



Important Dates & Times

Thursday, March 29th, 2018

Holy Thursday

Half Day Dismissal

11:15 am Buses

11:30 am Walkers

Friday, March 30th, 2018

Good Friday

NO SCHOOL

Friday, April 6th, 2018

Spring Soiree

Quidnessett Country Club

6pm - 11pm

IN THE NEWS

LIBRARY NEWS

READING WEEK IS COMING!

Monday, April 9th - Friday, April 13th

An information packet will come home with your child this week. Please take the time to read through it and email me (ccambio@olmschool.org) with any questions.

Highlights:

- **Huga Tuga** (pronounced Hooga Tooga) assembly on Friday, April 13th. We will all be wearing our t-shirts (over our uniforms) to the assembly.
- **Mother Goose** will perform for PreK 3 - Kindergarten on Monday, April 9th.
- "**Open-Mic**" opportunities during all lunch periods all week long. Practice reciting a poem, short story or joke!
- **Surprise Readers' Theatre** for PreK3 - Grade 1 on Wednesday, April 11th at 1:30 in the gym
- Fourth Grade will be hosting a **Charlotte's Web County Fair** (complete with county fair games and short skits from the book) for our Third Grade friends on Thursday, April 12th in the gym (afternoon).
- We are collecting new and gently used books for children AND adults for **McAuley Village**.
- We will be sprucing up and utilizing the OLM stage for the week!

THANK YOU for supporting our efforts to put reading FIRST! - Mrs. Cambio & The Reading Week Committee

OLM MIDDLE SCHOOL BASKETBALL TEAM

The girls Middle school team won the CAL State Championship on Saturday! Congratulations on a fantastic season and job WELL DONE! Thank you OLM school community for your continued support of our athletic teams - you keep us going strong!

YEARBOOK

The deadline for yearbooks is quickly approaching! Please order yours today, as we will not be ordering many extra to sell this year... don't miss out!

Simply go to YBPAY.LIFETOUCH.COM and enter yearbook ID code: 5018418

The standard order is a soft cover book... if you would like a hard cover, please be sure to select that upgrade option when ordering.

Please text Kristin Breiding at [401-339-8844](tel:401-339-8844) with any questions.

If you have any photos you would like included in the yearbook, please send ASAP, as our deadline to go to print is in the next couple of weeks... before April vacation.

ART NEWS

Grades 5-8 AT-HOME Projects are due **April 10th & 12th**. Student Artists are requested to bring in their finished work on their assigned day and art class period.

RE-ENROLLMENT

Invoices sent home to current families should be signed and sent in with \$250 to hold your child's placement for the upcoming 2018-2019 school year. Please be sure envelopes are clearly marked re-registration. Thank you!

APPLICATIONS FOR LITTLE SAINTS & SCHOLARS PRE K3 PROGRAM

Dear OLM Community,

We are pleased to announce that there is still time to apply and a few seats available for the 2018/19 school year in our "Little Saints & Scholars" Pre K Program for Three Year Olds! Registration is now open online, and applications are currently being accepted. Space for this program is Very Limited, so register early! Please visit our website at olmschool.org under ADMISSIONS; HOW TO APPLY to complete an on-line application to begin the admission process. Please call or email Mrs. Kimberly Izzi, Admissions Coordinator if you need any assistance. Thanks.

ONE-ON-ONE BASKETBALL CAMP

Details have been released for the One-On-One April Vacation Basketball camp. Please see attachments below.

[Wed. Notes OLM reminder notes 3-2-18 \(1\).doc](#)

[EG April Vac flyer 2018.doc](#)

PRAYERS & PETITIONS

Please pray for healing and comfort for an OLM parent who is facing difficulty in the days to come.

PTG

Dress Down Raffle Tickets Sale— All the kids look forward to this raffle every year, and someone will win! This is part of our Spring Soiree fundraiser. Please send in your order forms for your Dress down raffle tickets today! Price is \$30 per ticket or 3 for \$80. The order form went home in last week's envelopes. Please remember to check off your choice to win one of three great prizes:

1. Chromebook
2. \$500.00 cash
3. Tuition voucher worth \$1,500.00

We will “pick the winning raffle tickets” at our Spring Soiree on April 6th. You do NOT have to be present to win. A huge thank you to Jaime Pedro for chairing and organizing this for us this year. We hope you have the winning ticket!

Happy Easter OLM Parents - We hope you all have a blessed Easter Sunday with family and friends! Just a few noteworthy items below:

Square 1 Art--- What a great success! Thank you to all who ordered! We had 50% of our school participate, and we made **\$1,254 in total profit** for our school! Thank you again to Lee Mita for organizing and chairing this great fundraiser for our school. Stay tuned for next year, as this was so fun for our kids and parents, we will be sure to offer this again. Great job Lee!

Spring Soiree RSVP deadline: Today, Wednesday, March 28th is the last day for you to RSVP. You can still go **online** to Silent Auction Pro by clicking the link below to purchase your tickets today.

<https://www.silentauctionpro.com/onlineticketpurchase.php?groupId=158>

Petals for Kids Campaign---- Please continue to send in your donations, as they are all tax deductible. Our gardens are blooming with the names of all our corporate and family donors. Thank you so very much for all your generous donations. Please visit the school to check out our beautiful petal gardens on the hallways of our school. Thank you again to Courtney Cavanagh for all her hard work in chairing our Petals campaign and for creating, by hand, all our beautiful flowers and our gardens!

Have a blessed Easter!

Lisa Cooper, PTG president

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Mission Statement

Our Mission at Our Lady of Mercy School is to follow the Lord Jesus Christ and His Church as we pursue excellence in academics, athletics, and the arts. In the midst of a safe and nurturing environment, we seek to develop a good moral character built upon the teachings of the Catholic Church. We strive to be Saints and Scholars who serve the evangelical mission of our parish so that Mercy may flourish.