# **Dolphin Days**

**Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic School** 



October 7, 2021

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As we begin October, we focus our attention on the second Spiritual Work of Mercy-Counsel the Doubtful. A person who is doubtful is uncertain, undecided, or confused about what to think or believe.

As a spiritual work of mercy, counsel focuses on spiritual matters. It is not about the dinner menu or the right paint color, but rather the values, beliefs, and choices used as guiding principles for a decision.

There are vastly different approaches to counsel. Worldly counsel asks, "What would make you happy?" "What would be healthy or beneficial for you?" Spiritual counsel asks, "What is God's will in this?" "What is right and true?" The Christian doubtful wants counsel from a person who is grounded in Jesus and the Gospel. They want this person to have a compassionate heart, a listening ear, show empathy, offer encouragement, and extend prayers. The teachers and staff at MBS strive each day to be counsel for the students. They help the students through their fears and emulate to them how to be counselors to others.

Thank you to all that attended the State of the School Address on Wednesday, October 6. As Companions on this Journey, we will continue to build a strong foundation for MBS for future generations.

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:

Our first Spirit Day will take place tomorrow. If you are new to the school and do not have spirit wear, please feel free to wear Dolphin blue.

In this week's Thursday folder is the conference request sheets. Please fill out your preference and send back to the office as soon as possible. If you have a student in Middle School, the teachers will be sending you a Signup Genius.

Also, in the Thursday folder you might find the Permanent Records Form returned. Please check and make sure that both sides of the form are filled out and signed and returned to the school by Monday.

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:**

10/08/21 Spirit Day
9/27-10/08/21 Renaissance Star Testing
10/12/21 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-catholicprivate-school-community/catholic-school-parents/k-12calendar/

Hot Lunch Program www.mbscs.ahotlunch.com

## **HSA NEWS**

**Upcoming events:** 

10/8 - **Spirit Day** - wear MBS spirit shirt & join us at the Millville Boardwalk 4-9pm – Click for info - https://tinyurl.com/MBSMillville

<u>10/21</u> – **Chick Fil-A Dine & Dash ½ day lunch** – grab your lunch TO GO at MBS -order form coming soon

10/29 - **Trunk-or-Treat Extravaganza** 4:30-7:30pm - Click for info - https://tinyurl.com/MBSTrunkTreat

11/20 – "Sparkles & Spirits" Festival of Trees Gala at Lighthouse Sound 6-11pm

## Athletic Corner

#### **AWAY GAME PROCEDURES:**

Our attendance at away games is only possible with the help of parent drivers. Parents, please sign-up below to be a driver:

The volleyball sign-up genius

is <a href="https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050f49a8ad2da3f85-away">https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050f49a8ad2da3f85-away</a> The soccer sign-up genius

is: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050f49a8ad2da3f85-away1

If you are helping transport players to an away game, please follow the below procedures:

- 1. Arrive at MBS 5-10 minutes before game dismissal time
- 2. Park out in front of the school on the grass of the outer road (not the fire lane)
- 3. Check in with Mrs. Gunther in the front office
- 4. Sign out the players who will be riding in your car
- 5. Make sure the players in your car have all their belongings
- 6. Accompany and supervise the players at the host facility until our coach has arrived

Please email me at <a href="market1@mbscs.org">jhasket1@mbscs.org</a> if you have any questions.

#### **UPCOMING SCHEDULE:**

10/12 Girls V-Ball Away @ Holly Grove: 4:00PM, 2:15PM Dismissal 10/12: Co-Ed Golf @ Ocean Resorts Golf Club: 4:00PM, 2:40PM Dismissal

10/14: Co-Ed Soccer Away @ Lighthouse Christian: 4:00PM, 2:40PM Dismissal

#### **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.

#### **KOC SOCCER CHALLENGE:**

On Wednesday, October 13<sup>th</sup>, the Knights of Columbus will come to MBS and conduct their annual Soccer Challenge. All students in 1st-8th grade will wear their PE uniform on this day.



## **Other School News**

## **Gently Used Uniform Store**

Our gently used uniform store has been moved and is now sharing a space in our HSA supply room at the backside of the gymnasium. It will be open Monday-Friday during drop-off and pick-up times, and Thursday during school hours.

We are always looking for parents to help organize the store. Please feel free to call Mrs. Gunther to set-up a time to help. It is an easy way to earn your FIP hours and you get the chance to see the new items!

#### **School Pictures**

The proofs are in! Make sure to check your student's backpack for the picture order form. Proof sheet and order forms are due back by October 13.

#### **MBS Spirit Wear**

If you didn't get your spirit wear, check back for future pop- up dates. If you already ordered, you can expect delivery in November.

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