



Important Dates & Times

April 16th - April 20th, 2018
Spring Vacation
NO SCHOOL

Save The Date

Thursday, April 26th, 2018
Band "Dough Raiser"
Pizzeria UNO's

IN THE NEWS

LIBRARY NEWS

This week is Reading Week! Literacy at Lunch has been fantastic - we are so proud of all the kids who have participated! Mother Goose was here earlier this week and Huga Tuga will be here on Friday! Thank you to all students, faculty and parents who have continued their support of the library!

DRAMA

Dear OLM Families,

OLM's 2018 **Mary Poppins, Jr.** drama program will begin on **Tuesday, May 1st from 2:30pm - 5:00pm!**

This is a **brand new Disney version** of a wonderful classic show!

All students will be featured in at least **six scenes** throughout the show.

REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR GRADES 2 - 8

Registration will begin on **Monday, April 2nd** in stages:

- **Grades 4-8:** registration open April 2nd -3rd
- **Grades 2-3:** registration open April 4th -5th
- **Grade 1** (if space available): registration open April 6th -9th

The program will cost \$210 and includes 10 tickets, good for either show.

SHOW AND REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

SHOWS: Saturday, June 9th at 7:00pm and Sunday, June 10th at 5:00pm at East Greenwich High School.

After the first week, students can generally expect to be called to rehearsal:

- Leads: 3-5 days/week, 2:30-5:00pm
- Ensemble: 2-3 days/week, 2:30-5:00pm

During "Tech Week," the week before the show, students will rehearse every day, with dress rehearsals on Friday, June 8th 3pm-8pm and Saturday, June 9th 9am-2pm, both at EGHS.

A more detailed rehearsal schedule will be published every 1-2 weeks, starting May 1st.

If you have any questions, please contact an OLM drama volunteer at olm.drama@yahoo.com.

3RD GRADE ALMSGIVING

Thank you to everyone who helped make our Lenten almsgiving mission a success. The third grade families were asked to donate items that were then used to make ten Easter baskets. Students in the classes gave up their recess time to sell tickets for the raffle. When all was said and done, we had raised \$623 to assist different charities! We truly appreciate your help. The children see, with their parents support, **"that Mercy will flourish."**
J. Perretta and J. Hackett

BAND "DOUGH RAISER"

Please join us to support Our Lady of Mercy Band at this year's annual "Dough Raiser" at Pizzeria UNO's on **April 26th, 2018**. Up to 20% of proceeds goes back to our BAND! Please be sure to download the voucher - you must bring it with you to redeem! Purchases (Dine-in or Takeout) made throughout the day will be honored!
Download voucher here.... [Uno Pizzeria and Grill flyer.pdf](#)

GRANDPARENTS DAY

Grandparents Day invitations went home this week! We are so excited to continue this wonderful tradition! Please be sure to mark your calendars for May 10, 2018. RSVP's are due by May 2, 2018. For any questions, please contact Jennifer Nygren at jnygren@olmschool.org.

RICE BOWLS

Rice Bowl Donations are now due! Please send in your contributions to the front office clearly marked "Rice Bowl". Please note a check made out to OLM with the collected amount should be sent in - not the actual "bowl". Thank you for your continued support!

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.

PTG

Thank you OLM Parents! It was so great to celebrate our children with many of you at our Spring Soiree this past Friday night at Quidnessett. We had a fantastic turnout of 175 parents, families and friends. It is only because of your incredible generosity and support, that our event was so successful. A special thank you to all our OLM family and corporate donors! Your donated items and services played such a major role in both our live and silent auctions this year. And of course, the night would not have been such a success without the generous auction items donated by Father Healey, Father Barrow, and Principal Fuller, so thank you! We are still tallying up our final numbers from the night, and we will update you over the next couple of weeks.

We want to thank each member of our Spring Soiree Committee along with every friend and volunteer who worked so hard since October to make the night so special for us all. A special thank you again to our chair, Jamie Narcessian, and our two auction chairs, Cait Costa and Maureen Chianese, who worked tirelessly to make it all happen for us! It was a true team effort, and every member of our Spring Soiree team and every volunteer deserves a huge thank you!!!!

Petals for Kids Campaign - Please continue to send in your donations to our school, as they are all tax deductible. Our hallways will continue to bloom until the last day of school with ALL the names of all our corporate and family donors. Thank you so very much for all your generous donations!

We hope you all have a blessed and well deserved vacation week!! Enjoy with your friends and families!!

Thank you again!

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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.