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ASSUMPTION Catholic School

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Dear Families,

The month of October is traditionally dedicated to Our Blessed Mother Mary under her title, “*Our Lady of the Rosary*.” The rosary is a devotional prayer of the Catholic Church, honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary and meditating on Jesus life. A little history on its beginning: *From the earliest days, the Church asked its faithful to recite the 150 Psalms of David. However, because it was difficult in the days prior to the invention of the printing press to procure a book of Psalms, and many could not read, the Psalms were often substituted using 150 Hail Mary’s. Gradually, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit and St. Dominic, the rosary took its present classical form, and is now a prayer beloved by countless saints. Pope John Paul II has called it his “favorite prayer.” As Bishop Fulton Sheen suggested, when “you are distraught, unhappy, fearful, and frustrated,” you should seek refuge in Mary’s care through recitation of the rosary.*

On Wednesday this week, we recited the Glorious Mysteries of the Holy Rosary at both campuses in honor of the *Feast of the Holy Rosary*. So happy to continue this long tradition of prayer with our Assumption Family. God Bless you all.

ART ROOM NEWS:

If anyone has paper tubes (from toilet paper or paper towels) please send for future 3D art projects.

ATHLETIC NEWS:



The Volleyball season has come to an end. Thank you to Sara Mack, Tara Dorwin, and Jody King for coaching! Thank you to the Athletic committee for providing the opportunity for our girls. Big shout out to Loren and Kari Reckin for the all the headaches they have endured with the new way of doing things!

- 6th – 8th BBB practice begins **Monday, October 19^h**. Please be sure to have all the forms into the school office prior to practice!
- **See enclosed letter with some overall details for the Boys Basketball season**

HOME AND SCHOOL NEWS:

Magazine Sale: As of today, our magazine sale total is \$11,539.60! This figure however, does not include what we owe for prizes nor does it add in any of the paper orders or any orders we continue to get throughout the year from our postcards. Thank you to all of you that helped with this fundraiser, we couldn’t do it without you ☺ A big shout out to Chelsa Wayne for chairing this fundraiser. Last year’s profit was over \$10,000.00 so we are on track to match or exceed that! **If you weren’t able to participate in the fundraiser, donations are still being accepted.**



- Enclosed is a list of all of the students forfeiting their earned prizes from the sale, in order to **purchase chickens for a third world country** that were donated to those in need; **our students donated 194!** Thank you all for your generosity demonstrating this Corporal Work of Mercy.
 - Grade 3 and Grade 5 were the classes with the highest percentage of sales. Grade 6 and Grade 1 won the pig races so a pig will be donated in honor of their classrooms to a third world country.
 - Congratulations to: Azalya Hurlburt for winning the postcard drawing! She was awarded the Light up Flying Rainbow Ball.
 - Congratulations also to Luke Weber! His name was drawn as the winner of the \$50.00 SCRIP of choice “*Surf the Web*” contest.
- Magazine merchandise will be ready for you to pick up starting Tuesday, afternoon 10/13. We will be glad to bring it to your car when you are picking up or dropping off your child(ren). If that doesn’t work, call us and we will set up a time.

MUSIC NOTES:

Enclosed in 4th grade student envelopes is a letter from Mrs. Bullard regarding Recorders.



TRUNK OR TREAT:

Our Service project for the month is supporting *TRUNK or TREAT* (If it is allowed to occur) Please see the enclosed flyer for details. Please bring in items listed by **October 23rd**

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERNCES - CHANGE:

We are looking forward to **visiting with everyone** next week for parent teacher conferences. Unfortunately, we will need to change the venue, **we will not have of face-to-face conferences**, instead, they will be done with the following venue:

- **4K will have Zoom conferences during your regular scheduled time, Mrs. Tulip will be sending you an invite.**
- **K-4 will be Phone conference – you will receive a phone call at your designated time.**
- **5-8 – Your student will receive an email inviting you to join a Google Meet during your previously scheduled time.**

Let us know if you would like to talk to any of the following staff members as they will be available during the designated times during P/T conferences to call you.

Tuesday: Mrs. Heidi Michels – K-8 PE – 3:30 – 6:30; Mrs. Sarah Mack – Resource Teacher - 3:30- 6:30;
Mrs. Monica Heitman– 4N6- 5:00- 6:30

Thursday: Ms. Nancy Bechel – MS Religion – 3:30 – 6:30; Mrs. Monica Heitman– 4N6- 5:00- 6:30

\$SCRIP: Bonus Fest is here! It will last four weekends in a row and will offer 2 day bonuses of Fridays and Saturdays. Each day features a different lineup of brands on bonus that last for 24 hours only.



Participating brands will be announced at 12:00 a.m. ET each day. All gift card types (eGift cards, physical cards, and reloads) will be on bonus. Make sure you're ready for the big earning week. If you haven't already, set up online payments in advance to receive your eGift cards and reloads faster. Physical SCRIP cards are ready to purchase at each school office!

YEARBOOKS:

Yay! They are finally in! Enclosed, please find your yearbook. They sent us "extras" for the inconvenience so we have **12 extra for sale...first come first served.** \$35.00/each

CALENDAR REMINDERS AND UPDATES FOR TWO WEEKS THE NEXT FAMILY ENVELOPE WILL BE FRIDAY 10/23:

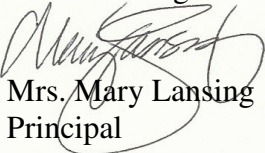
Tuesday	10/13	Mass at St. Mary's	8:30
		Middle School Football @ Elk Mound	5:00 p.m.
		Virtual Parent Teacher Conferences	3:30 & 6:30
Thursday	10/15	Mass @ Holy Rosary	8:30
		Virtual Parent Teacher Conferences	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Friday	10/16	NO SCHOOL	
Sunday	10/18	Confirmation Mass at St. Mary's	2:00 p.m.
Monday	10/19	6/7/8 Boys Basketball Practice Begins	6:00 p.m.
Tuesday	10/20	Mass at St. Mary's	8:30 a.m.
Thursday	10/22	Mass at Holy Rosary	8:30 a.m.

PLEASE PRAY:



- For the health and well-being of our students and staff.
- For our Public Health Department and all those working in the Health Care field.
- That we may be signs of God's presence and love in the world

With Blessings of Peace and Joy,


Mrs. Mary Lansing
Principal