

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA SCHOOL NEWS

January 15, 2020

Dear Parents & Guardians,

We are looking forward to all the fun events scheduled for Catholic Schools Week at the end of this month!



Celebrate Catholic Schools Week 2020 January 26 -February 1 #CSW1920

OLSS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK SCHEDULE					
Sun, Jan. 26	Mon, Jan. 27	Tue, Jan. 28	Wed, Jan. 29	Thu, Jan. 30	Fri, Jan. 31
Celebrating our Parish	Celebrating our Community	Celebrating our Students	Celebrating the Nation	Celebrating Vocations	Celebrating Staff & Volunteers
10:45am: Opening Mass for CSW	7:00-8:00am: Pastries for Parents & Introduction of new 5 th grade teacher	12:15pm: Ice Cream Social	8:15am: Mass & National Junior Honors Society Invitations	8 th Grade Teachers for the Day	8:15-10:00am: Open House
12:00-1:00pm: Open House	Student Community Service Projects	1:00pm: Mini Spelling Bee for Grades 2 & 3 1:30pm:	9:00am: Career Day Presentations		10:00am: Talent Show Chesapeake Room
		Spelling Bee for Grades 4 – 8			
		4:00-8:00pm: Spirit Night at Ledo's Pizza			
WHAT TO WEAR:					
School Uniform	\$1 Tag Day: Mismatched Clothes	Crazy Sock Day	School Uniform	School Uniform	Free Tag Day: Sports Jerseys – bring a canned food item for the Souper Bowl

ONGOING EVENTS DURING THE WEEK:

- · Souper Bowl: Bring in a canned food item for the table of the team that you pick to win the Super Bowl. Donations go to SMILE.
- · Mrs. Weber's Guessing Game

NEWS:

<u>New 5th Grade Teacher</u>: We are delighted to introduce our new 5th grade teacher, Mrs. Alyssa Oster. Mrs. Oster earned her Bachelor's degree in Biology from University of Maryland, Baltimore County in 2018, and worked as a Teaching Assistant in the Chemistry Dept. at UMBC. She is excited to take over as teacher for the 5th grade class starting Monday.

Early Dismissal Friday: This **Fri, Jan. 17** is a 12:30pm dismissal; please pick up your children promptly.

No School Monday: There is no school next Mon, Jan. 20 in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

<u>Talent Show</u>: The permission form for the Talent Show, included with last week's news, must be turned in by this **Fri**, **Jan**. **17**.

<u>Lunch Menu Changes</u>: There are two changes to the January lunch menu:

- Tue. Jan. 21: Subway sandwiches with chips
- Fri, Jan. 24: Cheese or bacon pizza

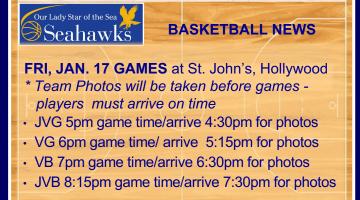
REMINDERS:

<u>Scantron Testing</u>: K–8th grades are taking mid-year Scantron standardized testing in Math and Reading from Jan. 13-23.

<u>Open Houses</u>: We will host two Open Houses this month; **Sun, Jan. 26, 12-1pm and Fri, Jan. 31, 8:15-9am**. Please encourage interested friends and family to visit!

<u>Ledo's Spirit Night</u>: We will be holding a Spirit Night at Ledo's Restaurant in Lusby on **Tue**, **Jan. 28 from 4-8pm**. Ledo's will donate 10% of your purchase to our school.

<u>Youth Rally</u>: The OLSS Youth Ministry is organizing a trip to the Youth Rally & Mass for Life on **Fri, Jan. 24**. For more info & tickets, please see https://www.olssyouth.org/youth-rally-and-mass.html



UPCOMING EVENTS:

JANUARY

- Jan. 17: 12:30pm Dismissal
- Jan. 17: End of 2nd Quarter
- Jan. 20: No School MLK Day
- Jan. 26, 12-1pm: Open House
- Jan. 26-31: Catholic Schools Week
- Jan. 27, 7-8am: Pastries for Parents
- Jan. 28: 1pm Spelling Bees
- Jan. 28. 4-8pm: Ledo's Spirit Night
- Jan. 31, 8:15-10am: Open House
- Jan. 31, 10am: Talent Show
- Jan. 31: 12:30pm Dismissal

FEBRUARY

- **Feb. 14:** 12:30pm Dismissal
- Feb. 17: No School Presidents Day
- Feb. 26: Ash Wednesday / Lent Begins



Grace and Peace,

Jennifer Thompson

Mrs. Jennifer Thompson

Interim Principal

"Let all that you do be done in love."

1 Corinthians 16:14