



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA SCHOOL NEWS

January 26, 2022

Dear OLSS Families,

As we prepare to celebrate Catholic Schools Week and to open re-registration for the 2022-2023 school year, we would like to thank parents for choosing a Catholic education for their children. I hope that our school is a blessing to your children, and in turn to your whole family. Our Lady Star of the Sea School strives for academic excellence and emphasizes Catholic values in a safe, supportive, and nurturing environment. Teachers and staff work with parents to support the formation of the whole child - academically, emotionally, spiritually, and socially. Our enrollment has been increasing steadily, and we look forward with hope to the coming years.

Re-registration for current families for the 2022-2023 school year opens on Jan. 31. You will receive an email with a link to complete re-registration that day. The fee is \$150 per family. Siblings that will begin attending in 2022-23 may also be registered at this time. If you do not plan to attend next year, please let us know.

Registration for new families will open Feb. 14. Spaces are given on a first-come, first-serve basis, so we encourage you to complete re-registration ASAP to secure a spot for your child. Parents who have not completed re-registration by Feb. 14 will likely lose their child's space for the next school year.



Grace and Peace,
Mrs. Jennifer Thompson
Principal

NEWS & REMINDERS:

ADW DAY OFF: There will be no school on **Tue, Feb. 22** for our selected ADW Day Off. This date is not on the original calendar for the school year.

ADW LETTER: Included with today's news is a letter from the ADW with updates on COVID protocols regarding masks and vaccines.

END OF SCHOOL DAY: Due to liability issues, children should not play on the swing sets or playground equipment, or remain on school property after they have been signed out for the day from PK or picked up in the afternoon car line.

FEBRUARY LUNCH HELP: Please sign up [here](#) to volunteer to help with lunches in February. Help is also needed this Friday, Jan. 28; please sign up [here](#) if you can help.

BASKETBALL GAMES: OLSS Seahawks basketball teams will be playing the following games this weekend:

Sat, Jan. 29 (Varsity)

OLSS vs SMB at St John's School, Hollywood

9:00 am Varsity Girls

10:15am Varsity Boys

Sat, Jan. 29 (JV)

JV Games at Kings Christian Academy (KCA), Callaway

12:30pm JV Boys vs. Mother Catherine (MCA)

3:30pm JV Girls vs. St Michael's (SMS)

Sun, Jan. 30 (Varsity)

OLSS vs Kings Christian Academy at KCA

2:30pm Varsity Girls Varsity Boys a

3:45pm Varsity Boys

ADVISORY BOARD: The School Advisory Board is looking for additional members. If interested, please email Mrs. Thompson at principal@olsss.org. The next meeting is scheduled for Mar, 15 at 6pm.

BASKETBALL FUNDRAISER: Our Athletic Director is selling candy bars to support the basketball teams. Purchases may be made through the [online school store](#) or by contacting Gladys Nehf at 4nehf@comcast.net



Catholic Schools Week 2022

January 30–February 5

www.NCEA.org/csw

#CSW22

OLSS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK SCHEDULE

- SUN, JAN. 30:**
- 11am CSW Opening Mass. We encourage all school families to attend, with students wearing their school uniforms.
- MON, JAN. 31:**
- Wear school uniform with crazy socks and hats!
 - Students will write Thank You cards.
- TUE, FEB. 1:**
- \$1 Tag Day to support Mompont Community Church Institute in Haiti; wear blue & red.
 - Students will take virtual trips to National Parks.
- WED, FEB. 2:**
- 9am School Mass, 8th graders read books to lower grades
- THU, FEB. 3:**
- Free Tag Day – wear mismatched clothes!
 - STEM Project Day
 - Free Chick-fil-A sandwiches for lunch
- FRI, FEB. 4:**
- Tag Day – wear sports jerseys and bring a canned food item for SMILE Food Pantry
 - Pastries for Parents To Go – parents get a bag of treats in the morning car line
 - Board Games Day

ONGOING EVENTS DURING THE WEEK:

Souper Bowl, Mrs. Weber's Guessing Game, Scavenger Hunt, All About OLSS Quiz

- UPCOMING EVENTS -

JANUARY

- **Jan. 30-Feb. 4:** Catholic Schools Week

FEBRUARY

- **Feb. 1 & 3 :** Open Houses (by appt)
- **Feb. 8 & 10 :** Open Houses (by appt)
- **Feb. 14:** St. Valentine Tag Day
- **Feb. 18:** 12:30pm Dismissal
- **Feb. 21:** No School - Presidents Day
- **Feb. 22:** No School – ADW Day Off

MARCH

- **Mar. 2:** Ash Wednesday/Start of Lent
- **Mar. 11:** 12:30pm Dismissal
- **Mar. 14:** No School – Collaboration Day
- **Mar. 18:** End of 3rd Quarter
- **Mar. 21, 22, 24:** Open HouseS (by appt)