



Dear Parents,

Although the school year has just begun, we are already looking forward to our annual St. Raphael Gala on Saturday, February 1, 2025. A large fundraising portion of the Gala is the **Grand Raffle**.

The Grand Raffle will pay out a **Grand Prize of \$10,000**, 1<sup>st</sup> prize of \$2,500, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize of \$1,000 and 3<sup>rd</sup> prize of \$500 at this year's *CIAO BELLA GALA* on Saturday, February 1, 2025 (winner need not be present to win).

- There are only **500 tickets** available, and sales start TODAY!
- Each ticket costs **\$100**
- Each family is responsible for (buying or selling) a minimum of **TWO Grand Raffle tickets** (grades K – 8<sup>th</sup>) or **ONE Grand Raffle ticket** (Pre-K only)

#### **NEW THIS YEAR**

- All school families' tickets will be purchased using a Google Form, and it's requested this be completed by November 1<sup>st</sup>. Any family who hasn't filled out the Google Form by this date will have their required tickets issued and billed to the person in your family who is responsible for paying tuition.
- All families will be billed through FACTs on November 15<sup>th</sup> for their minimum ticket responsibility plus any additional tickets you have purchased up until November 1<sup>st</sup>.
- If you are selling the ticket to family, friends, or co-workers, please fill out their information as instructed on the Google Form. They will pay you directly for the ticket, and your FACTs account will be billed accordingly.
- Once the Form is filled out, your **Grand Raffle ticket(s) will be issued and sent home via kid mail in a blue envelope.**

[Pre-K Family Tickets](#)

[K-8 Family Tickets](#)

[Additional Tickets](#)

**HOTEL STAY INCENTIVE:** The family that sells the **MOST** Grand Raffle tickets will receive an **overnight stay at the Chicago Marriott Naperville** on the evening of the Gala!

For questions, please contact **Ashley Handley** @ 479.883.9117 or [HandleyChic@gmail.com](mailto:HandleyChic@gmail.com).

Please share your enthusiasm for St. Raphael Catholic School with family and friends through the Grand Raffle and help us sell all 500 tickets. When every family participates in the Grand Raffle, the Gala can reach our goal, and St. Raphael can continue to provide the best educational environment for our children.

Good luck and thank you for supporting the Grand Raffle. May God Bless you!

**Ashley Handley**  
Grand Raffle Chair