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January 9, 2020 Message from Ms. Dodson, Interim Principal

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Messages from the Principal!

Saint Ambrose Community,

Thank you for joining us for the Skate Party. We pray that everyone has had a great start to the 2019 year!

As we start the new year, we are also looking to our next school year. Re-registration is currently open for the 2019-2020 school year through TADS. Please take a moment to register any new siblings as well. **As a reminder, re-registration ends on Monday, February 11.** The fee is \$200 per child; \$100 of that re-registration fee goes towards your 2018-2019 tuition. After February 11, there is a late fee of \$50 and seats are not guaranteed. There is a packet of tuition information being sent home in the Thursday folder.

Take care,

Mr. Nelson Abreu

Scantron Testing

The mid-year Scantron testing for grades 2-8 will commence in two weeks. The exact dates were provided in the letter distributed in the Thursday folder sent prior to break. Dates may also be found in the *Weekly Updates* and *Calendar Reminders*. Please reinforce the importance of the test to your child as information gathered is very valuable to our teachers. Also, please make sure to have your child get a good night's sleep the night prior and a good breakfast the morning of the test.

La prueba Scantron de mitad de año para los grados 2-8 comenzará en dos semanas. Las fechas exactas fueron proporcionadas en la carta distribuida en la carpeta del jueves enviada antes del receso. Las fechas también se pueden encontrar en las actualizaciones semanales y en los recordatorios del calendario. Por favor, refuerce la importancia de la prueba para su hijo/a ya que la información recopilada es muy valiosa para nuestros maestros. También, por favor asegúrese de que su hijo/a duerma bien la noche anterior y desayune bien la mañana del examen.

Martin Luther King Jr. Service Day

Once again, we are preparing for the MLK Day of Service which will be on Monday, January 20 from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM in the Saint Ambrose Gym. Last year, we collected toiletry donations in a classroom contest. Your generous support helped us to prepare over 450 toiletry bags for homeless persons through SOME.org. This year, we hope to prepare at least that many toiletry bags while also preparing foot care bags for the homeless through SOCKS (So Others Can Keep Striding).

Item collection has begun and will continue through Friday, January 17th. The class that donates the most items will receive a surprise.

On the day of the event, we will also collect gently used books for donation to various organizations in Prince George's County. We will gladly accept them!

Una vez más, nos estamos preparando para el Día de Servicio de MLK que será el lunes 20 de enero de 10:00 AM a 1:00 PM en el Gimnasio de San Ambrosio. El año pasado, recogimos donaciones de artículos de tocador en un concurso de salón de clases. Su generoso apoyo nos ayudó a preparar más de 450 bolsas de aseo para personas sin hogar a través de SOME.org. Este año, esperamos preparar por lo menos esa cantidad de bolsas de aseo mientras que

también preparamos bolsas para el cuidado de los pies de los desamparados a través de SOCKS (So Others Can Keep Striding). La recolección de artículos ha comenzado y continuará hasta el viernes 17 de enero. La clase que done más artículos recibirá una sorpresa.

El día del evento, también recolectaremos libros suavemente usados para donarlos a varias organizaciones en el Condado de Prince George. Los aceptaremos con gusto!

Fever and Sickness Reminder

Please assist us in controlling the spread of germs at school. Remember to keep your child home if they have had a fever, or have been showing signs of illness. If the child has a fever, they must not return to school prior to going 24 hours fever free without the assistance of medication. The teachers are doing their part by wiping down the classrooms, but we need your assistance the most. Thank you!

Por favor, ayúdenos a controlar la propagación de los gérmenes en la escuela. Recuerde mantener a su hijo en casa si ha tenido fiebre o ha mostrado signos de enfermedad. Si el niño tiene fiebre, no debe regresar a la escuela antes de pasar 24 horas sin fiebre sin la ayuda de medicamentos. Los maestros están haciendo su parte limpiando los salones de clase, pero lo que más necesitamos es su ayuda. Gracias a todos!

Saint Ambrose Inclement Weather Policy Reminder

Saint Ambrose School follows the Prince George's County Public School system's decision for delayed openings, closings, and early release due to inclement weather. In the event of an emergency closing of the school during the school day, or any reason other than inclement weather, parents will be notified by the AP Notify System and on the school website (sascheverly.org).

- If Prince George's County Schools are closed, we will be closed.
- If there is a two-hour delay, classes will start at 10:00 AM with the gym doors opening at 9:45 AM. ESP before care will start at 8:30 AM for those registered.
- If Saint Ambrose School is scheduled for a 12:00 PM dismissal and PG County Schools open late, our school is cancelled for the day.
- In the event of an early closing, the time for dismissal and ESP after care will be communicated through email to parents.

Families should develop an emergency dismissal plan and review it frequently with their child.

La escuela Saint Ambrose sigue la decisión del sistema de escuelas públicas del condado de Prince George de retrasar las aperturas, cierres y salidas anticipadas debido a las inclemencias del tiempo. En caso de un cierre de emergencia de la escuela durante el día escolar, o cualquier otra razón que no sea el clima inclemente, los padres serán notificados por el Sistema de Notificación AP y en el sitio web de la escuela (sascheverly.org).

- Si las escuelas del condado de Prince George's están cerradas, nosotros también lo estaremos.

