Dolphin Days

Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic School



March 14, 2024

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Lenten Activities Schedule

March 18-22: Classes will pray the Stations of the Cross at MBS.

March 21: World Down Syndrome Day, Rock Your Socks Day

March 27: Sacred Silence throughout the morning. The 8th grade will perform Shadow Stations, 9:00am

March 17 is the **Feast Day of Saint Patrick**, one of the Church's great evangelizing saints. Although he is the patron saint of Ireland, Saint Patrick was born in Roman Britain in the fifth century. When he was a teenager, he was captured by Irish raiders and taken to Ireland as a slave to herd and tend sheep. It was during this time, that he discovered his own faith, finding strength through his relationship with God. Patrick was a humble, pious, gentle man, whose love and total devotion to and trust in God should be a shining example to each of us. To celebrate his feast day, students are invited to wear green accessories on Friday, March 15.

Rock Your Socks are officially for sale at MBS! Students can purchase a pair of mismatched socks for \$5. We will **rock** our mismatched socks at school on **Thursday 3/21**. If students would like to participate by wearing their own mismatched socks, they will bring in a \$2 donation. All proceeds go to the Down Syndrome Association of Delaware.

Get Ready and mark your calendars! You don't want to miss MBS's middle school rendition of Single's My Son Pinocchio, JR. There will be two performances to choose from; Thursday, March 21 and Friday, March 22. Both shows begin at 7:00 with doors opening at 6:30. Admission is \$ 5.00 per adult and children are free. Concessions will be available for purchase.

Report Cards reflecting the 2nd trimester grades are ready for viewing in PowerSchool while the Star Renaissance Reports can be found in your son or daughter take home folder.

CRS Rice Bowls went home at the beginning of Lent and we continue, as a school community, to collect for this special program to help us reflect on the challenges of global hunger. The rice bowls will be collected on April 8, 2024. Visit crsricebowl.org to watch videos of communities you support through your Lenten gifts to CRS Rice Bowls.

Let Us Build the Kingdom of God Mrs. Stillman

Doors open at 6:30pm



Show begins at 7:00pm

Showtimes

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From March 18-22 in the School Library

HOURS: Mon - Thurs 8:15—3:30pm and Friday 8:15—12:00

https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/mostblessedsacramentschool

The students will shop during their library and technology class times. Our older students will assist the younger students. Make your purchases with cash, credit cards, checks (payable to MBS), and e-wallet. Please click the link to set up an e-wallet.

Any questions, email Mrs. Northam, mnortham@mbscs.org



<u>Coming Up</u>

March 14: Digital Report Cards

March 14: Mass, 1:00pm

March 15: Spirit Day, Wear MBS Spirit shirt with uniform bottoms and uniform shoes/sneakers. ST. PATRICK'S DAY Accessories may be worn.

March 18-22: Scholastic Book Fair

March 21-22: Disney's My Son Pinocchio, Jr. Performances will begin at 7:00pm

Link to school calendar below:

https://

mostblessedsacramentschool.com/ md-catholic- private-schoolcommunity/catholic-school-parents/ k-12- calendar/





Health Suite

Hello parents! Remind your kids to wash their hands often and do not share drinks or food with friends. Your child must remain free of vomiting for 24 hours before coming back to school. If your child is out 3 days or longer, they need a doctor's note to return. This can be emailed, faxed, or sent in with your student. Please contact me with any questions.

Athletics

We will start the **softball season** with practices the week of April 8-11. Parents of girls interested in playing should email Mr. Haskell at <u>jhaskell@mbscs.org</u>. 5th-8th graders may play.



Almost Sold Out of 2023-2024 YEARBOOKS

We have a few yearbooks still available for purchase. Please make sure to go online to purchase your 2023-2024 yearbook. Online purchases will have a small service fee. https://www.jostens.com/apps/store/productBrowse/1461083/Most-Blessed-Sacrament-School/2024-Yearbook/2024012504161633089/CATALOG_SHOP/

Attention Maryland Residents

The Maryland Department of Education has opened the BOOST Scholarships Application for the 2024-2025 School Year.

BOOST provides tuition support for families and allows the school to apply for Maryland Grants. Awards are granted based on household income, with the lowest income served first.

The BOOST application is available until May 3, 2024, at 11:59 PM. Click on the following link to apply. https://marylandpublicschools.org/Pages/boost/index.aspx Please contact Mrs. Gunther at cgunther@mbscs.org with questions.

HSA News

March 15: Game World Fundraiser for 8th grade, Present the flyer and mention MBS, 4:00-8:00pm

March 15: Spirit Day with St. Patrick's Day accessories!

Wear your MBS Spirit wear shirt & St. Patrick's Day accessories with uniform bottoms and uniform shoes/sneakers.

March 21 & March 22: My Son Pinocchio, Jr. Play volunteers are needed for concessions and admissions. Email HSA@ mbscs.org to volunteer.

April 19: Mother-Son Event

Help us plan a special night for moms and sons. Email HSA@mbscs.org to join the planning committee.

May 3: The 1st Annual Kathy Manns Memorial Color Run

Join us in memory of Mrs. Manns and raise money for Phase 2 of the playground.

Volunteer during lunch! http://tinyurl.com/MBSLunch

Need to record FIP Hours? Click here: https://tinyurl.com/MBSFIPHrs23

Interested in joining the HSA next year? Email hsa@mbscs.org



Our Theme: Let Us Build the Kingdom of God

The Beatitudes

March: Blessed are the clean of heart, for they will see God

Virtue—Purity