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Dr. Patricia M. Wardell, Principal Rev. Jay T. Maddock, Director

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Dear Parents,

Another "Trunk or Treat" opportunity, another spectacular event! Last Friday the students in Grades 5, 6, 7, and 8 enjoyed their Halloween themed dance, and a few took the opportunity to participate in the "Trunk or Treat" experience. However, their preference seemed to be the music presented by "Music on Wheels", pizza, and soda. On the other hand, the students in Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 4 thought that the Spooktacular time in the Parish Center, the "Trunk or Treat" experience, and the movie shown on the school's wall were the very BEST! A tradition that is sure to continue! Very special thank you to Mrs. Jennifer Goncalo, Mrs. Cindi Piques, Mrs. Alicia Coelho and all the parents who helped entertain the youngsters in the Parish Center, to Mr. Haywood for his "portable movie theater", and to all the families who creatively decorated their cars and vans for the "Trunk or Treat". Thank you also to the Grade 8 parents and students who dismantled the tables, chairs and decorations from the Halloween themed dance. It was amazing, but by 9:15 p.m. the school was ready for its next special program – the DCCW Breakfast/ Talk on Domestic Violence.

<u>A lunch form for the week of November 2<sup>nd</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> is enclosed.</u> If ordering lunch or milk please return the completed form with payment by noon on Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup>; no lunch or milk orders will be accepted after that time.

Enclosed is a summary sheet for this year's Harvest Festival income and expenses. Also listed are the income and expenses for last year's Harvest Festival. One can quickly see that this year's festival was a tremendous success even with the inclement weather; many thanks again to all those who made the day so memorable.

Class of 2016 Washington, DC trip fundraiser – Pampered Chef. If you are interested in more information about this fundraiser, please note that on Thursday November 5<sup>th</sup> there will be a Pampered Chef Party in the Parish Center, or go online to <a href="www.pamperedchecf.com/pws/veramarshall">www.pamperedchecf.com/pws/veramarshall</a> to see the Holy Name School fundraiser show. Orders may be placed until November 11<sup>th</sup>. The Class of 2016 may receive up to 15% of the total sales. A special flyer is included in today's envelope.

There is a November calendar with today's letter.

ANY THIRD GRADER interested in playing CYO Basketball for Holy Name this year is asked to fill out a registration form. The forms may be picked up in the School Office.

**Enclosed is a Futsal flyer;** all registration forms must be returned to school no later Tuesday, November  $3^{rd}$ .

Weather permitting there will be a CYO Car Wash on Saturday, November 7<sup>th</sup> from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the school yard. Also there is a CYO Coaches meeting tomorrow evening, October 28<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m. in the Parish Center.

The Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten students have two special events this week. On Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup> Mr. David Mello from the Fall River Library will meet with the pre-kindergarten and kindergarten students in the Parish Center at 10 a.m. On Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup> the Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten students are schedule to take a walking field trip to the Stanley Street Fire Station to see the fire engines, ring the bell, wear a special hat, and sit in a real fire engine – as against the fire engine in our playground.!

Sincerely,

Patricia M. Wardell, Ed. D.

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Principal

Holy Name School provides a Catholic education within an atmosphere of academic excellence. While providing Catholic values, students are challenged to do their best, to nurture their gifts and talents, and to develop curiosity, creativity, and critical thinking.

Holy Name School strives to produce confident, competent, and caring individuals who can work cooperatively, show respect for one another, and who demonstrate an understanding and appreciation of Catholic values.

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