

# Dolphin Days



Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic School

May 25, 2023

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On Monday, May 29, 2023, Americans across the country will celebrate the brave servicemen and servicewomen who died defending our country. Memorial Day Weekend is the unofficial start of summer, often a weekend filled with family get-togethers and backyard cookouts. Most importantly, it's a day of remembrance to honor the sacrifices made by the men and women who have died during their service in the United States military. It is a special time to honor America's history and commemorate the bravery, courage, and honor of our troops. It is a time to celebrate the freedom we have in America. We say thank you to those who served and to those currently paving the way for freedom.

As we begin to head into the final weeks of the school year, please make sure all accounts are in good standing. Please contact the school office if you have any questions or concerns.

Please see in this week's Thursday folder important information regarding the academic school calendar, FACTS, and HSA *Interest Form* Surveys.

One Body in Christ,  
*Mrs. Stillman*  
Principal

## School Info

### BOOST

The Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE) has opened the **BOOST Scholarship** Application for the 2023-24 school year.

**Apply now** at MSDE's application website. All you need is a PDF of your recent tax return to apply. The deadline is June 30, but we recommend completing the application as soon as possible.

If you are a current BOOST family, please remember you must fill out the application each year to renew your scholarship. BOOST recipients and their siblings are prioritized by the State. Please contact Christa Gunther at [cgunther@mbscs.org](mailto:cgunther@mbscs.org) with any questions.

### Library

This will be the last week for book check out in the library. I will be sending late and/or lost book slips home with some students. Please look around for the books. Popular places they like to hide are in cars, bookshelves, and in lockers.

It was great to see that so many students consistently checked out books from week to week. Let's keep that trend going over the summer. Some suggestions on how to do this will be coming up!

Happy Reading!  
Mrs. Northam

**Delmarva Shorebirds Stadium**  
**MBS game night - May 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:05 p.m.**  
We will meet at the stadium at 6:30pm, as a school, to parade around the field. There will be a designated spot in the stadium for us to meet. We are looking forward to a FUN night out as a community! For any questions about MBS game night, please contact Christa Gunther.

**Coming Up**  
**May 26: Half Day, noon dismissal, NO Aftercare**  
**May 26: May Procession, 9:00am in the Prayer Garden**  
**May 29: Memorial Day, School Closed**  
**May 30: Piano/Band Recital, 6:30pm**  
**June 1: Kindergarten Graduation**  
**June 2: SPIRIT DAY, spirit wear attire**  
**June 5: Last Day of School for 8th Grade**  
**June 6: 8th Grade Field Trip**  
**June 7: Field Day, Grades K-7th**  
**June 9: 8th Grade Luncheon, 12:00pm**  
**Trimester 3 Ends**

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

## Health Suite

**UPDATED HEALTH RECORDS:** If your child has visited the pediatrician for a well check this year, and/or received new immunizations, please remember to send in a copy of that record to our school nurse so that we can keep your child's school health records up to date. A copy of the standard health inventory form can be found on our school's website under the admissions section at <https://mostblessedsacramentschool.com/app/uploads/2018/09/occ1215-healthinventory.pdf>

**WATER:** As the weather warms up, it is even more important to be sure your child is bringing a refillable water bottle to school. Water provides our bodies with energy, helps with concentration and mood, supports our immune system, helps regulate body temperature, aids in healthy digestion, and prevents dehydration. Children come to see the school nurse often for symptoms of dehydration, such as headache, fatigue, nausea, constipation, dizziness, or feeling overheated from being outside. Please help our children learn healthy habits!

## Athletics

**Field Day is Wednesday, June 7**

**Field Day Volunteers are Needed**

Field Day will include grades K-7<sup>th</sup> and events will go all day. Please sign up to volunteer here:

<https://tinyurl.com/MBSFieldDay2023>

## Counselor Corner

MBS Parents,

Each year I visit the classes with required topics given by the diocesan safe environment program called, Keeping Our Promises-For the Sake of God's Children. I speak with each grade using age appropriate material and resources to discuss the topics given.

Starting next week I will visit each grade over the rest of May. We will be discussing topics regarding Trusted Adults, Secrets, Good Touch/Bad Touch and Safety. Again, this is done using age appropriate resources. I will ask each grade level teacher to inform you when we have had this lesson. Please talk with your child about these important topics as well. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to me at [tgabbard@mbscs.org](mailto:tgabbard@mbscs.org)

## "Lettuce" Talk about Hot Lunch

JUNE is upon us..... You will find a copy of the June hot lunch menu in your family folder today.

**Congratulations to the Class of 2023.** Go forward in the knowledge of the great foundation of faith and academics MBS has instilled in each of you. We are so proud of you and will miss you!

We'd also like to take the time to say thank you to all our amazing MBS families! It has been an incredible year and we love our students, thank you for sharing your hearts with ours.

We recommend placing orders for the week on Sunday, by 9:00pm. Please go online to order lunches. Log in <https://mbscs.ahotlunch.com/login> school code is 137MBS.

As always, any questions or concerns, please contact Ms. Clubb and Mrs. Rutzler [cdrutzler@gmail.com](mailto:cdrutzler@gmail.com)

## HSA News

We are planning for the 2023-24 school year. If you are interested in being a part of the HSA please let us know. Email us: [HSA@mbscs.org](mailto:HSA@mbscs.org)

Please look in the Thursday Folders for the **HSA Interest Form**, 2 FIP hours will be given if the form is filled out and turned in to the school.

Need to record HSA FIP hours, please use this link: <https://tinyurl.com/MBSFIP22>

### Calendar of Events:

**June 2:** Spirit Day, Fenwick Ice for Sweet Treat

**June 7:** Field Day, looking for donation items. FIP hours will be given for donations. Please sign up here to receive FIP hours.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0e4dadaf22a0f85-field#/>

**June 9:** 8th grade luncheon. Please consider volunteering to help with misc. tasks at the school on this day. Volunteer Sign up:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b044baea72fa4f49-8thgrade#/>

**June 12-14:** MBS Annual Uniform Exchange at school drop off. Interested in helping, please sign up <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b044baea72fa4f49-mbsuniform1#/>

**Aug 1-2:** The HSA will have a SUMMER clean up and we are seeking volunteers who love to organize, declutter, and straighten up. Earn FIP hours before the school year starts. Sign up here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b044baea72fa4f49-hsacloset#/>

**Save the Date:** November 10, 2023 for our annual gala at Lighthouse Sound. This year's theme will be the *Roaring 20's* to celebrate MBS's 20 year Anniversary!

## ***Our Theme: One Body in Christ: Part Seven—Care for God's Creation***

***"The earth and everything on it belong to the Lord. The world and its people belong to Him" (Psalms 24:1)  
Each and every person belongs to God, and He smiles when we teach the children and each other  
to love and to care for His world.***

*One Body in Christ*