



Our Lady of Grace Catholic School

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From the faculty and staff at Our Lady of Grace, we would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

We will see you in 2017!

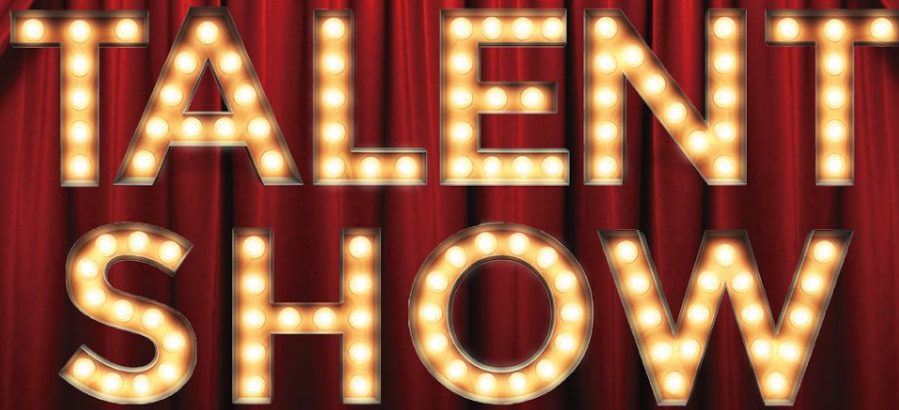


Hot Chocolate Challenge

Every student will be coming home with a Hot Chocolate Reading Challenge for the Christmas Break. This is a fun way to encourage students to read over break. It is flexible, so students and families can read what they choose. When students bring back their completed "mug" they will get Hot Chocolate! Papers are due Jan 4th, Hot Chocolate will be provided to those who participate on Jan 5th.

This is not required and is based on the honor system. You can't cram this activity into the last 2 days of break. The teachers will give the students their "goal" for the number of minutes for each activity.

I'm looking for a few helpers on Jan 5th to help pass out Hot Chocolate. Contact dmattingly@olgcs.org



TALENT SHOW

Get your act ready for the OLG Talent Show!

We are looking for all kinds of talent - musical, vocal, dance, magic, comedic, novelty!
If you can do it, we'd like to see it!

**The show will be Friday, February 3 at 7:30 PM
in the Little Flower Parish Center.**

Auditions will be held in the Music Room:
**Wednesday, January 4 – Instruments and
8th Grade Emcees**
Thursday, January 5– Acts Grades K – 4
Friday, January 6 – Acts Grades 5 – 8

Audition sign-up sheets will be posted on Tuesday, Jan. 3 next to the Music Room.
(You need to sign up for a time.)

This year we would like to see fewer solo acts and more group acts. Some things to keep in mind:

- 1) Your act should be no more than 3 minutes long!
- 2) You don't need all costumes or props for the audition, but you should be able to describe them to the judges.
- 3) Singers may not lip sync or sing along with the performer who created the song. You need to sing a cappella or with an instrumental accompaniment.
- 4) All members in a group act need to be at the audition.
- 5) The mandatory dress rehearsal will be Thurs., February 2, at the Little Flower Parish Center from 3:30 – 8:00.

**If you have questions, see Mrs. Robers, Mr. Langjahr,
Mrs. Flynn (K), Mrs. Flynn (Gr. 5) or Mrs. Jordan.**

Our Lady of Grace Athletic Association

Presents...

A Night at the Races



Basket Raffle, Split the Pot, Instants, Bingo Ball,
Wheel of Fortune and, of course, Horse Races!

JANUARY 21, 2017

Doors Open at 7:00, Races Start at 7:40

Tickets \$15 Food, Drinks, and Fun
Over 60 \$10 Bring your friends!

Purchase tickets online at www.night-at-the-races1710.cheddarup.com
or by contacting Jennie Ludwig at 266-8226

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Grand Raffle

1st Prize - \$500 Visa
2nd Prize - \$300 Visa
3rd Prize - \$200 Visa

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Larosa's Buddy Cards are available for ONLY \$10 in the main office! You get a year from the card activation date to receive 14 FREE pizzas! Half of all proceeds will go back to the OLGAA to help support our athletic teams. Please consider these for Christmas gifts for family, teachers, and friends!

