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Dear Families;

As we enter into Catholic Schools Week 2020, I look with "wonder and awe" at the faith-filled people who



have helped to lay the foundation of our school and to those that keep our school going: the priests, the staff, the parishioners, the committees, and most of all the families; all have made sacrifices, shared their time and their talents to build this treasure we have – an excellent Catholic School. On behalf of myself, our staff and our students, words cannot express the gratitude we have to the Tri-Parishes for this gift; it is truly the work of the Holy Spirit.

## **ATHLETIC NEWS:**

• Good luck to our teams at Brains and Brawn! All are invited to join in celebrating Mass with the Bishop at 6:00 at St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral.

# **CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK:**

Please refer to the Catholic Schools Week Calendar for each day's events. Here are some clarifications.

**Monday:** Mission Carnival – 1:45-3:00 - Tickets are \$.25 each. A child will need one or two tickets per activity. Tickets are for carnival games, refreshments and toys. Tickets will be on sale through Monday, January  $27^{th}$  at the office at both campuses and at the carnival itself.



Wednesday: *Movie Day* –<u>HELP WANTED</u> - Movie Day will be held at the Durand campus for <u>ALL</u> Assumption students. We need two helpers from about 11:00-1:00 to make popcorn and fill bags for our students. Materials and further instructions are provided. *Despicable Me* will be the movie shown. This is a fun project because you get to watch the kids enjoying the movie and hanging out together! Please let the office or Michelle Menting know if you can help out!

ALL students will be dismissed for home from Durand Campus on Monday & Wednesday. Friday: *JRFH* (K-8 Jump Rope for Heart) \*PLEASE RETURN your Jump Rope for Heart

Permission Slip or your child cannot participate!

ALL students will be dismissed for home from the Lima Campus.



# CHILI/CINNAMON ROLL SUPPER:

Thank you for volunteering enclosed are the assigned roles to date.

**HELP NEEDED:** 1 additional person for the first shift to help with the serving line.

# **Catholic Schools Week Masses:**

Students will lead the liturgy on Saturday, January 25<sup>th</sup> at Holy Rosary at 6:30 and February 1<sup>st</sup> at St. Mary's at 4:00

Today a reminder of both upcoming Catholic School Week Masses is enclosed. Please join us in Mass both weekends.

#### **DAR ESSAY CONTEST AWARDS:**

Congratulations to: Addison Lamm, Gerard Gruber and Luke Weber for placing in the Regional DAR essay contest, this year's theme was "A Day on the Mayflower" Thank you to Mrs. McSweeney for providing this opportunity.

# **4N6 NEWS:**

The ACS Invitational is scheduled for Thursday, January 30 at Assumption from 3:30-7:30. Thank you for all who volunteered to help and bring bars! There will be about 100 students competing.

#### PEPIN COUNTY CONSERVATION POSTER CONTEST:

Congratulations to the winners of Pepin County Conservation Poster Contest; thank you to Ms. Dierauer for facilitating this opportunity. Our students did very well!

Grades K-1: 1<sup>st</sup>- Hannah Hayden 2<sup>nd</sup>- Corrina Brunner 3<sup>rd</sup>- Luxen Konsela **Grades 2-3:** 1<sup>st</sup>- Miliana Mack 2<sup>nd</sup>- Jayden Brunner 3<sup>rd</sup>- Jonathan Bullard 3<sup>rd</sup>- Josephine Mehling **Grades 4-6:** 

2<sup>nd</sup>- Addison Auth 3<sup>rd</sup>- Chloe Auth **Grades 7-9:** 1<sup>st</sup>- Elizabeth Menting

The first place entries in each division will advance to the Wisconsin Land& Water area contest in Eau Claire on February 3<sup>rd</sup>. Well done Assumption!

**HONOR ROLL:** (awarded for respective GPA and no grade lower than a C-)

Congratulations to the following students who made the honor roll; certificates were handed out today.

**Highest Honors** 4.00-4.33

Grade 6: Ethan Mack, Landen Slater, Jessica Wood

Grade 7: Addison Auth, Chloe Auth, Mara Brunner, Gabriella Gruber, Emma Hoyt, Allison McMahon,

Elizabeth Menting, Elizabeth Weinzirl

Rylan Prissel, Bailey Weisenbeck Grade 8:

3.70-3.99 **High Honors** 

Grade 6: Jacob Poeschel, Nathan Traun

Grade 7: Christopher Wood

Grade 8: Courtney Bauer, Briana Jesse, Canyon Richardson, Elizabeth Schoeneberger, Isabella Wayne,

Elena Weber, Edward Weinzirl

Honors 2.80-3.69

Grade 6: Alex Albers, Christian Bauer, Isaac Sabelko Grade 8: Harrison Bullard, Evan Fedie, Austin McMahon

#### **SCHOOL SAFETY UPDATE:**

This past Tuesday, we were fortunate to have Ted Hayes, a consultant, author and national presenter on security assessments, intruder/active shooter training and management strategies. It was so informative and provided affirmation that our buildings are well secured. At the Lima campus, you will notice a new FOB locking system, this will allow greater security with easier access. This system was purchased with our second round of the Department of Justice Grant.



**\$CRIP**: Instead of the usual credit/debit card or other money, use SCRIP! It's simple - using gift cards for everything you buy – groceries, gas, you name it! Your current TRIP amounts are enclosed.

### **SPELLING BEE:**

Congratulations to the following students who will be competing at our

Assumption Catholic School Spelling Bee on Tuesday, January 28<sup>th</sup> at 1:30:

Emma Pelke and Lucas Reckin Alternate: Nicholas Wood Grade 4: Grade 5 Warner Patnode and Luke Weber Alternate: Josephine Mehling Alternate: Jessica Wood Grade 6: Ethan Mack and Landen Slater Grade 7: Addison Auth, Elizabeth Menting Alternate: Emma Hoyt

Alternate: Canyon Richardson Grade 8: Isabella Wayne and Bailey Weisenbeck

## **CALENDAR REMINDERS AND UPDATES:**

Please refer to your Catholic Schools Week calendar enclosed, your athletic and monthly calendars.

## **PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

Current and past priests, staff, parishioners, committees, and families for making sacrifices, sharing their time and their talents to building this treasure we have – an excellent Catholic School.

With Blessings of Peace and Joy,

Mary Lansing-Principal

