

Educating the Mind, Strengthening the Body, Nurturing the Soul

"Gratitude can transform common days into thanksgiving, turn routine jobs into joy, and change ordinary opportunities into blessings." -William Arthur Wards

Dear MBS Families,

Covid-19

No reported positive case this week.

We continue to encourage you to:

- Do wellness checks every morning, PLEASE.
- Sanitize
- Wash hands properly with soap and water and always dry them thoroughly.
- Stay 6 feet apart from others and wear a mask when not in the company of those you live with.
- Avoid unnecessary travel.

Masks- from Dr. DeAngelo to all schools

We continue to wear masks inside. Outside the building, we are masked when not socially distanced, 6' apart. Despite changes that have occurred in other venues, school will continue to adhere to the mask procedures in place through the conclusion of the 2020-2021 school year.

Updates

- For our 8th grade field trip June 7 we were blessed on Monday with beautiful weather as we traveled to Odyssea Watersports and spent the morning kayaking, paddle boarding and jet skiing. Thank you to the Clemens family for their hospitality. We made an afternoon stop at Jolly Roger racing go-carts. Seemed like we had the entire area to ourselves, it was a great time. Finally they had a night on 30th Street beach with family around a bonfire.
- Award Ceremony- June 11 thank you to our 7th grade for supporting our Award Ceremony tomorrow afternoon.
- Service our 8th grade traveled to St Mary Star of the Sea/ Holy Savior Parish to help with mulching, polishing silver and other odds and ends. They were invited to see the newly renovated St. Mary Star of the Sea from the inside and their hard work of polishing silver candlesticks glistening.
- Graduation June 13 is our final day of gathering as an 8th grade class. Graduation will be held at St. Luke Parish, in Ocean City at 2:00pm. Family and guests are welcome to join us. Please pray for our graduates as they turn a new page in their lives that they continue to keep Christ in their hearts and live their faith.

Danaya Arzadon Frankie Buxbaum Gianna DePietro Blake Ell Katie Erickson Isaiah Failla Brandon Fitzgerald Theresa Hayes Layla Lockerman Issy Mitchell Sophia Maskell MaryAnn Rutzler

- A special thank you to Father Solomon for joining us to St Mary Star of the Sea/ Holy Savior on our field trip and for welcoming us on Wednesday. It was wonderful having him with us.
- Kindergarten graduation is June 14 10:00am. We welcome our k to campus on Monday with a drive through parade. Students in prek-7 will greet them along the

drive along with congratulatory messages as they receive their diplomas in front of the school. May God bless these children as they prepare to move into first grade. We pray they keep safe and enjoy the summer.

> Eva Barker **Paisley Bradley** Nora Bunting Willa Cover Alice Diorio **Daxton Fones** Georgia Fulmer Maria Gonzalez-Lopez **Oliver Haskell** Emma Johnson Isabelle Littleton Landry Lunch Max De-Leon Swayzee Maleski **Miguel Robles** Chloe Weller James Windsor

- June 16 is field day for k,1,2,3 and June 17 is field day for 4,5,6,7. Both days are half days. Interested, vaccinated parents are welcome and encouraged to sign up, please contact Jhaskell@mbscs.org for information. Both days are no uniform days, dress for the weather.
- June 16 our current 5 grade class will "cross the bridge" over to Middle School. This Bridging Ceremony will symbolically recognize the growth of our fifth graders as they move on to middle school. Congratulations.
- June 18 our final day, we will begin the day on the prayer garden lawn with a prayer service at 9:30am. This will be followed with our Awards Ceremony. Parents are welcome to join us, weather permitting. In case of inclement weather these events will be videoed and shared. A dismissal form will go home in the folders this week for next Friday, June 18 2021.
- Mrs. Evans will have a "Welcome" table set up, under a tent, for selling MBS spirit wear.
- You may also purchase "Summer Send Off" raffle tickets at the welcome table. One winner will receive a basket of swim lessons, beach towel, goggles, and other items. Our second winner will win the bicycle with basket, tickets to the Discovery museum, Fenwick Ice gift card, and MBS spirit wear. Please consider supporting these endeavors.