- Si hay un retraso de dos horas, las clases comenzarán a las 10:00 AM con las puertas del gimnasio abriéndose a las 9:45 AM. ESP antes de la atención comenzará a las 8:30 AM para aquellos que se registren.
- Si la escuela Saint Ambrose está programada para una salida a las 12:00 PM y las escuelas del condado PG abren tarde, nuestra escuela se cancela para el día.
- En el caso de que se cierre temprano, la hora de la salida y el ESP después del cuidado se comunicará por correo electrónico a los padres. Las familias deben desarrollar un plan de despidio de emergencia y revisarlo frecuentemente con su niño.

Home & School Association Meeting

The next HSA meeting will be held on Thursday, Jan. 16th, at 6:30pm, in Fannon Hall. Come and be formally introduced to our new interim principal, Ms. Taylor Dodson!

If you need somebody to watch your (potty-trained) kids during the meeting, please RSVP with the name and grade of the child(ren), as well as any food allergies they may have, to Kendra Moesle at kendra.moesle@gmail.com. Sitter service will be provided in the school in Room 102. A sitter service flyer went home in today's Thursday Communication folder with more information.

La próxima reunión de la HSA se llevará a cabo el jueves 16 de enero, a las 6:30 p.m., en Fannon Hall. Venga y sea formalmente presentado a nuestra nueva directora interina, la Sra. Taylor Dodson!

Si necesita que alguien cuide a sus hijos (entrenados para usar el baño) durante la reunión, por favor confirme su asistencia con el nombre y el grado de los niños, así como cualquier alergia alimentaria que puedan tener, a Kendra Moesle en kendra.moesle@gmail.com. El servicio de niñera será provisto en la escuela en el salón 102. Un volante del servicio de niñera se fue a casa en la carpeta de Comunicación del Jueves de hoy con más información.

Young & Distinguished Gentlemen 3:30- 4:30 PM

1/16: National History Day (Grade 7)- Fannon Hall

Math Academy 3-4 PM

1/17: Three Brothers Pizza Lunch

Ice Cream Sale During Lunch (\$1)

Art Club 3-4:30 PM

1/20: Martin Luther King Jr. Day – **No School**

MLK Day of Service -- St. Ambrose School Gym

Time: 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

1/21: 2nd Quarter Ends

Patrol Team B on Duty for Week

Choir Rehearsal 3:00-4:15 PM

1/21: Student Council Mtg. 3:00 PM

Math Academy 3-4 PM

Choir Rehearsal 3:00-4:15 PM

Scantron Testing Grades 3, 4, 5& 8EC

1/22: MASS – 8:30 AM

Scantron Testing Grades 3&6

1/23: Leading Ladies 3:00-5:00 PM (Grades 6-8)

Math Academy 3-4 PM

Scantron Testing Grades 5, 6 & 8PC

1/24: Three Brothers Pizza Lunch

Ice Cream Sale During Lunch (\$1)

Art Club 3-4:30 PM

Scantron Testing Grades 4, 5,6, 7D, & 7N

Casino Night Meetings

The Casino Night Committee has started planning for our next event on February 2 at 7:00 PM. Tickets to the event are currently on sale at

<https://forms.diamondmindinc.com/stambroseschool/casinonight2019?token=1402556541> or use the link on the school's website. Tickets are \$55 and will increase after January 19. We are looking for contributions for our silent and live auctions. If you have a connection in the community for items such as sports packages, gift baskets or services, please reach out to our chair. There are also opportunities to take an ad out in our program. All sponsorships and/or donations are tax deductible.

Our next committee meeting is on Wednesday, January 9 at 6:30 PM in Room 102. This is a great way to earn volunteer hours and be part of supporting the most important fundraiser for our school. Please mark your schedule for the following meeting dates: 1/9, 1/16, 1/23, & 1/30. Please contact John LeGloahec at legloaj@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Calendar Reminders

1/06: 2020-2021 Re-registration has begun

1/09: Leading Ladies 3:00-5:00 PM (Grades 6-8)

1/10: Three Brothers Pizza Lunch

Ice Cream Sale During Lunch (\$1)

Art Club 3-4:30 PM

1/13: Patrol Team A on Duty for Week

Band during School & Advanced Band 3:15-4:15 PM

Band Concert 2:00 & 6:30 PM in Fannon Hall

1/14: Math Academy 3-4 PM

Choir Rehearsal 3:00-4:15 PM

1/15: MASS – 8:30 AM

Friday, January 31, 2020- 12:00 Dismissal

ESP is NOT in session!

Staff Sip & Paint

Saturday, February 1, 2020 - 12th Annual Casino Night

Location: Fannon Hall

Time: 7:00 p.m.

We hope you can attend our biggest fundraiser of the year!

Patrol Team * on Duty for Week

Ice Cream Sale During Lunch (\$1)

Young Toastmasters 3:00-4:30 PM

Math Academy 3:15-4:00 PM

Casino Night Meeting 6:30 PM in Room 102

Choir Rehearsal 3:00-4:15 PM

Scantron Testing Grades 2 & 5

Leading Ladies 3:00-5:00 PM (Grades 6-8)

Student Council Executive Meeting 3:00 PM