



Important Dates & Times

Friday, April 6th, 2018

First Friday Mass 9:00 am

Formal Uniform

Spring Soiree

Quidnessett Country Club

6pm - 11pm

Wednesday, April 11th, 2018

Mock Trial Competition

OLM vs. Moses Brown

Kent County Superior Court

IN THE NEWS

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!

LIBRARY NEWS

It's almost here! We kick off Reading Week this Monday, April 9th! Please continue to send in book donations for children and adults. Friends of Mercy will be delivering the books to McAuley Village.

We hope you chose to participate in the T-shirt project. Shirts are due to your teacher on Wednesday, April 11th. Keep track of the books you read and submit your little paper t-shirts to your teacher. If you need more, we have extra copies! How many books can we read next week?

Thank you for supporting our efforts to put reading first for a whole week!

The Reading Week Committee

Mrs. Cambio, Ms. Peretta, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Palmisano and Mrs. Mitchell

DRAMA

Please join us for OLM's production of Mary Poppins, Jr., directed by the award-winning Rhode Island Youth Theatre!

All registered students will be cast by RIYT directors in scenes throughout the show.

PROGRAM DATES:

Program will begin on Tuesday, May 1, 2018 at 2:30pm.

Practice schedules will be emailed out after casting is complete. Typically students will be scheduled for practice 2-3 times per week from 2:30-5pm - more if they have a lead part.

During "tech week" - the week of the show - students will need to be available for rehearsal every day.

Students who are in band/choir can come to rehearsal at 3:00pm after their practice.

Dress Rehearsals: Friday, June 8th (3pm-8pm) and Saturday, June 9th (9am-2pm).

On Friday, June 8th, we will bus students from OLM to EGHS. Parents should pick up their children that evening from EGHS at 8:00pm.

Two Shows: Saturday, June 9th, 7:00pm, and Sunday, June 10th, 5:00pm at EGHS.

REGISTRATION:

Grades 4-8: Open April 2nd – 4th

Grades 2-3: Open April 4th – 5th

Grade 1 (if space available): Open April 6th – 9th

FEES: \$210 includes Subway dinner; \$205 without Subway dinner. (Orders to be taken later.)

Program fee includes bus transportation for June 8th dress rehearsal.

1) Please make checks payable to Our Lady of Mercy School
(Memo: DRAMA/Child's Name).

2) Place check in an envelope marked "DRAMA" with child's name and homeroom. Submit to homeroom teacher or front office on registration date for your child's grade.

WE ARE NOT COLLECTING PHOTOS THIS YEAR.

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

REGISTRATION FORM:

[2018 OLM Drama Program Registration: Mary Poppins, Jr.](#)

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.

Please find attached the flyer for our new program. Feel free to share with friends and family!

[Saints %26 Scholars Open House Flyer.pdf](#)

YEARBOOK

The deadline for yearbook orders is Wed., April 11th. One week from today! At this point we are only able to process online orders...

We will not be ordering many extra to sell, so 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 401-339-8844 with any questions.

KIND WORDS ADS

2017/2018 Kind Words Ads now on sale! Please download attached form to fill out and send into the front office with payment clearly marked "Kind Words". For questions, please call Kristin Breiding directly.

[KIND WORDS AD YEARBOOK 2018.pdf](#)

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](#)

LENTEN FOOD DRIVE

Dear Students of OLM School,

The OLM Food Pantry would like to Thank You & your families for the generous Lenten Donations that you collected for this Easter Holiday Season. Over twenty baskets were assembled and distributed to individuals and families in need. The balance of nonperishable items restocked the food pantry shelves and insures that we will be able to service clients through the entire Spring Season.

HAPPY EASTER & God Bless you for extending the gift of Mercy to those in need.

Doug Green

PTG

Hello Parents - We hope you all had a wonderful Easter with family and friends. Our Spring Soiree is this Friday night at Quidnessett!

Dress Down Raffle Tickets Sale - Please remember to purchase your dress down raffle tickets today! Price is \$30 per ticket or 3 for \$80. Please remember to check off your choice to win **one** of three great prizes:

1. Chromebook
2. \$500 cash
3. Tuition voucher worth \$1,500.

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. If you need an order form, please ask the front office or email us. We hope you have the winning ticket!

Petals for Kids Campaign - You can still continue to send in your donations to our school, as they are all tax deductible. Our hallways are blooming with the names of all our corporate and family donors. Thank you so very much for all your generous donations. Thank you 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!

We look forward to celebrating with you all this Friday Night!

Have a blessed week!

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.