



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA SCHOOL NEWS

Newsletter: October 11, 2017

Dear Parents & Guardians,

I would like to thank all of our families & staff who participated in the PRAD parade on Sunday. We had a great turnout of enthusiastic students to represent our school! Thank you especially to the Plakos family for organizing the float.

A huge thank you to the DiBonaventuro family for spending their weekend running the Sand Art Booth at PRAD to promote our school, and to all those who helped out at the event.



I would like to ask school families to show your school spirit by attending the 4pm Mass this Saturday, Oct. 14. Students should wear their school uniforms, and will help celebrate the Mass.

**FAMILY
MOVIE
NIGHT**



**Friday,
Oct. 13,
6:30pm**

**Students are
welcome to bring
family & friends!**

**Pizza, popcorn, &
baked goods will
be available for
purchase.**

**Donations of
baked goods are
needed for the
Bake Sale table!**

NEWS

Welcome: Please join us in welcoming the Grey family to OLSS. Their daughter Sadie joined our Pre-K class this week.

Last Call for Orders: This Fri, Oct. 13 is the deadline for ordering Seahawks Basketball Hoodies and T-shirts. No orders will be accepted after Oct. 13.

Tag Day: Mon, Oct. 16 will be a \$1 Tag Day, with donations going to the World Food Drive Day.

Lifetouch Retakes: Lifetouch will take retake portraits on Tue, Oct. 17. If you would like your child to retake, please send their original portrait package with them.

Emergency Evacuation Practice: On Wed, Oct. 25 at 9am, we will hold an Emergency Evacuation Drill. Students will walk to the United Methodist Church at 14454 Solomons Island Rd, which is our location in the event that the school building must be evacuated.

Halloween in Garden: We are in need of volunteers for the OLSS table at Annmarie Gardens on Sat, Oct. 28, from 11am-4pm. We would also appreciate donations of candy for the event.

Spirit Night: We will hold our first Spirit Night at Red Robin in California on Tue, Nov. 7 from 4-8pm. Red Robin will donate 20% of proceeds to OLSS.

Conferences: There is no school on Fri, Nov. 10 for K-8th Parent/Teacher Conferences. 1st quarter report cards will be given to parents at their conference. Scheduling info will be sent out soon.

GRANDPARENTS/ GRANDFRIENDS DAY is this Friday, Oct. 13



- 9:00am: Mass
- 10:00am: Brunch & Entertainment
- 11:00am: Classroom Visits
- Please RSVP if you have not done so
- Please send grandparent photos in by Thursday
- Transportation Permission forms must be turned in if your child will leave with grandparents
- Volunteers are needed to help with set up, serving, & clean up
- Food items are needed for the brunch



Thank you to our PK parents, who came together to redo the landscaping around the PK building entrance.

THANK YOU

Thank you to Beth Oster for running the Afterschool Arts & Crafts workshops! They made awesome Halloween crafts.



REMINDERS :

Arts Workshop: There is an Afterschool Arts & Crafts Workshop on **Oct. 18** for 4th- 8th grades.

Flu Clinic: Calvert County Health Dept. free flu shots for PK-5th are **Mon, Oct. 23, 1-3pm**. Forms & info were included in last week's yellow folders.

Halloween Celebrations: PK and K students may bring their Halloween costumes to school, and will have classroom parties on **Tue, Oct. 31**.

All Saints Day: We will celebrate All Saints Day on **Wed, Nov. 1**. Students may bring Saint costumes to change into, or a poster of a Saint.

Christmas Bazaar: OLSS's 8th Annual Christmas Bazaar is **Sat, Nov. 18** from **9am-2pm**, featuring local crafters & vendors, a Silent Auction, Bake Sale, Yard Sale, Raffle, and concessions.

DATES:

- Oct. 20: Deadline for orders
- Nov. 8: Orders delivered to OLSS

Chaire's
GOURMET

INCENTIVES:

- Top seller gets \$100 tuition credit (must sell at least 30 items)
- For every 10 items you sell, your name will be put in for a drawing prize of a \$200 tuition credit
- Families who sell 15 items, or students who sell 10 items, earn a dress-down day

BASKETBALL PRACTICES :

MON: JVB/VB 4:30-6:30pm, VG 6:30-8pm at St. Paul's

TUE: JVG 4-5:30pm at St. Paul's

WED: JVB/VB/VG 5-7pm at St. John Vianney

THU: JVG 4-5:30pm at St. Paul's

FRI: No Practices in Oct/Nov



HALLOWEEN RAFFLE

Student Council is hosting a Halloween raffle basket containing Halloween goodies, including candy, toys, a decorations, and more.

~ Tickets are 25¢/each or 5 for \$1. ~

God bless,

Mary Bartsch

Mrs. Mary Bartsch
Principal

BULL and Oyster ROAST

to benefit Our Lady Star of the Sea School

Sunday, October 15th, 2017

***12:00-8:00pm**

Vera's Restaurant, 1200 White Sands Drive, Lusby

MENU:

- Roast beef • Raw, fried, & steamed oysters
• BBQ Bacon & Cheddar Oysters • Oyster stew
• Oysters Rockefeller • Oysters Provençal • And many sides

TICKETS:

\$25 in advance/\$30 at door

\$10 for children 12 & under

*Tickets are sold for the following seating times; please select a time when purchasing tickets:
12:00-2:00pm / 3:00-5:00pm / 6:00-8:00pm

FROG Full Rely on God

This week's FROG IT Challenge is to learn about your family history, and how faith plays a role in your family.



UPCOMING EVENTS :

OCTOBER

- **Oct. 13:** Grandparents Day
- **Oct. 13:** 12:30pm Dismissal - Grandparents Day
- **Oct. 13, 6:30pm:** HSA Family Movie Night
- **Oct. 14, 4pm:** Students Participate in Mass
- **Oct. 15, 5-8pm:** Bull & Oyster Roast Fundraiser
- **Oct. 17:** Lifetouch Portraits Make-Ups
- **Oct. 18, 3-4pm:** Afterschool Workshop 4th - 8th
- **Oct. 20, 9am:** Solomons Rescue Squad Visit
- **Oct. 20:** 12:30pm Dismissal
- **Oct. 27:** No School – Collaboration Day

NOVEMBER

- **Nov. 1:** All Saints Day Mass & Celebrations
- **Nov. 7, 4-8pm:** Spirit Night at Red Robin
- **Nov. 9:** 12:30pm Dismissal / No Aftercare
- **Nov. 10:** No School – Conference Day
- **Nov. 18, 9am-2pm:** Christmas Bazaar
- **Nov. 21:** Turkey Trot
- **Nov. 21:** 12:30 Dismissal / No Aftercare
- **Nov. 22-24:** No School – Thanksgiving Break