



Adventure Awaits

January 29, 2025

		<p>Thurs. 1/30 CANF Superbowl! K-8 Dress in your assigned colors; Pre-K 4 - Buffalo Bills; Pre-K 3 any sports clothes Event: Superbowl events & 8th Graders vs Staff Volleyball Game</p>	<p>Fri. 1/31 Glow Day! Dress in neon colors or tie dye. Event: Drop Everything and Dance & Glow Dance Party Stand By Me Dance sign ups due</p> <p>Basketball Games at St. Johns</p>	<p>Sat. 2/1 Diocesan Chess Club Tournament</p>
<p>Sun. 2/2 Faith Formation Basket Raffle @ St. Leo's 10am-4pm</p>	<p>Mon. 2/3 Blessing of the Throats</p>	<p>Tues. 2/4 Dress down for those who attended the Kick off CSW Week mass on 1/26.</p> <p>Art, ASL, and Book Clubs until 3pm</p>	<p>Wed. 2/5 Pre-K 3+4 and K Open House 6-7:30pm</p>	

SCHOOL NEWS:

Catholic Schools Week has been so much fun!

- ★ Thank you to Pierce Charnock's Uncle Richie from ABC Rentals who donated 2 bounce houses and 3 blow up sports games! Thank you to his cousin Ryan for setting them up! The children had a blast!
- ★ We had a great visit by Bishop Mike and some students even got to enjoy lunch with him and his team!
- ★ Thank you to Mrs. Croom for creating the Buddy Activities for the school in the gym, and all the staff for making the visions of CSW a reality!

Congratulations to our 8th Graders who received their acceptance letters from High Schools!

Mount Saint Mary's: Jazmeet Dosanjh, Lovella Douglas, Harshita Sharma

Cardinal O'Hara: Lovella Douglas, Gino Corsaro, Vanessa Freeman, Colin Halpin, Lilli Minter, Dreonna Rankin, Zay Starks, & Rocco Streck

Sacred Heart: Harshita Sharma

St. Mary's Lancaster: Lilli Minter

Canisius: Colin Halpin & Ian Waikel

St. Joseph's Collegiate Institute - Colin Halpin

Bishop Timon - Colin Halpin

St. Francis - Rocco Streck

February School and lunch calendars are enclosed.

If you have a sibling that is entering Pre-K 3, 4, or Kindergarten next year, please join us for our Open House for Pre-K 3, 4, & Kindergarten Families on Wednesday, February 5th from 6:00-7:30pm and get your child(ren) registered before classes fill up!

LAST CALL! If you haven't done so already please complete the **Parent/Family survey** given to us by the Diocese to assess our students' academic, behavioral, social, and emotional needs, as well as our families ability to support them by Friday, January 31st. The link is: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/K6CF9WV>. Thank you in advance for your participation.

Registration: Please return your completed Registration packets and fees by Friday, Feb. 14th to save \$25 a child or \$100 a family! If you have any questions, call the office. To request another Registration packet, please call the office. *If you do not plan to return to CANF next year, please email Mrs. Richards so that she can send you an Exit Survey to continue to improve our school.

Yearbook Patron Ads are due by Thursday, Feb. 27th. The flyer was enclosed last week. Contact Miss Meranto with any questions.

Yearbook Order Forms are included in today's folder. Ordering is online only and due by Saturday, March 1.

Pre-K 4 Families: The **BISON Fund** pre-application for those who are not currently receiving Bison has opened up! To start the process, families can complete a pre-application form on this website <https://bisonfund.com/our-scholarships/>. The deadline is March 31st. Scholarships are awarded using a lottery system from all submitted pre-application forms and all applicants will be notified of lottery results via email.

Current Bison families will get an email on Feb. 24th.

SPORTS & AFTER SCHOOL UPDATES:

- ★ **SPRING Bowling** - See enclosed flyer! The form and payment are due by Feb. 6th.
- ★ Good luck to the following who will be participating in the **Chess Tournament** on Saturday.
- ★ **Art (K-2), ASL (3-5), and Book (6-8) Clubs** will begin next week Tuesday from 2:20-3. Flyers and sign ups went home last week! Spots are still available!
- ★ **Soccer Shots** continues on Wednesdays 2:20-3pm for Pre-K 3 + 4. Reminder that pick up is at Door #2! It will run through March 19th (no March 5th because of the Auction and make up because of Cold Day).
- ★ **Basketball & Cheer** - continue to follow the schedule sent home.

FSA UPDATES:

- ❖ **LAST CALL** - Sign up for our first "**Stand by Me**" **Dance** that will be held on Friday, Feb. 7th. The flyer and sign up form went home last week are due by Friday, Jan. 31st!
- ❖ If you have not yet paid your **FSA \$25 fee**, you are receiving a final notice note today before your FACTS account is charged. (Whoops! It never went home last week.)

FUNDRAISING UPDATES:

- **Valentine's Lollipop Sale** began last week and runs until Feb. 10th! Note: They are heart shaped lollipops, not ring pops. Each one sells for \$1. To request more sheets, contact the office.
- **Easter Candy Sale Updates:** The sale began last week and will end Feb. 27th. All fundraising families must sell at least \$150. If you did not get your catalogue last week, please be sure to call the office. You may also place your order online. *Our school code is: 703668.*

AUCTION UPDATES:

- ****The Auction is almost 1 month away!****
- **Thank you** to those who sent in your baskets early. You will receive a sheet of green tickets per basket up to 3.
- All **fundraising families** must send in a basket worth at least \$25. You will be getting a reminder in the next few weeks.
- **Class Basket items or monetary donations** are due by Wednesday, Feb. 19th. Refer to your child's classroom letter that should have gone home or will be going soon.
- **Be sure to volunteer to work at the Auction.** Please sign up on Sign Up Genius link that was emailed out or MS/Alumni please return your sheets. Please call the office with any questions.
- **In today's folder, you will find:**
 - ◆ Auction Pre-sale ticket order form - due Friday, Feb. 28th