

SCHOOL HOUSE NEWS

- Feb. 1 Catholic Schools Week Liturgy 10:50 AM
Confirmation Commitment Mass 7:00 PM
Progressive Raffle begins
- Feb. 2 Open House – Prospective Families 9:00-11:00 AM
Royals Meeting 7:00 PM Cafeteria
- Feb. 3 Spirit Day
Blessing of Throats
- Feb. 4 Parent Classroom Visitation 9:0-11:00 AM
SJAA Meeting 7:00 PM library
- Feb. 5 Teacher Appreciation Day
Polar Plunge Dress Down
- Feb. 9 BWF 8th Grade
8th Grade Parent Meeting 7:00 PM Cafeteria
- Feb. 10 PTA Board Meeting 8:15 AM Cafeteria
School Board Meeting 7:00 PM Library
- Feb. 11 BWF 7th Grade
- Feb. 12- School Closed**

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- Feb. 17 Ash Wednesday
- Feb. 18 BWF 6th Grade
- Feb. 19 End of the trimester
Dance – Grades 6,7,8 7:00-9:00 PM BSA
- Feb. 22 Brothers Night
- Feb. 23 Winter Clubs begin
- Feb. 24 Student Program – Grades 6,7,8
- Feb. 25 Winter Clubs
Graduation Retakes
- Feb. 26 “Other Children of God” Dress Down day - Haiti
- Feb. 27 YMCA Night

REMINDERS

Spirit Day – Students may dress down but must wear a team tee-shirt or sweat shirt of some kind. Students may wear hats.

8th Grade Parent Meeting – At least one parent is to attend. Students do not attend. Stepping Stones to Graduation will be discussed along with transitioning into high school...for both students and parents.

Blessing of Throats/Reception of Ashes – Both sacramental events will take place during the school day.

Winter Clubs – Please be sure to send in a change of dismissal note on the days your child is attending a club. Students must be picked up promptly at the end of the club. You may park in the parking lot.

PARKING FOR PICK-UP PURPOSES IS PERMITTED ONLY ON THE SCHOOL SIDE OF THE STREET AS PER DIRECTIONS FROM THE RED BANK POLICE. This directive must be heeded.

Uniforms – As stated in last month’s School House News, there will be some changes to the school uniform for next year.

Boys’ pants/shorts –khaki

Boys’ golf and polo shirts – hunter green or white

(Green shirts are not to be worn with the sweater during the winter months – only white. Green may be worn in the fall and spring only.)

Green shirts are for boys only.

We have changed the girls' pants to pleated khaki pants, also. The pants may be worn during the winter months only. The pants will be for girls in Grades 1-4. Girls will still wear the plaid shorts.

Gym uniforms – shorts and tees are the same

Sweats – Hunter green pants

Gray crew/hooded sweat shirts.

Kindergarten will wear the gym uniform to school daily. Any combination of the uniform is acceptable.

Haiti Donations – Thank for supporting our students' activities/sales to help raise funds for Haiti. In just this short time, the various groups of students have raised more than \$2000 from bake sales, bracelet sales, and dress down events. We have discovered that there is a St. James School (elementary and high school) in Haiti. They are twinned with a parish in Indiana. We have been in touch with the pastor. Our plan is to work with them in their efforts since they already have a relationship with those folks. We hope to donate our used gym uniforms to them.