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Nov. 12, 2025

Dear Parents and Guardians:

Welcome to the most exciting time of the year! We are busily getting ready for the holidays, resuming and starting traditions.

Please note that fundraising and tuition must be current for November in order to get report cards. Should they not be current, report cards will be held in the office. The office is happy to assist you with this.

Please remember that the school is closed from 11/24 through 11/30 for Thanksgiving break. We return to school on December 1.

There will be a Toys for Tots event at St. Celestine School on Dec. 7.

St. Celestine School will be hosting a Christmas Pageant on Thursday, December 11 at 7:00 pm. Details about the pageant will be in upcoming Brown Envelopes.

The Annual Mass and Tree Trimming will be on December 14 at 11am. We hope you can join us.

With Gratitude and Blessings,

Sheila M. Klich
Principal

Red Robin® will give

**20% OF FOOD SALES*
BACK TO**

ST. CELESTINE PARENTS' CLUB

**Show this flyer or simply mention the fundraiser to
your server to have your sales counted.**

FUNDRAISER DETAILS

4230 North Harlem Ave, Norridge, IL 60706

November 12, 2025*

If ordering online, please follow these instructions:

- 1** Start your order at redrobin.com/order and select the restaurant above.
- 2** In the menu, go to the category labeled "Fundraisers (To-Go Only)" and click on that item.
- 3** Click the "add" button, and then "add to bag."
- 4** Add your meal items and check out.
- 5** Arrive at Red Robin, come in, say hi, grab your food and be on your way! If your location has curbside pick-up, we can bring it to your car too!

*Fundraiser during restaurant operating hours. Visit redrobin.com and find this location to view hours. Donation based on all eligible net dine-in and to-go food sales only. Excludes sales from catering (at select locations), 3rd party ordering and delivery sites, alcohol, gift cards, retail, tax and gratuity. Offer void if flyer is distributed in or near the restaurant during fundraiser day & hours.

Red Robin

St Celestine Athletics presents

TRIVIA NIGHT

Friday November 14th

Doors open at 6, games start at 7
St Celestine Gym

- Ages 21 and older only
- Beer, wine, soda, and water available for purchase
- \$20 per person
- Prizes for overall winner, best table theme, along with various games throughout the night
- Raffle items will be available
- Please send cash or check payable to St Celestine Athletics to Sandra Mazzeffi % Annie Mazzeffi Room 211
- RSVP DUE NOVEMBER 5TH
RSVP: <https://forms.gle/4nkQPqfFxdHfA3pZ8>
Questions: email Sandra.Mazzeffi@gmail.com



ST CELESTINE SCHOOL

4TH-8TH GRADE VOLLEYBALL 2025-2026

Join the team and be part of
something awesome!

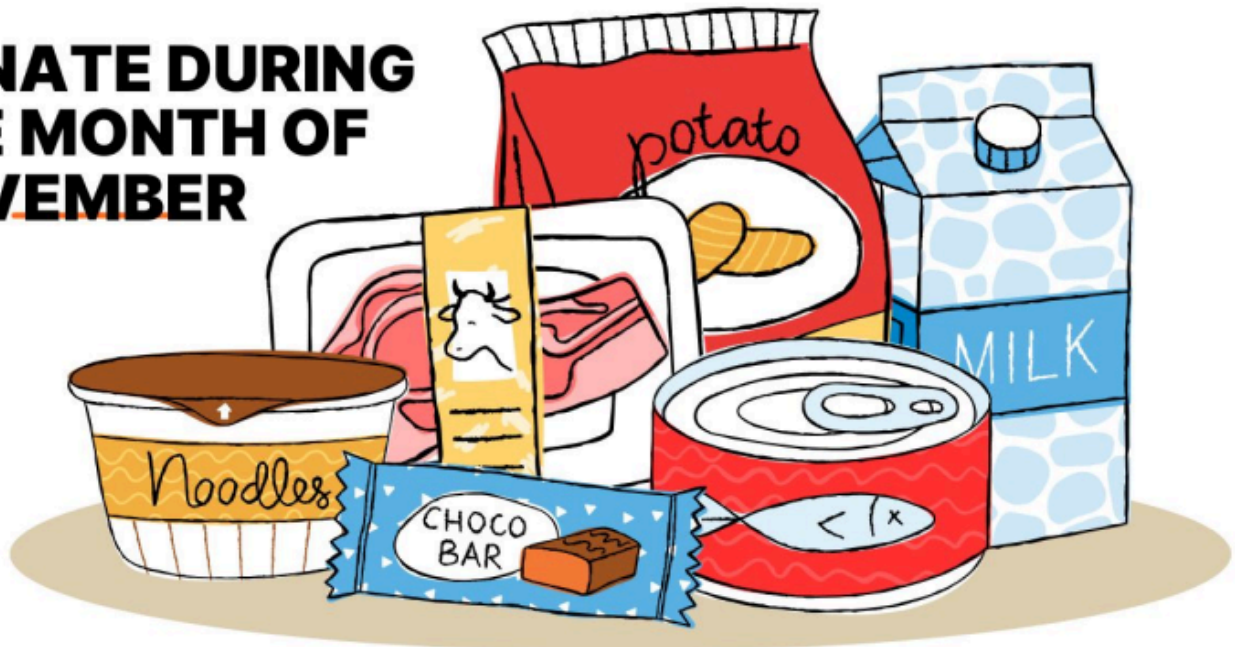
PLEASE REGISTER BY 11/23.

