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From the Principal's Desk

October 6, 2016



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Holy Spirit School

*Celebrating 50 Years of Inspiring Minds and Igniting Hearts
1966 - 2016*

Formation in Christian Chastity Classes Please Read!

The Diocesan mandated Formation in Christian Chastity Program lessons will be taught in grades 1-8 during the week of October 17th. Information regarding this program may be found on the school website under the Current Families tab and then under Formation in Christian Chastity. This is an **opt-out** program. If you wish to not have your child participate, you must complete the opt-out form.

Additionally, the middle school students have the opportunity to participate in the Diocesan approved Human Growth and Sexuality classes which begin on Thursday, October 20th. This is an **opt-in** program. If you wish to have your child participate, you must complete the opt-in form and return by October 13th. There is an information meeting for parents regarding the Human Growth & Sexuality program on Tuesday, October 11th at 7:00 pm in the school library.

[Click Here for Information and Forms](#)

I hope all of you enjoy the long Columbus Day weekend holiday! Please remember there is no school on Monday, October 10th.

-Maureen Ashby

Principal

Winter Uniforms



Students will move into full winter uniforms
on Tuesday, October 11th.
Please be sure all uniform pieces are ready to
go - both dress uniform and P.E. uniform.



Holy Spirit Veterans and Friends,

Please join us on November 10 at 7:50 am around the flagpole
in front of Holy Spirit School. The student body will conduct a
Flag Raising Ceremony and a special tribute to our veterans.

Please RSVP to Mrs. Schwartz
at cschwartz@holyspiritflames.org by 11/7/16

Thank you and God Bless America!

7th & 8th Grade Spanish Club

7th & 8th graders

Join Mrs. Marino & Mrs. Gibbons for an opportunity to experience the Hispanic culture every last Tuesday of the month from 3:15 to 4:00, starting October 25th.

We will meet on the following dates:

10/25, 11/29, no meeting in December, 1/31, 2/28, 3/28, 4/25, 5/30.

In order to insure proper supervision and quality of activities, membership will be limited to 20 spots.

[Click Here for Sign-Up](#)



Spanish Club

Math Olympiad Grades 6-8

JOIN MATH OLYMPIAD!

Do you want to be challenged and compete against your Middle School peers nationally?

Are you in grades 6-8?

We meet after school on the FIRST and THIRD Thursdays of the month in Mrs. Schwartz's room until 4:15

*NOTE: Parents who are late to pick up, your child will be sent to extended day and charges will accrue!

Follow the link below to register. Space is limited.

First Meeting is November 3 @ 3:15

[Click Here for Sign-Up!](#)





COMING SOON!!!
SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

October 30th - November 4th

KICK OFF – SUNDAY, October 30th, 10AM–2PM

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 8-3:30

Tuesday Opens at 8:00 AM with Evening Hours Until – 7:00 PM

Friday 8-11:30 AM

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**PROCEEDS GO TO THE SCHOOL
LIBRARY – TO VOLUNTEER**

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Join Us for Our Parish



and **Screen**
ON THE **GREEN**

Disney Animation's
"Zootopia"

On the grass between the church and school. In school gym if raining.

All Are Invited!
Side Dish & Dessert Potluck

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15

Dinner **6:45** & Movie **7:15 PM**

HolySpiritChurch.us

HOLY
SPIRIT
Catholic Church

Box Tops are due October 13th!



Holy Spirit Parents and Students,

During the 2015-2016 school year, we earned over \$2,900 collecting Box Tops! Well done.

Our Fall Drive will run from now until Thursday, October 13th. You will find a collection sheet as a separate document on the school website. Print out as many as you wish! Box Tops coupons can be attached to collection sheets using TAPE or GLUE. NO staples please! Be sure to include name of student's teacher so that his/her class gets proper credit. Expired Box Tops coupons do not count. But, partially filled sheets do count!

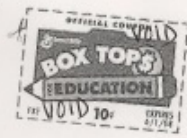
One class per grade will win; there will be 10 winning teams. The class, per grade, that gathers the most Box Tops (average per student) by the deadline of Thursday, October 13th will earn a Dress Down Day!

Ask friends, family and neighbors to help you collect!
(Hint! Hint! check out our sample letter to Grandma)

Visit www.btfe.com/products for a complete list of participating box tops products.

Dear Grandma,
Please collect Box Tops for me. They are the little pink coupons you find on many products you likely already have in your home. Each is worth 10 cents and dimes do add up FAST! My school has contests throughout the year that make it possible for the kids who collect the most to win dress down days. With your help, my chances of winning will be even better. Please clip and save them for me!

Love, Suzy



Box Tops Fall Collection Sheet



Holy Spirit School is now on Twitter!

@HSS_Flames

Follow us to see some of the fun and exciting things that go



Lunch Menu

Please remember that beverages are **not** included in the cost of the hot lunch meals. If your child is having milk or bottled water with lunch that must be paid separately (the link is available under the *Current Families* tab).

[October Lunch Menu](#)



Family Folder Flyers

The following flyers can be found on the website in the folder labeled "October 6, 2016" (or follow the links here) For your convenience, some flyers are repeated with the newest flyers at the top:

School Flyers:

1. [October Lunch Menu](#)
2. [Box Tops Flyer - Fall 2016](#)
3. [Box Tops Collection Sheet - Fall 2016](#)

Parish Flyers:

1. [Parish Pancake Breakfast](#)

2. [Parish Pig Roast](#)

3.

[Knights of Columbus Catholic College Fair](#)

Community Flyers:

1. [Bishop O'Connell Open House](#)

2. [Bishop Ireton Open House](#)
