

## St. Stanislaus Kostka School

"Do not walk through time without leaving worthy evidence of your passage." Saint John XXIII

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"I believe that every right implies a responsibility; every opportunity, an obligation; every possession, a duty" John D. Rockefeller

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Dear St. Stan's Families:

Of all the things we teach, math language, science, history; responsibility is the hardest lesson for our students to comprehend. The lesson of responsibility is reviewed every day in our school and the test is the actions of our students. Sometimes they soar and achieve the goal and other times they need to reevaluate their actions and make adjustments. We spend our entire lives readjusting our actions to match the responsibility and obligations we all have.

Today, report cards will be sent home for the second marking period. Please retain the report card but sign and return the envelope as soon as possible. During opening exercises tomorrow, we will hold our marking period awards ceremony. Parents are more than welcome to join us.

We have some exciting activities coming up including our Texas Roadhouse Night on 2/15/17 from 6pm to 10pm by presenting the flyer (which you can find on our website)we will earn for our school 15% of each check. We will be holding our Literacy Night on March 1, 2017. The flyer for this event is in this week's electronic envelope. Our teachers will also be offering a variety of parent education nights including information about math and your child, Growth Mindset and reducing stress for parent and child and reading comprehension tips for parents with young readers. Dates and times will follow but I hope you take the opportunity to join us.

Finally, re-registration and new registration are in full swing and we hope to see everyone's registration by March 31<sup>st</sup>. Also B6T forms and Text book forms are due to us by February 24<sup>th</sup>. You will also see a flyer in this week's envelope about contacting the governor to raise the funding for non public school transportation. I ask that you and as many people as you can rally follow the steps to do so. This is an effort to get our children and their families, the money they most certainly deserve. Also, one final reminder about the online survey we are conducting in reference to Catholic education. The following link will take you directly there and it takes just about five minutes to complete <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/G8G9HDK">www.surveymonkey.com/r/G8G9HDK</a>.

Thank you and you are always in my prayers.

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Elena Malinconico, Principal