MBS Family Nights

<u>Where:</u> Fenwick Ice Co. on Rt 54 in Selbyville, next to Hit the Deck <u>When:</u> Week of June 7th- Mon & Thurs 4-9pm, Fri-Sun 1-10pm Week of June 14th- Mon 1-10pm, Tues & Wed 4-10pm, Thurs-Sun 1-10pm

Come hang out at Fenwick Ice, listen to music, play corn hole and enjoy a Coastal Shave Ice all while supporting your kids school and one of our own family's businesses. Present one of the attached coupons, when ordering, and Fenwick Ice will donate 30% of their sales back to the school, <u>AND</u> they will hold 4 raffles.

Each raffle is for a t-shirt and free shave ice.

All families that pay their HSA dues by June 17 will be entered into the raffle drawing.

Fenwick Ice Coupons

Prayers

Please continue to pray for:

- The Warner Family
- Chris Conner and his family
- Fr. Klevence, St Ann's parish
- All of our MBS alumni who will be graduating high school and college this year.

Next week will be our last Dolphin Days of the 2020-2021 school year.

May God continue to bless our families.

Kathleen Manns

Principal Most Blessed Sacrament School

It is a great time to be an MBS Dolphin!

Calendar Updates:

June

- 11 Trimester 3 ENDS K-7, NUT Day \$1.00
 - 8th grade Award Luncheon, \$1.00 NUT Day
- 13 8th grade Graduation, St. Luke's R.C.C, OC MD
- 14 Kindergarten graduation 10:00
- 15 K graduation rain date
- 16 Field Day grades K, 1, 2, 3
 - 6th grade bridging
 - Noon dismissal-students
- 17 Field Day grades 4,5,6,7
 - Noon dismissal -students
- 18 Last Day Students/Teachers
 - Noon dismissal
 - Award Ceremony
 - Drawing for a new bike and swim lessons



| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | Am Faculty | 2 All employees faculty meeting For the Sake of Gods Children 3-3:30 | 3 | Spirit/pretzel Day 8 th Gr T-3 Ends | 5 |
| 6 | 7 8 th Grade field trip | Rain date field trip Am faculty meeting | 9 8 th Grade service work camp | Ю | T-3 ENDS Award luncheon 12:00 \$1.00 NUT DAY | 12 |
| 138 th gr Grad. 2pm St. Luke All teachers | eraduation | 15 Rain date for k graduation Grades due by 9am AM faculty meeting | 16 Field Day K,1,2,3 6 th grade Bridging 12 pm dismissal Full day for teachers | 7 Field Day 4,5,6,7 12pm dismissal Full day for teachers | 18 Report Cards Awards Ceremony Last Day for studentsåteachers 12pm dismissal | 19 |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | | | |

Official School Calendar 2021-2022



MBS 2021 - 2022 School Year

| August 18-19 | Diocesan New Teacher Orientation | | |
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| August 25 | Spirituality Day for <u>ALL</u> Educators with Bishop | | |
| August 26 | Teachers Return | | |
| September 6 | Labor Day – School Closed | | |
| September 7 | First Day of School for Students | | |
| October 11 | Fall Break – No School | | |
| November 24-26 | Thanksgiving Holiday – No School | | |
| November 29 | School Re-Opens | | |
| December 4-5 | High School Placement Test (Grade 8) | | |
| December 23-31 | Christmas Holiday – No School | | |
| January 3 | School Re-Opens | | |
| January 17 | Martin Luther King Day – No School | | |
| January 30-February 5 | Catholic Schools Week | | |
| February 21 | Presidents Day – No School | | |
| March 14 | Professional Development | | |
| April 14-22 | Easter Break | | |
| April 25 | School Re-Opens | | |
| May 30 | Memorial Day – No School | | |
| June 16 | Last Day of School for Students | | |
| June 17 | Last Day of School for Teachers | | |

*This does not include school events.

