

March 6, 2024

Dear OLSS Families,

Through collaborative efforts of the finance committee, administration, and the advisory board, it was decided that there will not be an increase in tuition and fees for the 2024-25 school year. An email was sent to school families on March 4 with more info and the required <u>Verification of Catholic Eligibility Form</u> and <u>OLSS Tuition</u> <u>Assistance Form</u>, which must be turned into the School Office by May 31. If you have any questions regarding financial assistance, please feel free to contact me at (410) 326-3171 or <u>principal@olsss.org</u>.

Grace and Peace, Mrs. Jennifer Thompson Principal

NEWS & REMINDERS:

This Friday, March 8 is a 12:30pm dismissal and there is no school on Monday, March 11 for ADW Collaboration Day.

MARCH LUNCH: Please sign up <u>here</u> to help with lunches.

TAG DAY: Fri, Mar. 15 is a \$1 St. Patrick's Day Tag Day, following Tag Day Dress Code regulations found in the <u>Parent/Student Handbook</u>.

ROCK YOUR SOCKS: On **Thu, Mar. 21** we will celebrate Rock Your Socks for World Down Syndrome Day by having students wear bright, fun socks with their school uniform.

LAST SUPPER RE-ENACTMENT: Middle School will present a re-enactment of the Last Supper on **Tue, Mar. 26;** time to be announced. Parents are welcome to attend.

EASTER EGGS: We will have an Easter Egg Hunt for all grades on **Wed, Mar. 27** and would appreciate donations of candy for the eggs. Every 30 spent = 1 Volunteer Service Hour. Please send candy in by March 25.

EASTER BREAK: Wed, Mar. 27 is a 12:30pm dismissal, and there is no school **Mar. 28-Apr. 5** for Easter Break.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY: HSA is looking for a volunteer to work with the HSA Board to coordinate a babysitting service during the April 19 golf tournament to help volunteers and golfers. Please email <u>olsss.hsa@gmail.com</u> if you are interested.

PENNY WARS: Our <u>Penny Wars Lenten fundraiser</u> is taking place this week, and the week of March 18-22. Please send in spare change with your child for this fun game!

SCHOOLSTORE: Info packs were sent home today for the <u>SchoolStore</u> campaign, where you can link online shopping and earn money for our school, and purchase gift cards for classrooms. It will run through the end of the school year.

BOOST SCHOLARSHIPS: <u>MSDE's BOOST Program</u> awards scholarships for low-income students to attend participating nonpublic schools. The application deadline is **May 3**.

PALM SUNDAY FUNDRAISERS: Please consider donating a themed basket or bake sale items for volunteer service hours for the Palm Sunday fundraisers. Sign up to donate baskets <u>here</u>.

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

MARCH

- 🍀 Mar. 8: 12:30pm Dismissal
- Mar. 11: No School Collaboration Day
- Mar. 15: St. Patrick's Day Tag Day
- Mar. 18: Wear 90th Anniversary Shirt
- Mar. 21: Rock Your Socks Day
- 🎋 Mar. 23-24: Palm Sunday Bake Sale
- Mar. 23-24: Palm Sunday Basket Auction
- 🔻 Mar. 25: Wear 90th Anniversary Shirt
- Mar. 26: End of 3rd Quarter
- * Mar. 26: Last Supper Re-Enactment
- * Mar. 27: Easter Egg Hunt
- * Mar. 27: 12:30pm Dismissal
- Mar. 28 Apr. 5: No School Easter Break APRIL
- 🜻 Apr. 1-5: No School Easter Break
- 🜻 Apr. 8: Wear Kindness Shirt
- * Apr. 15: \$1 Purple Up! Tag Day
- 🌻 Apr. 19: 12:30pm Dismissal
- * Apr. 19: Seahawk Scramble Golf Event
- 🜻 April 22: Wear 90th Anniversary Shirt
- Apr. 29: No School Professional Develop.