

Corpus Connection January 28, 2022

Parent Meeting Follow-up on Tuition 2022-23

A letter summarizing the parent meeting is attached to today's email. After reading the letter, if you have any questions, please contact me. Registration for 2022-23 will begin in mid-February.

Catholic School Week

Next week, we will celebrate with Catholic schools across the nation in the annual celebration of Catholic education. While the week is filled with fun activities and different clothes other than school uniforms, we must be mindful that a Catholic education is a gift, and we are grateful for it. The full schedule of activities and dress is attached to this email.

Tricky Trays

Please return your completed tray by Monday, January 31st. We have about 10 trays in already. The excitement about them is definitely in the air!

Tickets are 4 for \$1 or 25 for \$5. Tickets will not be sold during the school day. A ticket order form is included with this communication. The order form includes information on the ticket process. Like last year, we will not be having the dinner to end Catholic Schools Week, so the drawing for the Tricky Trays will be held at school on Friday, February 4th.

COVID Updates and Important Notes

Here is the current guidance:

If a student tests positive for COVID, he or she must isolate and stay home for 5 days. After 5 days, if there are no symptoms or symptoms are resolving, the student can return to school, but should be masked around others for 5 additional days. Students can resume extracurricular activities on Day 6 if able to wear a mask properly at all times for Days 6-10, and the above conditions are met and cleared by a physician.

If a student is exposed to someone with COVID and is boosted and vaccinated, he or she may remain in school as long as there are no symptoms. Students should wear a mask at all times for at least 10 days and test on Day 5, if possible. They may continue in extracurricular activities and wear a mask at all times while not actively performing or playing.

If a student is exposed to someone with COVID and is unvaccinated or partially vaccinated, he or she should stay home for 5 days after last exposure and test on Day 5, if possible. Students may return to school on Day 6 if asymptomatic. They should wear a mask at all times for the additional 5 days. Students may not participate in extracurricular activities for the 5 days at home, but may resume these activities on Day 6 only if able to wear a mask at all times (including actively performing or playing). If symptoms were to develop, students should stay home and be tested.

We are able to perform a rapid test at school, but parent consent is required.

Masks work best when they are worn consistently and correctly over the nose and mouth. Gaiters are not recommended as they are not usually able to be worn snug enough.

Employment Opportunities

I have a few immediate openings. One is for a temporary PreK aide as Mrs. Vanderheyden will be out for several weeks. I am looking for someone who could at least work approximately 7:30 a.m. -1:00 p.m. Monday-Friday. The second position remains for Aftercare. This position is 3:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Monday-Friday. While a faithful group of teachers and staff have helped all year so we can continue to offer aftercare, this is not sustainable long-term. The 4th grade aide position is also still open. This position is 7:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Monday-Friday. And, lastly, we are still looking for a PE Teacher.

If you or someone you know are interested in any of these positions, please contact the school office.

St. Joseph High School is also looking to fill some openings. You can view all of their openings on their school website

Job Openings at St. Joe High School

Upcoming Dates

Sunday, January 30th –

Saturday, February 5th Catholic Schools Week (see the attached schedule for a full list of

activities)

Monday, January 31st 100th Day of School

Tuesday, February 8th 1:00 p.m. Dismissal AND No Aftercare

Monday, February 21st No School – Presidents' Day

Tuesday, February 22nd 7:00 p.m. First Communion Parent Meeting