

St. Alphonsus School April 15- 19 Update

WELCOME



We welcome our new Principal Ms. Joan Woodlock to St. Alphonsus school! She has been with us for 2 weeks now and is getting familiar with the layout of the school, the many routines, and the school environment. She has gone to all the classrooms to introduce herself and is a friendly face around the school already. She has been very impressed by our warm and welcoming students and staff.



Weekly Mass

We have begun participating in Weekly Mass again at St. Alphonsus parish on Mondays. Students will walk with their buddy class on their scheduled date. Please make sure your child(ren) are wearing proper footwear, as they are walking to the church. I will report which classes are going each week in the Parent Update. This week Grade 8B and grade 1/2 will be going.



Good Deeds and Kindness

Students are encouraged to continue doing nice things for others just because they can. Kindness is contagious and everyone appreciates a helpful hand, a smile, or a compliment. As a school family, we are learning about social Justice activities and will be participating in a school wide Social Justice Activity. Stay tuned for what it is.

Reminders



- ❖ Monday April 15 Weekly Mass Gr 8B & 1/2 9-10 am
- ❖ Tuesday April 16 Gr. 7& 8 Pickle ball club at 12:15pm
- ❖ Wednesday April 17 Gr. 9 Pickle ball club at 12:15pm
- ❖ Wednesday April 17 JH Equity club over lunch
- Wednesday April 17 Grades 4-9 Homework club over lunch

- Thursday April 18 ECSD Videographer on site
- Thursday April 18 Spring Door Decorating Contest
- Friday April 19 Spring Door Judging

Looking Ahead at Sports

GO GRIZZLIES!

- Monday, April 15-Badminton Practice 3:15 -5PM
- Tuesday, April 16- Badminton Away game @ HC
- Wednesday, April 17- Badminton Home game Vs JHP/BCR
- Friday, April 19 Badminton Practice 3:15 -5PM





Registrations for the next school year continue. Our school has been selected by the School Division to continue with full day Kindergarten. If you have a child that will be 5 years old by December 31st, 2024, you can register them for kindergarten now. If you know someone else with a child that will be 5 by Dec. 31st, that lives in our area, they can also register their

child. We will be following the year-round calendar again next year, beginning school on Monday August 12, 2024.

GRIZZLY GEAR

The Grizzly Gear store is still open for sales!



We will continue having announcements on broadcast weekly to promote the store as well as posters hung throughout the school with information on how to order apparel. You can either type in the link or scan the QR code with your phone. Below is a link to the poster for you that will be displayed throughout the school.

Everyone will be able to order as there are youth sizes all the way up to adult sizes so there is something for everyone!

You can start ordering right away!

<u>Grizzly Gear Poster</u> Grizzly Gear Website

We are Looking forward to seeing everyone rock their Grizzly Gear!

Looking Ahead

Spirit Week- April 22-26

The class with the most participation each day will win a pizza point.

- Monday- Anything but a Backpack Day
- Tuesday- Alphabet Day- -Dress as something that starts with the first letter of your name. (Heather dresses as a hippo)
- Wednesday- Duo Day- Dress up as a famous duo. (Batman & Robin, Beauty & the Beast etc.)
- Thursday- PJ and Stuffie Day
- Friday- Opposite Day (Dress opposite as you do now. For example: if you wear pants always then wear a skirt, If you dress in all black usually, be a rainbow).



Have a great weekend!