a night out with friends at Seven Springs Country Club on February 17! Dinner is included, and a cash bar is available. All proceeds will benefit STAECC. Tickets can be purchased in advance in the ECC office. Hope to see you there!



Yoga with Miss Kristin!

Tax Time

It's that time of year again! For tax purposes, the Tax ID for St. Thomas Aquinas Early Childhood Center is

59-2049056



Parent Group Update

Dear Parents and Families,

Our big spring fundraiser, Share the Love, is just a few days away. Make sure to get your tickets! This is a fun, adults only night out with lots of great auction items. Thank you to all the families who attended our eating around town at Moe's. There will be a few more fun events coming up, including our spring Family Movie Night, so be sure to keep an eye out!

Sincerely,
Tiffany, Kortnee & Laura

Circle of Security Parenting Class

Miss Kelly will be teaching this class on Mondays from 12:15-1:15 in the ECC office beginning 1/23. This class is free! Learn more at www.circleofsecurity.com.



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