

## OCTOBER MARIAN DEVOTIONS



Each school day during the month of October, students will begin the day by praying one decade of the rosary together. All students will need to have a rosary that they will be able to keep in school for the month. Limited supplies of rosaries are available in the school office.

## SAY CHEESE

Are you practicing those winning smiles? Picture day is **Wednesday, October 6, 2021**. Remember, to dress to impress. We ask everyone to come in for pictures, we use them for records, yearbook and occasionally a special parent gift. Retakes day will be on **Thursday, November 4, 2021**.



## GET READY TO ROCK

We have a special treat planned for this year's **ROCK-A-THON**. On Friday, October 8, 2021, we will have a special themed \$1.00 Tag Day. We ask all students and staff to dress like a **ROCKSTAR**. Students should have received their pledge sheets and can begin soliciting donations. All donations are due on Friday, October 22, 2021. Students will receive a free tag day pass for every \$10 in pledges they collect. Every student or family bringing in \$100 or more in pledges will receive a special T-shirt and will double their tag day passes.



## "READING CHALLENGE ANNOUNCEMENT"

This year's reading challenge will kick-off on October 4, 2021. Mrs. Coppola will announce the challenge on Wednesday, October 14<sup>th</sup>. We are giving this year's 6<sup>th</sup> graders a chance to decide what this year's challenge for Mrs. Coppola will be. We strongly believe at Blessed Sacrament School, that a child who can read has opened the door to a lifetime of learning. Parents can help their child/children master this important skill. Parents are asked to read daily with their child/children for at least 15 minutes. Remember- today a reader, tomorrow a leader.

## KINDERGARTEN FRIENDSHIP WELCOME

The PTA and our first graders are planning a special welcome to our kindergarteners. All our kindergarteners are doing a great job this year. If you are a 1<sup>st</sup> grade parent and would like to help, please contact the PTA president Megan Dennis.



## UNIFORM POLICY

Please adhere to the Blessed Sacrament School Uniform Policy when getting ready for school each day. As a reminder **red polo shirt with the white BSS logo only, and sneakers only on gym days**. A complete understanding of our uniform policy is available on the school website.



## MONTHLY SERVICE PROJECT

For the month of October, we will be collecting donations for our local dog shelter in honor of Saint Francis the patron saint of animals. We will be collecting donations all month to donate to Helping Hounds. They also have an available wish list on their website.

## CHRISTMAS CASH

We will be sending home information soon about our Christmas Cash raffle, with a Grand Prize of \$5000. In addition to the chance at the \$5000, the family who sells the most tickets will receive a \$1000 credit toward their tuition for the 21-22 school year.



## BITS AND PIECES

- Report Cards will be distributed to students in grades 1 through 6 on Tuesday, November 16, 2021.
- Please make sure your child's teacher is aware of any health issues your child may have especially regarding asthma and/or allergies to foods.
- Just a reminder for parents of TE, PK, K, 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> graders, please send in your child's up to date school physical.
- Remember all After School care fees are due within 10 days of receiving your statement. Families must keep current to use this service.
- Check out our Facebook page at Blessed Sacrament Elementary School for up-to-date school information.
- **PLEASE DRIVE SLOWLY WHEN ENTERING AND EXITING THE PARKING LOT AND FOLLOW ALL PARKING LOT RULES.**
- **If you are not receiving email reminders and notices from the school and or your child's teacher, please contact the school office at 463-1261 or [bsacsyr@syrdiocese.org](mailto:bsacsyr@syrdiocese.org)**