THE SCHOOL SCHOO

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA SCHOOL NEWS

April 16, 2021

Dear OLSS Families,

I hope everyone had a wonderful Easter Break. We are looking forward to seeing our students back on campus on Monday. We are now approaching the home stretch of the school year, with only 7½ weeks of school left until summer break! There will be many events taking place in the coming weeks; please read all newsletters in their entirety so you don't miss any important information.

Stay healthy, happy, & holy!

Mrs. Thompson

NEWS & REMINDERS:

SUMMER UNIFORMS: Students may start wearing summer school uniforms when we return to school on Monday. The following dress code regulations must be followed:

GIRLS: • Shorts, skirts, and skorts must be no more than two inches above the knee

- Bike shorts should be worn under skirts
- Belts must be worn with shorts & pants at all times
- White or navy knee-high socks with skirts & jumpers / white or navy fold-over socks with shorts

BOYS: • Shorts should be knee-length

- Belts must be worn with shorts & pants at all times
- White or navy crew socks

EARTH DAY: Students will plant flowers around the school grounds to celebrate Earth Day on **Thu, Apr. 22**.

- · All students should wear their PE uniform to school
- Please send gardening gloves & a small shovel clearly labeled with child's name
- Please apply sunscreen & insect repellent on your child before school

HONOR ROLL: Our 3r^d Quarter Honor Roll recipients will receive certificates after Mass on **Wed, Apr. 21**. A livestream link will be available.

NJHS: We will hold the National Junior Honor Society Inductions after Mass on **Wed, April 28**. A livestream link will be available.

BOOST SCHOLARSHIPS: Maryland State Department of Education's BOOST Program has extended its application deadline from April 30 to **May 17**. Funding has been greatly increased to 10 million dollars for this upcoming school year to assist more families. Applicants are encouraged to submit their applications as soon as possible, and should upload their IRS tax return for the 2020 tax year before submitting. Click <a href="https://example.com/heeps-com/h

8th GRADE MARCH RAFFLE: The winners of the 8th Grade's March Raffle (1st and 4th grades) will have their Tag Day and their Special Treat on Mon, Apr. 19. Thank you for supporting the 8th grade class!

8th GRADE FUNDRAISER: 8th graders will be selling plastic "Resurrection Eggs" for \$1 each through the end of April. Each egg contains a toy, a special prize, or a Rita's gift card.

VOLUNTEER HOURS: Please email volunteer service hours worked to our Volunteer Coordinator, Jessica Klasko, at OLSSvolunteerhours@gmail.com or send receipts into school in an envelope addressed to her. It is imperative that you report your hours to Mrs. Klasko since we are unable to have a logbook this year due to COVID restrictions. Families will be charged for any unfulfilled volunteer service hours at \$25/hour on the June tuition invoices. Please check future newsletters or email OLSSvolunteerhours@gmail.com for additional volunteer opportunities. We want to help you fulfill your required hours.

HOME & SCHOOL ASSOCIATION NEWS:

FUN RUN & FIELD DAY

On **May 10**, we will kick off our 10-day Booster-thon event, which will end with a Fun Run and Field Day on **May 20**. This event is intended to raise funds for new equipment and uniforms for our Seahawk Basketball teams, and to celebrate our students who have attended school in-person since the beginning of the school year without any COVID outbreaks. We are so proud of our students and want to reward them for their accomplishments during this challenging year! Our goal is to raise \$10,000. We understand if your family is not in a position to financially support this event. You can still be involved by sharing our fundraiser online. All students will participate in the Fun Run & Field Day, regardless of financial participation.



OUR SPRING BAZAAR IS TOMORROW!

Please share the event on Facebook: https://fb.me/e/2871SvXek

We can still use volunteers; please sign up at: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0f4ca4ac2ba4f94-olss10

Yard Sale donations accepted in the Chesapeake Room from 1-5pm today!

- UPCOMING EVENTS -

APRIL

- Apr. 21: 3rd Quarter Honor Roll Recognition
- Apr. 22: Earth Day Planting
- Apr. 28: NJHS Induction after Mass

MAY

- May 7: 12:30pm Dismissal
- · May 17: No School Principals Meeting
- May 18: No School Principals Meeting
- May 20: Fun Run & Field Day
- May 21: 12:30pm Dismissal
- May 28: 12:30 Dismissal
- May 28: 8th Grade Clap Out
- May 31: No School Memorial Day

JUNE

- Jun. 4: Last Day for PK / PK Graduation
- Jun. 4, 6:30pm: 8th Grade Graduation
- Jun. 7: 12:30pm Dismissal
- Jun. 8: Last Day of School / 10:30am Dismissal