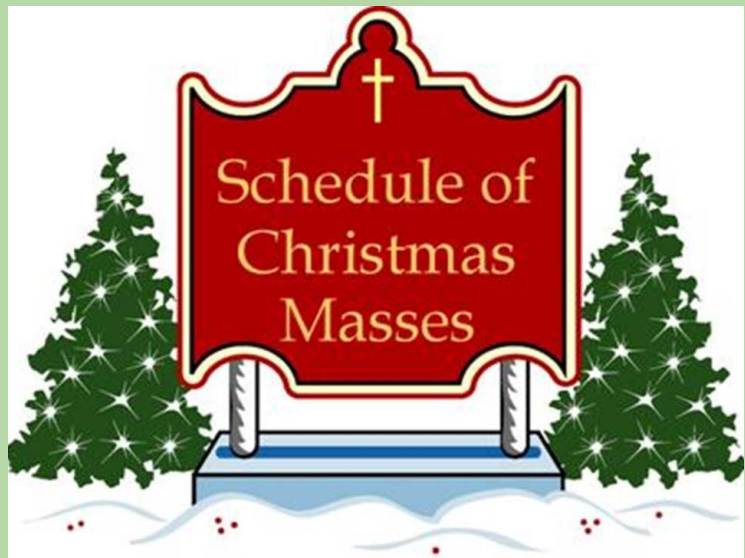


Help Us Get More Smiles in the Yearbook!!

Upload your photos of school events to [LIFETOUCH](#) using the following OLG code:
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OLG will be having **Cheese Pizza Day** delivered from Marco's Pizza this **Friday, Dec 16th**. This will be the hot lunch in the cafeteria for buyers. Students may buy an extra slice of pizza for \$1.00. If your student would like an extra slice of pizza, **they must order it in the morning and bring \$1.00 in cash**. Students may still pay for lunch with their electronic account but will need a \$1 to buy extra.



Assumption

Christmas Eve 4:00 pm, 11:00 pm
Christmas Day 10:00 am

Little Flower

Christmas Eve 3:00 pm, 5:00 pm
Christmas Day 10:00 am

St. Ann

Christmas Eve 3:00 pm, 5:30 pm, 11:00 pm
Christmas Day 8:00 am, 10:30 am

St. Margaret Mary

Christmas Eve 4:30 pm
Christmas Day 10:00 am



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*All Athletes should have or will be receiving their Night At the Races raffle tickets. This is one of the biggest OLGAA fundraisers of the year! Please encourage your child to sell the tickets as proceeds go back to OLGAA! The ticket stubs and money collected should be returned to their coach and/or a OLGAA Board Member.

*Looking for a way to get involved with OLG Athletics? We are in search of a Concession Coordinator for indoor sports. The responsibilities include purchasing items, stocking the concession stand, and general oversight of inventory. You do not have to be present for every game. In fact, your job is really outside of the weekend game schedule. Please contact Melissa Curran if you are interested. melissacurran@fuse.net

*Boys basketball is underway with practices! Please make sure you have signed the OLGAA Parent Handbook Code of Conduct. There will be plenty of volunteer opportunities throughout the season. Be looking for an email from your son's coach or Team Parent to sign up to volunteer! Your involvement is essential for the success of our organization!

*Congrats to the OLG 3/4th Grade Volleyball Teams. All 3 teams are still playing in the St. Dominic Volleyball Tournament. Good luck this weekend!



The OLGAA has been hard at work with restructuring the Board positions and responsibilities. This is a volunteer organization and we need your support in order to run a successful program. If interested in helping out in any way, please contact President Jim Schreyer: presidentolgaa@gmail.com or Athletic Director Ellen Hughes: olgeaglesad@gmail.com.



Please join us at the Skatin' Place Thursday, December 15th from 6:30pm-8:45pm for OLG's Skatin' Party!!





Volunteer at our Happy Camper Book Fair!

Dates: January 29 – February 3, 2017

We are looking for volunteers for our spring Book Fair — an exciting celebration of reading with hundreds of fun, engaging, and affordable books for kids to discover.

Join our volunteer team to:

- Offer a helping hand – set up (Jan. 27) or pack up (Feb 3)
 - Help at Book Fair during Open House (Jan 29)
 - Organize merchandise and displays
 - Help shoppers of all ages find their perfect book
- ❖ Bring creative flair to signs and decorations – The Book Fair will be in the Trinity Room this year and we want to transform it into a forest.
 - ❖ Help serve food and refreshments – Thursday, February 2nd Special Event
 - ❖ Decorating and Special Event Brainstorming Meeting – December 19th

Contact: Debbie Mattingly, dmattingly@olgcs.org

We are so grateful for your support!

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