From the Health Suite



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MANDATORY HEALTH FORMS

In preparation for the following school year 2021-2022, the Health Suite has information that may need to be updated or new forms that need to be completed. All forms can be found on the MBS website or in the Health Suite. www.mostblessedsacramentschool.com

- All students who need an anaphylaxis action plan due to a life-threatening allergy: <u>Must have an Anaphylaxis Action Plan form that needs to be filled out and signed by</u> <u>both the parent and the physician and an order for each medication that includes the</u> <u>entire school year. MBS will also need all rescue medications turned in at the same time</u> <u>as the forms. Do not send in the forms without the medication. MBS cannot supply any</u> <u>medications for any student.</u>
- All students who need any medication: A medication permission form must be filled out by the physician and signed by the parent. <u>A new form must be completed each</u> <u>school year.</u> (If your child is on more than one medication, each medication needs a form filled out by the physician every year.) No medication will be administered in school without a written prescription from the physician and a parent's signature.
 *<u>All medication must be hand delivered by the parent to the nurse</u>. This includes both prescribed medication and over the counter medication.
- Any students entering Kindergarten and 4th Grade: Must have a physical examination form completed by a physician. The parent completes the top portion of the form. The form can be taken or faxed to your pediatrician if your child has had a well-check examination within the last year. If your child has a well-check scheduled in the summer, please take the form with you to be completed and turn it into the health suite before the beginning of the school year. These forms must be returned to the Health Suite before the new school year in order for the state to allow the students to continue at MBS.
- All students entering 7th Grade: Must have the Tdap and Meningococcal vaccines. Record of these must be given to the Health Suite before the school year begins in order to be allowed to continue attending MBS.
- All students who have received any immunizations this past year: Should provide an updated record to the Health Suite.
- All medication must be picked up at the end of the school year by the parent.

Use of face coverings

COVID Guidelines

Flynn O'Hara Flyer and Uniform Changes for 2021-2022 School Year

Attached below is the link to our Flynn O'Hara website. If you ever need any items from the gently used uniform store, please contact Mrs. Evans.

<u>Flynn O'Hara</u>

MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL MD220

School Uniform Shopping

Whether you're brand new to school uniforms or a returning shopper preparing for the school year ahead, FlynnO'Hara makes it safe & easy to shop for back-to-school.

IMPORTANT NOTE: We recommend all students shop by August 1, 2021 to ensure you have your school uniform in time for the start of school.

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Shop For Your Uniform!

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Join Your School's Uniform Newsletter

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First things first: opt-into your school's uniform newsletter to stay in-the-loop on important information and promotions. Make sure to enter your school code listed below to ensure you only receive information relevant to your school!

SCHOOL CODE: MD220

JOIN HERE

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Review Your Uniform Requirements

Click the link below & enter your student's Grade & Gender to view their specific uniform requirements, products, and pricing.



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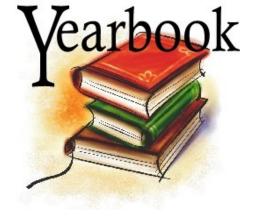
CLICK HERE IF YOU NEED

HELP WITH SIZING.

Questions? We're Here To Help!

atyourservice@flynnohara.com

Student Handbook



Jostens will be shipping more yearbooks!! Just got word that we will have 20 additional yearbooks coming in our shipment!! Please reserve one now. They will sell out. Copies are just \$35 for a lifetime of memories.

Yearbook Order Form



Counseling Corner-

We are called to serve! Our 8th grade did service yesterday at Holy Savior! Thank you to Father Solomon and Holy Savior for allowing our 8th grade to help at Holy Savior by mulching and cleaning candle sticks.

I wish our 8th grade the best of luck as they close this chapter at MBS and enter High School. May they always remember their MBS family and the foundation of faith built over the years.