**[HTTPS://REGISTRATION.TEAM
SNAP.COM/FORM/41773](https://registration.team
snap.com/form/41773)**

**NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED
YOUR PHYSICAL MUST BE IN PRIOR TO
1ST PRACTICE TO PARTICIPATE**

FOOD DRIVE

**DONATE DURING
THE MONTH OF
NOVEMBER**



We are excited to announce our annual Food Drive, where we come together as a community to help our parish food pantry.

Our goal is to collect 1000 items for the pantry! If we reach our goal, the school will receive a special out of uniform day in December!

If you would like to donate cash to help purchase perishable items, such as bread, fresh vegetables, and meat, every \$5 will count as 2 items donated.

ITEMS NEEDED

- ▶ Canned Food
- ▶ Pasta
- ▶ Instant mashed potatoes
- ▶ Rice packets
- ▶ Peanut butter and jelly

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Doyle.



FREE Parent Empowerment Workshop **Social Media, Screen Time, Cell Phones and Your Child**

Join us for an empowering evening for parents in the digital age! Learn practical tips for managing screen time, setting healthy boundaries, and guiding kids through social media—all in a relaxed setting with wine and cheese. Tech-savvy or tech-stressed, all are welcome! Can't attend in person? Join us on Zoom!

Date/Time:

November 19th

6:30PM

Presented by:

Courtney
Burkhart, LCSW

Registration Required



Get to know us



820 North Blvd Oak Park, IL 60301 (708)524-2445
Occupational, Physical, Speech Therapy, Social
Work & Fun Group Programming for All Children
Kidsunlimitedtherapyservices.com





Dear St Celestine School Families,

Parents Club is excited to share that Santa's Secret Shop is coming on Thursday, December 4th and Friday, December 5th!

Santa's Secret Shop, a Fun Services program, provides SCS with quality, moderately priced gifts for moms, dads, siblings, aunt, uncles, grandparents and more! The gift option includes licensed sports items, popular jewelry choices, toys, and many personalized family items.

Each classroom will be given an allotted time to shop each day. Students should bring cash or check for their shopping trip. This is an exciting time for the students to pick special gifts for their families while gaining experience in selecting and purchasing items and handling money.

Adult volunteers always play a vital role in the success of the holiday shop. Parent volunteers are needed to decorate, set up the shop in our school Gym, assist students with their wish lists, and handle the registers. Please sign up here: <https://signup.com/go/iSqMHlt>

Questions? parentsclub@stcelestineschool.org

Happy Holidays!
St. Celestine Parents Club

St. Celestine Girl Scouts



SHARE A SLICE. SHARE A MEMORY.

