

# Dolphin Days



Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic School

October 14, 2021

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In the Catholic Church, October is celebrated as Respect Life Month. Joseph shows us how to say “yes” to life, despite our own fears, frailties, and weaknesses. For it is Joseph who was chosen by God to guide the beginnings of the history of redemption. His “yes” to the Lord meant that regardless of the hardship and personal sacrifice to himself, he consistently chose to put the needs of Mary and Jesus before his own. Joseph’s devotion helps reveal to us our own call to show particular care for the lives of those whom God has entrusted to us. We are blessed here at MBS to be entrusted with the lives of your sons and daughters. We ask for courage and faith as we continue to model, guide, and shape the students into future leaders who exemplify Gospel values.

This year, Halloween will consist of events planned by your teacher and the homeroom parents that will take place on October 29. In addition, we will be holding a Jack-O'-Lantern shirt contest. Your son or daughter is asked to create the spookiest, funniest, and/or cleverest Jack-O'-Lantern shirt. They may purchase a shirt that has a Jack-O'-Lantern face and add to it, or they may simply create their own. The eighth graders will tour the building and select one winner from each class. The winners will receive a fun filled trick-or-treat bag.

Baseline Renaissance Star Testing has been completed. The results along with an informational letter will be going home on Thursday, October 14.

Interim Reports will be processed and send home with each student on Wednesday, October 20.

Conferences will be held on Thursday, October 21 from 1:00-7:00. The Request for Time form went home last week. The last day to return your form will be Friday, October 15. The teachers will then create the schedule and notify families of their specific time slot. If you have a student in Middle School, please sign up for your conference time on the sign-up genius sent out by the Middle School teachers.

*Mrs. Stillman*  
Principal

**The Front doors close at 8:10. Any student arriving later than 8:10 is tardy and will need to be signed in, by a parent, in the office.**

## School News:

Due to the rainy weather on Tuesday, Fire Prevention Day was cancelled and rescheduled for October 21.

On October 20, there will be a special luncheon-Tour of Italy. It will be a feast for the student's ears, eyes, and appetites! You don't want to miss the fresh garden salad served with homemade pasta and meatball.

## Coming Up:

10/21/21	Fire Prevention Day
10/21/21	1:00-7:00 Parent conferences
10/22/21	No School- Faculty Religious Retreat
10/25/21	No School- Accreditation workday
10/25-10/29	Storybook Pumpkin contest
10/29/21	Halloween Parade

Link to school calendar below:

<https://mostblessedsacramentschool.com/md-catholic-private-school-community/catholic-school-parents/k-12-calendar/>

Hot Lunch Program [www.mbscs.ahotlunch.com](http://www.mbscs.ahotlunch.com)

# HSA NEWS

## Treasurer's Report

Starting Amount: \$0

Fundraising Goal for this school year: \$65,000

Net income: 20% of goal.

Areas of Current Fundraising:

- ❖ Booster Program: Please contact [hsa@mbscs.org](mailto:hsa@mbscs.org) if you are interested in an available booster level!
- ❖ Dine and Donates: Thank you to Fenwick Ice for their generous from our spring event and thank you to Toast for their delicious Sept. Dine and Dash meal!
- ❖ MBS Day at Jolly Roger
- ❖ AmazonSmile
- ❖ We look forward to distributing our spirit day t-shirts soon! We presold 167 but will have some extras once they arrive. Please send in the order form <https://tinyurl.com/MBSSpiritshirt> to the office or contact [hsa@mbscs.org](mailto:hsa@mbscs.org) to purchase yours!

Upcoming events:

10/21 - **Chick Fil-A Dine & Dash ½ day lunch** – grab your lunch TO GO at MBS - <https://tinyurl.com/MBSchickFila>

10/29 - **Trunk-or-Treat Extravaganza** 4:30-7:30pm – <https://tinyurl.com/MBSTrunkTreat>

11/12 – **Spirit Day** – wear your MBS spirit shirt & join us at Alley Oops Midtown 4-9pm - <https://tinyurl.com/MBSAlleyOops>

11/20 - **"Sparkles & Spirits" Festival of Trees Gala** at Lighthouse Sound 6-11pm <https://tinyurl.com/MBSGala>

Thank you to Mike at Devito's Deli & Pizza for donating a tray of delicious sandwiches for our October staff lunch. Thanks for investing in our staff and helping us show appreciation for all they do. If your family or business would like to sponsor a lunch, please email [hsa@mbscs.org](mailto:hsa@mbscs.org). Sponsorships are considered a tax-deductible donation to MBS.

If you have any questions or would like to help in any way, please email us at [hsa@mbscs.org](mailto:hsa@mbscs.org)

## **Athletic Corner**

### **IMPORTANT- TEAM APP:**

Important information regarding MBS Athletics is communicated through Team App. Parents must thoroughly read any notifications/emails that flow through Team App to ensure a positive experience for their child. Players will not know schedule changes and logistical matters if a parent does not read and relay Team App information. Please be proactive and make sure you have signed up for MBS Athletics on Team App.

### **IMPORTANT- GAME TRANSPORTATION:**

If you cannot drive to an away game, please email me at [jhaskell@mbscs.org](mailto:jhaskell@mbscs.org) with who you have arranged to take your child. A dialog needs to take place between parents beforehand. It cannot be left up to individual players on game day. Thank you to all our drivers!

### **UPCOMING SCHEDULE:**

10/20 Girls V-Ball vs Salisbury Christian 4:00PM

10/20: Co-Ed Soccer vs St. Francis 4:00PM

10/21: Co-Ed Golf @ Ocean Resorts Golf Club: 3:30PM

### **ICE CREAM TUESDAYS:**

For scheduling purposes, ice cream day will be Tuesday and not Thursday. Please bring in \$1.00 on Tuesdays if you have not prepaid.

## **Library News**

### **Storybook Pumpkin Patch**

All students from PK3 to 8<sup>th</sup> Grade are invited to participate in our storybook Pumpkin Patch. It's a fun, easy and great way to show off your creativity! **Pumpkins are due, 10/26 in the cafeteria.** Pumpkins will be displayed on our stage for everyone to view all week during lunch. Parents, family, and friends will be able to view the display during our Trunk or Treat event on Friday, 10/29. This is meant to be a fun, family-oriented project. Winners will be selected by our staff and will receive a gift certificate to our upcoming December book fair. All entries will receive a small book fair prize. The categories are Overall- 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, Most Artistic, Cutest, Funniest, Most Unusual, Silliest & five honorable mention winners. Look for more information in the Thursday folder.

## **Other School News**

With the temperature dropping, it's the perfect time to get some gardening done. We have six garden beds in the rear of the school that need some attention. Please contact Mrs. Evans if you are interested in helping. This is an easy way to earn your FIP hours on your time. Email her at [aevans@mbscs.org](mailto:aevans@mbscs.org) if you could help. We have the tools here!! Just bring your favorite gardening gloves.

Join the 2021 Public Rosary Crusade coordinated by the America Needs Fatima Campaign.

When: October 16, 2021, Noon

Where: Bethany Park at intersection of Rt. 1 and Rt. 26

For more information: Contact Sue Giusto 609-213-0692