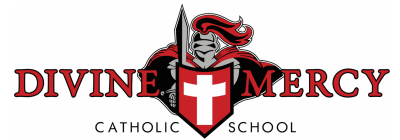


School Newsletter

January 24, 2018



Dear Parents,

Last week I talked about the application for EdChoice Scholarships that are available through the Ohio Department of Education. **Applying for and renewing the EdChoice scholarship opens next Thursday, February 1st.** This week I wanted to introduce another option to you that might help families that don't meet the requirements for the EdChoice Scholarship.

The Northwest Ohio Scholarship Fund (NOSF) scholarships are 100% need-based. Each year, NOSF provides hundreds of thousands of dollars in tuition assistance, with an average scholarship award of nearly \$1,200. If you believe that your family is eligible, and you are ready to make a commitment of \$500 toward tuition costs, we encourage you to begin the application process today. **The online application must be submitted by Friday, April 27, 2018.** After you submit the online application, you will receive notification by email of whether or not your name was drawn in the lottery in May of 2018. If you are selected, you will be asked to complete the online form and submit proof of income from 2017.

Please note you only need to apply once in order to be entered into the lottery. Duplicate applications will be deleted.

To get started on the application process go to:

<https://tinyurl.com/NOSF18AP>

God bless,

Mr. Linder

Important Dates:

January

Fri. 26th – Mass @ 9:15

February

Fri. 2nd – Mass @ 9:15 & food pantry

Mon. 5th – PTA meeting @ 6:30

Tues. 6th - County Spelling Bee @ Antwerp school 7 p.m.

Thur. 8th – Mass @ 9:15

Fri. 9th – 2 hr delay for teacher in-service & Mardi Gras @ 1:30

Wed. 14th - Mass @ 9:15 - Ash Wednesday

Fri. 16th - Stations of the Cross in church @ 1:00

Mon. 19th - No school - Presidents' Day

Papers Coming Home:

- NOSF Scholarship information flyer
- basketball practice schedule
- February lunch menu



Developing
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Students



Our next scheduled PTA meeting is **Monday, February 5th**. It will be at 6:30 in Mr. Grant's room.

Mardi Gras will be held on Friday, February 9th, from 1:30 pm to 2:45 pm. The PTA organizes a fair of activities and games for the students to play. There will be a raffle table where students can buy chances on items. We are asking all families to donate prizes and/or food items. All proceeds from this event are donated to St. Jude Children's Hospital. The flyer that was sent home the past few weeks was due back today. Please bring all prize/candy donations into the office by Friday, February 2nd.



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The girls makeup basketball game vs St. Louis Academy is:

Wednesday, January 31st - Girls home vs Besancon 6:00 p.m.

D.A.R.E.

**TO RESIST DRUGS
AND VIOLENCE.**

We're happy to have officer Nick Mendez back this year to present the D.A.R.E. program to our 5th and 6th graders in Mr. Grant's class. Thank you Paulding County Sheriff's Department for sponsoring this program for our students.



Classroom Spotlight - Kindergarten

Although weather has played some havoc on our school days, kindergarten manages to keep on learning! In prayer time we have become very fond of prayer in the form of a litany. We have begun addition in Math and the picture shows the children playing an addition dice game. In Social Studies we have studied Martin Luther King and enjoyed our art project pictured here. In Science, we learned that not every experiment is successful, but we sure had fun trying to make a snowstorm in a jar!