SHARE THE GOOD

Order By: Thursday, December 4th

**Order your Butter Braids from any
St. Celestine Girl Scout or click here:**

bit.ly/ButterBraids2025



**Order Pick Up: Saturday, December 13th
St. Celestine School @ 2:00 pm**

Questions: GirlScouts@stcelestineschool.org

**Butter Braids - the delicious
frozen pastry braids - can only be
purchased through fundraisers.
Butter Braids are stored frozen;
the evening before you serve a
Butter Braid, you simply remove
from the freezer, let it rise, and
bake in the morning.**

**St. Celestine Girl Scouts
appreciate your support!
This fundraiser supports
St. Celestine's Girl Scout events
such as Lock-In, Community Tree
Trim, and the Girl Scout Banquet.**



MARINE LANCE CPL. NICKOLAS A. DANIELS BREAKFAST WITH SANTA TOY DRIVE

Sponsored by:

Elmwood Park Neighborhood Civic Organization

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2025
9:00AM - 12:00PM

St. Celestine School - Front Entrance
3017 N. 77th Avenue, Elmwood Park, IL 60707

- Please bring an unwrapped toy for a boy or girl - \$10 limit per toy
- Non-perishable food items collected by your visit with Santa
- Breakfast and photo with Santa
- Send Holiday Cards to Military members
- Send a Letter to Santa
- Enjoy Arts and Crafts

Live Entertainment:
Turning Point Dance Studio
Hugo's Elvis - Tribute Artist

Compliments of the following organizations





St. Celestine School

Christmas Raffle

for

Front & Second Row Seating at the
St. Celestine Christmas Concert on
Thursday, December 11, 2025 7:00 pm



Tickets are \$5 each or 5 tickets for \$20 - Cash or Checks payable to *St. Celestine Parents' Club*

To purchase tickets, complete the slip below and
return to school **NO LATER** than Friday, December 5th.

Winners will be drawn and announced in a special digital brown envelope announcement.

Tickets: _____

Family Name: _____ Phone: _____

Total: \$ _____

Email: _____

☐ Cash

Student Name: _____ Classroom #: _____

☐ Check # _____

St Celestine's HOME Basketball Game Schedule
Cheer for our teams! Watch our students play!

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Boys / Girls</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Opponent</u>
Wednesday	15-Oct	4B	5PM	St Eugene
		5B	6PM	St Eugene
		6B	7PM	St Eugene
		7/8B	8PM	St Eugene
Thursday	16-Oct	4/5G	6PM	SMOW
		7/8G	7PM	SMOW
Sunday	19-Oct	4B	1PM	St Mary of the Angeles
		6B	2PM	St Mary of the Angeles
		7/8B	3PM	St Mary of the Angeles
Thursday	30-Oct	4/5G	5PM	St Eugene
		7/8G	6PM	St Eugene
		4B	7PM	St Sylvester
		7/8B	8PM	St Sylvester
Monday	3-Nov	4/5G	5PM	SRB
		7/8G	6PM	SRB
		4B	7PM	Berchmans
		7/8B	8PM	Berchmans
Thursday	6-Nov	7/8G	5PM	MSW
		4/5G	6PM	MSW
		7/8B	7PM	St Stans.
Saturday	8-Nov	6B	2PM	SRB
		5B	3PM	SRB
		4B	4PM	SRB
Wednesday	12-Nov	5B	5PM	SMOW
		6B	6PM	SMOW
		7/8G	7PM	SMOW
		7/8B	8PM	SMOW
Tuesday	18-Nov	4B	5PM	SPC
		5B	6PM	SPC
		6B	7PM	SPC
		7/8B	8PM	SPC
Thursday	20-Nov	4/5G	5PM	SPC
		7/8G	6PM	Berchmans
		5B	7PM	Berchmans
		6B	8PM	Berchmans
Monday	15-Dec	5B	7PM	MSW
		6B	8PM	MSW
Thursday	18-Dec	4/5G	5PM	SPC
		7/8G	6PM	SPC
		7/8B	7PM	SJB

**You're invited
to join**

**Girl
Scouts**



Is your daughter interested in joining
Girl Scouts at St. Celestine School?

Girls in Kindergarten through 12th grade learn life skills,
explore the world, and try new things!

Complete an interest form: bit.ly/JoinSCSGirlScouts
and a troop leader will be in touch!

