



PTG President's Message

There are a lot of events happening over the next few weeks. There are a number of opportunities to volunteer! The OLM Saints & Scholars Open is Monday, September 26! Take a look below for ways you can participate even if you aren't golfing. The Colorthon is October 20 and Trunk or Treat is October 28. Details on both events and ways to volunteer will be shared in the upcoming weeks.

Tee It Up For OLM

Mark your calendars! Join OLM families, parishioners and alumni for the OLM School and Parish Golf Tournament to benefit the Saints and Scholars Fund at OLM School. The tournament is Monday, September 26 at the Quidnessett Country Club. Be sure to [register and join](#) this amazing fundraising event!

We are also looking for volunteers to assist at the event! [Sign up here.](#)

See You In September Raffle

The annual "[See You in September](#)" raffle is now on! The raffle, organized by the church, supports the OLM School. Tickets will be sold after Masses, and they are also available at the Parish Office. Tickets are \$100 each. Winners will be announced at OLM's Oktoberfest on September 30.

If you attend weekend Mass and would like to volunteer after Mass to sell raffle tickets, please email olmptg@gmail.com.

Colorthon

The Colorthon Fundraiser will be held on Thursday, October 20 (rain date Wednesday, October 19). Next Wednesday, please check your child's school envelope for the details and launch of this super fun fundraiser.

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Room Parents

The role of a room parent is to ensure an open line of communication between the PTG Board and the parents of their child's classmates. Room parents are the key link between the Board and the wider school community, and they will rally and organize volunteers for school and classroom events throughout the year.

An email outlining the roles and responsibilities of the room parent was sent out to all parents. If you are interested, there will be an opportunity for you to sign up through your student's teacher.

School Directory

This year the school directory is accessible online via your FACTS Family Portal. You can search families or students by their last names or grades! If you would prefer a hard copy of the directory, [please fill out this form](#) by Monday, September 26. Each hard copy is a \$5.00 fee.

Trunk or Treat

Trunk or Treat will be held on Friday, October 28. Details will be shared in the upcoming weeks, along with ways you can help!

PTG Meetings

PTG meetings are open to all OLM families. While our PTG Board leads the group's activities, every family plays an important role in helping events succeed and in building our school community. If you are interested in learning about PTG activities, please join us for [PTG meetings](#). We welcome any new ideas you may have! The next meeting will be Tuesday, October 18 at 6:00pm in the school library.

Volunteers Needed!

We are always looking for volunteers to assist throughout the year. If you are interested in volunteering for events throughout the school year, please [sign up here](#)! Be sure to complete the necessary [Volunteer Forms](#).

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PTG Questions?

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