Love and prayers to our 8th grade. Theresa Gabbard



NUT DAY

June 11, 2021 will be a NUT DAY for everyone!! Please donate \$1. This NUT DAY will be a small fundraiser for BUBBA, our speaker last week. Bubba is hosting a celebrity basketball game in August to raise money for Cancer, Anti-Bullying efforts and Mental Health. Our NUT DAY will be donated to Bubba's event!



Field Day- Volunteers Needed

We will be having Field Day on the following dates:

June 16th- Kindergarten to 3rd Grade, 9:00-11:45am Please sign up here if you would like to volunteer: <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050F49A8AD2DA3F85-field2</u> Parent volunteers must be vaccinated and have a background security clearance.

June 17th- 4th to 7th Grade, 9:00-11:45am Please sign up here if you would like to volunteer: <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050F49A8AD2DA3F85-field3</u> Parent volunteers must be vaccinated.

Students will be kept in their grade level cohort. They will rotate from station to station with their cohort.

Field Day Information:

Field Day is a day set aside for outdoor games like relay races. It is a fun day where movement and games are celebrated. The activities will start at 9:00am and conclude at 11:45am. In the event of inclement weather, Field Day will be cancelled and not rescheduled.

* Please make sure your child arrives to school on time.

* Please have your child bring in a Ziploc bag of sliced fruit to help contribute towards a healthy class snack.

* Please make sure your child is dressed appropriately for the weather.

* Please have your child bring in a water bottle. The water bottle should be labeled with his or her name. Students will take their water bottles with them from station to station.

* Please have your child apply sunscreen in the morning before school as we will be outdoors.

Please review the below table to find the t-shirt your child should wear:

Wednesday, June 16th Kindergarten: Red First: Blue Second: Yellow Third: Orange Thursday, June 17th Fourth: Orange Fifth: Red Sixth: Green Seventh: Blue

Sign up For Field Day

SCHOOL DELAYS/CLOSINGS

Should it be necessary to delay, cancel or dismiss children early due to weather or any other emergency situation, parents will be notified by the School Messenger Notification System. Due to bus schedules, those calls informing of cancellation or delay must be made BEFORE 6:00 a.m. Please be sure that we have your current phone number at which you wish to receive the notification calls. IT IS NECESSARY THAT THE PERSON WHO ANSWERS THE PHONE SPEAK IN ORDER TO ACTIVATE THE MESSAGE.

REMEMBER: YOU CAN ALWAYS CHECK WBOC TV OR WBOC

WEBSITE FOR CLOSINGS!

PARISH NEWS

St. Luke

For our parishioners who have children who will be entering grade 2 (preparation for the Sacraments of Reconciliation/Eucharist) and grade 8(preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation), please email me as soon as possible to register for these sessions: Kim Zarif (kzarif@stlukeoc.com)

St. Mary Star of the Sea

Our bookstore is open Monday-Thursday from 9 am - 3 pm. Find all of your Catholic gifts and books right in Ocean City!



St. John Neumann

Hope you are all enjoying the warm weather and looking forward to a great summer. Perhaps part of your summer could be Vacation Bible School. We are limiting VBS to 45 students. We are asking for \$35 for the first child and \$15 for each additional child. Please email me if the money is a problem and we will find a sponsor in the parish. Below is a schedule. The times are solid. We may change the craft or snack:

Schedule

If you would like to attend please register at the following link:

Register

Also if you would like to volunteer, I am still in need of several volunteers. Below is the form for volunteers to complete:

Volunteer form

One of the goals of Vacation Bible School is to introduce children to the show "SuperBook." If you don't make it to VBS give Superbook a try on Amazon Prime or YouTube. <u>https://www.youtube.com/c/SuperbookTV/featured</u> Superbook is not made by Catholics but it is a great starting point for hearing the stories in the Bible. I hope your children can join us and I hope you can volunteer to help.