Questions? Contact girlscouts@stcelestineschool.org



Daisy
K-1

Brownies
2-3

Juniors
4-5

Cadettes
6-8

Seniors
9-10

Ambassadors
11-12

Be amazing. Be unstoppable. Be a Girl Scout!



Girl Scouts @ St. Celestine

2025-2026

September

- Troop Meeting(s)
- All Scout Hike: 9/13 9:00 am
- Scout Mass: 9/28 11:00 am
- Back to Scouting Bash: 9/28
12:00 - 2:00 pm

October

- Troop Meeting(s)
- Daddy Daughter Date Night: 10/18
3:30 - 5:30 pm
- Scout Mass: 10/26 11:00 am

November

- Butter Braid Fundraiser 11/3 to 12/5
- Troop Meeting(s)

December

- Troop Meeting(s)
- Butter Braid Pick Up: 12/13 2:00 pm
- Scout Mass: 12/14 11:00 am
- Community Tree Trim: 12/14
12:00 - 1:30 pm

January

- Girl Scout Lock-in:
1/9 6:00 pm - 1/10 8:00 am
- Troop Meeting(s)
- Scout Mass: 1/25 11:00 am

February

- Troop Meeting(s)
- World Thinking Day: 2/21
- Scout Mass: 2/22 11:00 am

March

- Troop Meeting(s)
- Scout Sunday: 3/7 & 3/8
- Girl Scout Birthday Bash: 3/8
12:00 - 2:00 pm
- Girl Scout Birthday: 3/12
- Scout Mass: 3/22 11:00 am

April

- Troop Meeting(s)
- Scout Mass: 4/26 11:00 am
- All Scout Earth Day Celebration: 4/26
12:00 - 2:00 pm

May

- Troop Meeting(s)
- St. Celestine Girl Scout Banquet:
5/20 6:00 pm Allegra Banquets

June/July

- Scout Mass & Pinning Ceremony: 6/7
11:00 am
- Feed My Starving Children: 6/10 7:00
pm
- 4th of July Parade

Additional Service Unit 401 & Girl Scout GCNWI Council events available as well!



JOIN PACK

4690

PACK 4690 WELCOMES EVERYONE

Saint Celestine Pack 4690 proudly provides our community with a safe, supportive environment for children K-5th grade to develop character through the Cub Scout Principles, learn life skills, serve our community, make new friends, and have great adventures!



Pack 4690 welcomes all children and their families from our area. Our pack currently has scouts from Elmwood Park, Chicago, River Grove, and beyond!

**FILL OUT THE FORM ON THE
LINK BELOW OR
CONTACT US DIRECTLY
FOR MORE INFORMATION**



JASON MESKE

Cubmaster

pack4690.info@gmail.com

MONTHLY EVENTS

- Den Meeting
- Pack Night
- Scout Mass
- Hike or Pack Outing



SPECIAL EVENTS

Rain Gutter Regatta
Pinewood Derby
Rocket Launch
Bowling Outing
Fundraising
Blue & Gold Banquet

Cubs Game
Lock-In
Summer Picnic
4th of July Parade
Camping
And More!

DEN MEETINGS

Scouts work together with their age group to participate in activities and work on projects that are related to an adventure. Their accomplishments help them learn the skills they need to progress in rank.



PACK NIGHTS

The pack meeting brings all of the dens in the pack together for the purpose of recognizing scout achievements, communicating information about upcoming events, and providing a program that enriches the scouting experience.



FAMILY HIKES

Scouts explore nature preserves, trails, and more with their families as a pack once a month.



SCOUT MASSES



JOIN AT ANY AGE



Kindergarten



1st Grade



2nd Grade



3rd Grade



4th Grade



5th Grade

LEARN & GROW TOGETHER



Pushmobile
Derby Race



Service
Opportunities



Rain Gutter
Regatta



Pinewood Derby



Field Trips



Rocket Launch



Family Bowling



Parish Events



Cubs Game

ON MY HONOR I WILL DO MY BEST TO DO MY DUTY TO GOD AND MY COUNTRY AND TO OBEY THE SCOUT LAW: TO HELP OTHER PEOPLE AT ALL TIMES; TO KEEP MYSELF PHYSICALLY STRONG, MENTALLY AWAKE, AND MORALLY STRAIGHT.