Dolphin Days

Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic School



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The Gospel selection for the month of January is The Lord's Prayer, the perfect prayer given to us by Jesus himself. It is the model for all prayer incorporating adoration, contrition, and thanksgiving. In this prayer we ask, "Give us this day or daily bread". Jesus, the Bread of Life, is certainly the daily bread we seek to live each day in the Reign of God. Take a moment to pray The Our Father as a family and reflect on these gifts given to us by our Savior.

Show your Dolphin pride and wear your Spirt wear this Friday, January 21!

Mark your calendars and join us after Mass on Sunday, January 30 for the school's open house from 12-1:00. Teachers will be showcasing their classrooms, and we would love to see you there!

Tuition Assistance Applications-The application period for the Diocese of Wilmington's tuition assistance program is now open and the deadline is March 4. Contact the office if you have not received the application information. A family must have processed an application through this program to be considered for any type of tuition assistance through MBS for the 2022/2023 school year.

Please see the flyer in today's Thursday folder for *The Joseph House*. This is part of our service project for Catholic Schools Week. Please have your son or daughter pick an item to donate. More details regarding this project and the other amazing activities planned for Catholic School Week will follow as we get closer to the week. The CSW flyer was sent home last Thursday, and it can be found on our website.

Mrs. Trínette Stíllman **Principal**

School News

DRAWING FOR FREE REGISTRATION

Last Thursday re-registration forms were sent home. Please return your re-registration forms no later than February 4, 2022. We use this enrollment count to help plan the budget for the upcoming year.

This process is extremely important in our planning. We are offering a \$10 discount for each student and a chance to win a FREE registration fee if your form is turned in no later than January 28, 2022. To encourage 100% participation in this endeavor, will also include a \$100 gift card to a local restaurant for the lucky name drawn! Please feel free to call Mrs. Evans if you have any questions about re-registration.

8th Grade Fundraiser

January 28th- Movie Day at Flagship Cinemas in West OC. **Featuring: JUNGLE BOOK (Live Version)** Doors will open at 9:30am and the movie will begin at 10am. Cost is \$5 per person CASH only. Concessions will be open.



From the Lunchroom

"Lettuce" Entertain You! Check out the amazing specials offered by Le Donne Cucina for the month of February.

Tuesday, February 1 – Basketball Bag Lunch \$5.00choice of hot dog, burger or cheeseburger with chips and a cookie bagged and ready for you to watch the basketball game from your seat in the cafeteria. Cheer on our basketball teams as they play against Pocomoke Middle School.

Monday, February 14 – Mi Amore Luncheon \$10.00

- celebrate Valentine's Day with a tossed garden side salad, roll with butter, pasta with homemade marinara and a homemade meatball or pasta with butter plus a Special Homemade Valentine Dessert!

Tuesday, February 22 – "Two"sday celebration! \$5.00 - the ultimate taco Tuesday featuring two beef tacos with cheese and sour cream.

Any questions or concerns please email: Colleen Rutzler – cdrutzler@gmail.com

From the Health Suite

Every home in the U.S. is now eligible to order 4 free at home COVID-19 tests. Please visit <u>https://www.covidtests.gov/</u> for more details and to request yours. Please note that while this is a step in the right direction, home testing has its limitations, and the directions need to be followed closely for an accurate result. If your children or anyone in the household has symptoms of COVID, please do not just test them and send them to school without speaking with your child's healthcare provider or our school nurse first for further guidance. It is up to every one of us to help keep our students and staff healthy during this current surge of illness.

Please be aware that the CDC and our Department of Health have issued updated COVID guidelines for isolation and quarantine. If your child has COVID or is in close contact with anyone known or suspected of having COVID, please let our school nurse know.

If your child will be absent for any reason, please remember to email <u>attendance@mbscs.org</u> with the expected dates of absence and the reason. If you have any questions at all, please reach out to our school nurse at mlewis@mbscs.org or by phone at 410-208-1600 during the school day.

**Please note: For people who are returning either from isolation (after a positive COVID-19 test) or quarantine (after close contact), the recommendation is that masks may be removed only when eating and during naptime. Please be sure to send your students back in a well-fitting mask

Coming Up:

1/27-Interim Reports1/28- No School- Teacher Accreditation Day1/30- Open House 12-1pm.1/30-2/5- Catholic Schools Week

Link to school calendar below:

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

Athletic Corner

Girls- 6th-7th Grade: Tuesday, 1/25/2022: Home v. The Salisbury School- 4:00pm Thursday, 1/27/2022: **6th grade ONLY** Practice- 3:15-4:45pm

Girls-7th-8th Grade:

Tuesday, 1/25/2022: Home v. The Salisbury School- 4:00pm Thursday, 1/27/2022: Away @ Epworth Christian- 4:00pm, Early Dismissal- 2:25pm

Boys- 6th Grade:

Tuesday, 1/25/2022: Home v. The Salisbury School- 5:15pm Thursday, 1/27/2022: Practice- 3:15-4:45pm

Boys- 7th Grade:

Monday, 1/24/2022: Practice- 3:15-4:45pm Tuesday, 1/25/2022: Home v. The Salisbury School- 5:15pm Wednesday, 1/26/2022: Practice- 3:15-4:45pm Thursday, 1/27/2022: Away @ Epworth Christian- 5:15pm

Boys- 8th Grade:

Monday, 1/24/2022: Practice- 3:15-4:45pm Tuesday, 1/25/2022: Home v. The Salisbury School- 5:15pm Wednesday, 1/26/2022: Practice- 3:15-4:45pm Thursday, 1/27/2022: Away @ Epworth Christian- 5:15pm

HSA News

Volunteers Wanted:

We are always looking for volunteers and have a few more fun activities planned for this school year. If you are looking to earn your FIP hours, or for a fun way to get involved please be sure to email us or sign up today!

Email us: HSA@mbscs.org

We love to see our parents come in for lunch and recess: <u>https://tinyurl.com/MBSlunchreces</u>

2/1 - 2/3 Scholastic Book Fair

<u>https://tinyurl.com/MBSIcanhelp</u> **2/2** Pancake Breakfast Catholic Schools week: <u>Pancake Breakfast Volunteer</u> **3/18** Mini Golf Tournament (adults only event): <u>Mini Golf</u> **4/8** Color Run: Color Run Volunteer

Calendar of events:

1/21 Spirit Day - Wear your spirit day shirt
1/31-2/4 - Scholastic Book Fair & Catholic Schools Week
2/4 - 2/25 - Read - A - Thon
3/18 - Mini Golf Tournament (adults only)
4/8 - Color Run for the playground fund, 'MBS at Play' *
Rain date 4/29
** All dates and times are subject to change.

Scholastic Book Fair Hours- Jan 31-Feb 4

Jan 31: 8:30 - 2:30 Preview Day with option to purchase Feb 1: 8:30 - 11:30

Feb 2: 1-4pm* Feb 3: 8:30 - 11:30 AND 2-4pm* Feb 4: 8:30 - 11:30



*Parents please note after school hours available to shop with your students.