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From the Principal

Dear St. Paul School Community:

This Friday is mid-marking period for the second trimester. At this time, student progress will be ready for review. Grades Kindergarten through 2nd grade will be sending *Progress Reports* home to parents and grades 3 through 8 will have **students**' **up-to-date grades posted** in **Genesis**. Parents can access Genesis by the end of the school day (January 21) to see student's grade averages in each subject.

This is definitely an opportunity for parents to discuss academic progress with their children. Students need to look at this mid-marking period review as a chance to see if they are happy with the progress in each subject so far, or if necessary, to plan possible strategies for improvement. This is truly a time for reflection! This is a time for students to plan for some interventions, if needed. Teachers would absolutely appreciate

conversations with students at this time where improvement can be planned and help provided where and when necessary.

Let's use this as a learning advantage.

Important dates:

- Star Renaissance Testing (Round 2) has begun and will continue through January 28. This standardized assessment is given to all 2nd grade to 8th grade students and will again test Language Arts and Mathematics skills.
- 2. Catholic Schools' Week runs from January 30 through February 4. This is the time of year where re-registrations and new registrations for St. Paul School are encouraged and accepted. Please check our website or contact the school office for 2022-23 Registration Information. All forms will be posted and available by January 28. Thank you!

God bless, William Robbins Principal

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Free at-home Covid Tests

Each residence is eligible to receive 4 free (at-home) Covid tests. Please visit: https://www.covidtests.gov/ to order yours.



Please reach out to me at djohnson@stpaulbrl.org with any questions or concerns. I am more than happy to help you! I am available Monday through Friday from 10am - 2pm.



PTA News



Casino Night 2022!

The night you've all been waiting for is finally here. Our exciting disco-themed Casino

Night will be **Saturday**, **February 26**, **from 6-10pm**. Doors will open at 5:30 pm. Dress in your best disco attire if you so choose. This

adults-only event will feature professional casino dealers at various gaming tables. Don't know how to play; don't worry, they'll teach you. Trade chips in for tickets to win exciting prizes and baskets.

It's all for fun to help support our school!
Bring your friends and family to one of our biggest fundraisers of the year. There will be a buffet dinner (catered by G & M Caterers), drinks and, of course. gambling and great prizes. This event is always a big hit so don't be late ordering your tickets. This event will sell out!

Don't miss our EARLY BIRD SPECIAL - \$50 worth of gaming chips, dinner, drink ticket, two tombola boards with ticket purchase before February 11, 2022!

Please see the flyer in today's newsletter for more information and to order tickets.

Any questions, please contact pta@stpaulbrl.org

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Log on to ZOOM and help us kick off Catholic Schools Week from the comfort of your home for some **FREE** family fun for our SPS families!

Please email Elisa at ewinter1017@gmail.com with the subject "SPS Family Bingo" and let us know if you will be joining us. Please include how many people will be playing so we can provide the boards.

An SPS Family Bingo Supply Kit will be sent home with your child that day and will include everything you will need to play.

See the flyer with our weekly newsletter.



Do you have a new idea for fundraising you would like to share? Join our Ways and Means Committee for a virtual meeting on Thursday, January 20, 2022, @7:30. This is a smaller setting to express any new ideas you may have. Please do not be shy!

Please email kimkryscnski@gmail.com if you would like further details and would like a link to join. We hope to see you there!!

Porfirio's Dine and Donate

It's time for our next dine and donate/pickup. We will have the pick up at the school. **Orders are due**Thursday, January 20. Pick up will be from 3 5pm Monday, January 31 in the school cafeteria.

Please see the flyer in this week's newsletter for more information.



National Junior Honor Society



Sock Drive

NJHS is still collecting socks for their 2nd Annual Sock Drive. We are asking each student to donate a pair of new socks. See attached flier for more details.

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Pretzels are Back!

NJHS will be selling pretzels during lunch periods each Thursday. Pretzels are \$1.00.



The Smencil Sale is still ongoing! If you're interested in purchasing a smencil please send in your \$1 to Mrs. McDonough's attention.



The NJHS is collecting soda tabs for the Ronald McDonald House! Please

start sending in your tabs today. <u>The grade that</u> collects the most tabs by February 1, 2022 will receive a dress down day.



This year Scrip has come out with an app to help make Scrip purchases easier. The Raise Right Fundraising app links to your Scrip account and allows for you to shop Scrip on the spot in the store. Ask your Scrip coordinator how you can get involved in this money saving program. We have a new access code (2E75B1AL13322). Please visit our school website for more scrip information and contact Nicole LeVach at clevach@comcast.net with any questions.

For your convenience Scrip is available for purchase in the lobby on Friday mornings 8:00 - 9:00am.



Box Tops for Education

Thank you for scanning your receipts for the Box

Tops for Education program. The school recently received over \$500 from Box Tops.

Please see the flyer in today's weekly news for information on how to scan your receipts to support St. Paul School.

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Confirmation Prep for 8th Grade Students

Completed Confirmation packets – Registration

Form (with Baptismal certificate), Sponsor

Eligibility form and letters to Fr. Jerome are due
to the Religious Education Office by February

24th. Service logs are due by March 24th. You
may send/turn in by hard copy or email
(kdelprato@stkatharinedrexel-nj.org).

If you have any questions about the packet, be sure to contact the Rel. Ed. Office as soon as possible.

kdelprato@stkatharinedrexel-nj.org or 609-386-1645, ext. 215

<u>Camden Catholic Admissions</u> <u>Events</u>

Irish Experience Visit Day

Another way to see CCHS in action and experience the many facets of life as a student wearing the green and white. Experience includes classroom visit, discussion with

current students, lab activities, lunch and Q&A with faculty, students and administrators. Register online:

www.camdencatholic.org/admissionsevents

Little Mermaid Character Breakfast

CCHS presents The Little Mermaid Character breakfast on Sunday, March 13. This is a fantastic event for children of all ages, presented by our students which includes sing a longs, fun activities and photo opps! Tickets can be purchased at https://www.cchsperformingarts.com/character-brunch Tickets for the 2PM matinee show should be purchased separately at https://www.cchsperformingarts.com/tickets Please see the flyer with this week's newsletter.



Looking Ahead...

Thursday, January 20:

Dine and donate orders due

Friday, January 21:

2nd Trimester Progress Reports Available

Friday, January 28:

Family Bingo, 7-8pm

Spirit Wear Day

Sunday, January 30 - Friday, February 4:

Catholic Schools Week

Monday, January 31:

Dine and donate pick up in school cafeteria 3:00 - 5:00pm

Tuesday, February 15:

Yearbook Club (Red Team) 3:00 - 4:15pm