

It was wonderful to see the excitement and enthusiasm throughout the building last week. The children have settled into their new schedules. It is important to establish good, consistent study habits from the very beginning. Most of our children are involved in after school activities and it is helpful to establish routines in this area. Providing your child with the support and encouragement they need is an excellent way to start the year!

Tonight is our first <u>Home and School Meeting at 7:00 p.m.</u> in the parish center (our multipurpose room). The board asks that you all attend. We will be discussing many of our activities that are ahead of us. Join us to greet old friends and meet new ones. Your voice matters when planning our yearly events.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 7 – 6:30 p.m., OLS Parish Center. Safe Environment class presented by Amy Copsey. This is a diocesan requirement for anyone who intends to interact with our children. (e.g. library walkers, classroom helpers, Halloween carnival).

MONDAY, SEPT. 11 – 2:30 a.m. Our Baker Joe cookie dough man will provide the children with a short presentation to get them motivated to sell cookie dough and popcorn this year.

<u>SUNDAY, SEPT. 17</u>, 9:30 A.M. at OLS is our first All School Mass. Our children do a wonderful job participating in all aspects. This is a small way they can give back to the parish for providing an annual subsidy to our school to help with our operating budget. It is amazing to see our kids represent HSCS in such a positive way.

MONDAY, SEPT. 18 - School pictures. FREE DRESS for all.

Our Extended Care Program is underway. Remember this is always available to you on a monthly or daily basis. Contact the school, Mrs. Copsey or Mrs. Miller for more info.

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