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ASSUMPTION Catholic School

February 2, 2024

Dear Families,

Thank you to the eighth grade students, the Priests, volunteers and all of the teachers for making this year's Catholic Schools week so memorable! Here are some of the highlights:

Brains and Brawn: Thank you to Jesse Haas for coaching our basketball team last Saturday. Our girls took 3rd place at the Diocesan Brawn tournament defeating Newman Catholic School, Wausau and Assumption Catholic School in Wisconsin Rapids but lost against Columbus Catholic School in Marshfield. Good job girls.

- **Opening CSW Mass:** at Holy Rosary; Thank you Mrs. Reinke and Mrs. Gruber for leading the troops, the students did such a nice job.
- **KC Free Throw Contest:** Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for hosting your Free Throw Contest here: Winners are yet to be named, the participants were:
 - *9-10 year olds-* Emmalyn Fedie, Kenzie Reckin, Hallie Weisenbeck, Molly Hoyt, Trey Spindler, Luxen Konsela and Drew Jereczek
 - *11-12 year olds-* Corrina Brunner, Blaze Dorwin, Miles Brenner and Johnny Bullard
 - *13-14 year olds-* Chloie Gunderson, Mili Mack, Jacey Brunner, Alaina Dorwin, Lucy Hoyt, Emma Pelke, Liam Spindler, AJ Bauer, and Lucas Reckin.
- **Mission Carnival:** Thank you staff and the following volunteers for helping with the set up and facilitation of the games: Brent Bauer, Jill T. Bauer, Rhonda Bauer, Helen Danzinger, Sami DeLong, Tony Gunderson, Jennifer Hammel, Sharon Jesse, Karen Kothbauer, Angela Lindstrom, Rachel Lubeck, Diane Prissel, Tucker Sorenson, Sandy Wayne, Bailey Weisenbeck, and Dawn Wood. Money raised will be sent to The Durand "Save the Pool committee and the Lenten Missions.
- **Closing Catholic Schools Week Mass:** Saturday, at St. Mary's @ 4:00, our students, under the direction of Mrs. Bullard, will be leading us in worship at the closing of Catholic School Week Mass; **Hope you can join us!** What a great way to end our week.
- **Chili Supper – Drive Through only:** Will be awesome and yummy!!! Thank you Jodi & Paul Weisenbeck for taking the leading role! As of today, we had sold 517 tickets! Enclosed find a list of those earning non-dress code for their sales.
- **To all the teachers** who took the lead to organize, facilitate, and help the students enjoy a wonderful week, **I am truly grateful.**

VIRTUE OF THE WEEK:



FORTITUDE

This week we are working on the cardinal virtue of fortitude. The symbol of fortitude is a shield, because fortitude is the virtue of strength. With this kind of strength, we can keep doing the right thing, even if we do not see the results right away. Fortitude is the bravery to keep doing the right thing, even if we encounter resistance.

EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES:



On **Wednesday, February 7th**, **ALL K-8 staff and students** will be attending a presentation by Pat Brueggen on Blessed Carlo Acutis. Pat is the International Coordinator of the Marian Catechist Apostolate for the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe in La Crosse. He will be here to talk about Blessed Carlo Acutis, who dedicated his life to documenting the Eucharistic Miracles of the World.

His presentation will be **at 2:00 at St. Mary's in Durand**. We hope you can join us. All students will end their day at the Durand campus that day. If you can't make the 2:00 presentation, come at 7:00 pm at Holy Rosary in Lima. Everyone is invited to attend either or both! During Lent, we will be hosting the Eucharistic Miracles displays at the Tri-Parishes for approximately three weeks.

ATHLETIC COMMITTEE:

- Thank you for volunteering to help at our basketball games! Workers for the week are:

DATE	TIME	Grade	Books	Clock	Concession
Tuesday, Feb. 6	5:00 PM	8th	Sara Mack (or clock)	Blaze Dorwin	Joel/Carrie Brunner
	6:00 PM	8th	Sara Mack (or clock)	Blaze Dorwin	Joel/Carrie Brunner
	7:00 PM	8th	Sara Mack (or clock)	Becky Sabelko	Tara/Blaze Dorwin
Thursday, Feb. 8	5:00 PM	5th	Jodi Weisenbeck	Paul Weisenbeck	Jill Hoyt
	6:00 PM	5th	Jodi Weisenbeck	Paul Weisenbeck	Jill Hoyt
	7:00 PM	5th	Jodi Weisenbeck	Paul Weisenbeck	Jill Hoyt

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING:

There will be an Education Committee meeting on Monday, February 19th at the Lima Campus Library starting at 6:00. All are welcomed.

FORENSICS:

- Our Level 1 Tournament is tonight! Good luck students.
- Enclosed please find a permission slip for the Alma Tournament on February 8th. A bus will transport.
- The Level II Tournament will be held at Assumption on February 22nd.

HOME AND SCHOOL:



A big thank you to Home and School for supporting our events for Catholic Schools Week. The Home and School committee will meet on Wednesday, March 6th at 6:00 at the Durand campus library to review the week and plan for upcoming events. All are welcome.

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES:

We are looking forward to seeing all of you at Parent Teacher conferences in a couple weeks. Enclosed is your scheduled time. So happy to be working with you in the formation of your children.

TUITION STATEMENTS:

Enclosed, please find: your most recent tuition statement if you have a balance. Remember your full tuition is tax deductible. Let us know if you need a statement reflecting payments made in 2023.



SCRIP:

Use SCRIP to purchase everyday items and reduce your tuition at the same time. Almost all of you have fulfilled your \$1000.00 SCRIP requirement. Good job!! If you have questions on SCRIP, please call.

*Thank you for choosing Assumption Catholic School! Our faculty and staff are committed to working with you to fulfill our mission of **Faith • Academics • Service***

PLEASE PRAY:

- For all the parents, benefactors and volunteers who give their time, talent and treasure to our school, that God will bless them 100-fold for their generosity and dedication.
- For current students and for Catholic school graduates that the gifts of faith, knowledge and heart for service will continue to grow.
- For our High School students, that God continues to bless them and keep them safe from harm's way. This week we prayed for Warner Patnode and next week we will be praying for Brielle Poeschel.



With Blessings of Peace and Joy,

Mrs. Mary Lansing- Principal

CALENDAR REMINDERS AND UPDATES:

Saturday	02/03	Catholic Schools Week Closing Student Mass @ StM <i>Chili/Cinnamon Roll Supper Drive thru</i>	4:00 p.m. 3:00-6:00
Monday	02/05	4/5/6 th GBB @ Alma 7/8 th GBB @ Fall Creek	6:00 5:00 & 6:00
Tuesday	02/06	School Mass at St. Mary's K-3 Open Gym- Lima Campus Open Door- Durand Campus MS Wrestling @ Colfax 7/8 GBB Triangular Home	8:30 3:10-4:30 3:20-5:00 4:30 5:00
Wednesday	02/07	Eucharistic Miracles Presentation-St. Mary's	2:00
Thursday	02/08	School Mass at Holy Rosary 24 Hour Adoration- HR Forensics @ Alma 4/5/6 GBB Triangular Home	8:30 5:00
Friday	02/09	Middle School fieldtrip-Pablo Center	11:30-2:30
Saturday	02/10	First Reconciliation and Retreat – Holy Rosary	9:00 - Noon

