



OUR LADY OF GRACE
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

September 7, 2016

Dear Parents,

The start of the school year has been fantastic! The faculty and students are working together to establish both classroom and building routines. We use these to help everyone work to their fullest potential with expectations of behavior and safety.

In establishing these routines of safety, we need your help during the morning drop off. Please follow these guidelines if you are choosing to drive your child to school.

- **ALL cars need to enter and exit using the main entrance to the front drive.** The entrance/exit closer to the library is only for the buses. It is not safe to have cars driving across the parking lot to exit at the bus entrance/exit. This also prohibits the buses from entering the parking lot in a timely manner causing a backup on Galbraith.
- Parents wanting to walk their child into the building should park in the front parking lot to the right of the entrance by Father McCarthy's house. Please **DO NOT** park in the church parking lot and try to navigate through the car line. This is not safe and should be avoided.

Thank you so much for teaming with us to make the morning routines productive and safe for the students.

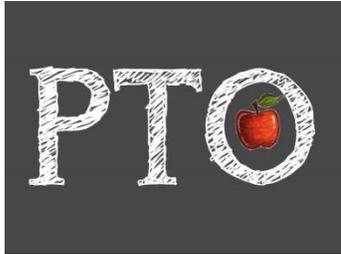
Grace and Blessings-

Mrs. Kirk

Principal

Calendar Highlights

The event calendar is located at www.olgcs.org. If you need further information on an event, please click on the link. This will give you all the details on our upcoming events.



OLG Family Directory - ONLINE

Last Chance to order an OLG Family Directory - All orders must be placed by this Friday, September 9th. Send in your \$5 in an envelope marked Directory with your student's name and homeroom # marked clearly. If you have not already done so, please fill out the online information form found here.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdOF2uI77eD6GPrCh2IdnJAyIMU2IcKwZg5v3AnWgLif3keng/viewform>



Walk-a-thon Kick Off is this Friday, September 9th! If you haven't already done so, please fill out the Directory online form (see above) and list your child's t-shirt size so that we can order the right sizes for Walk-a-thon. These t-shirts are provided free to students in grades K-5. Students in grades 6-8 will wear their family t-shirts.

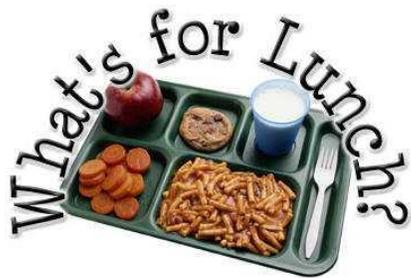
New this year, parents can order Walk-a-thon T-shirts for yourselves! If you would like to order a t-shirt for you or a younger sibling, you can place your order online at <https://walk-a-thon-24923.cheddarup.com> or send in \$10 with your name, size needed and WALKATHON marked clearly on the envelope. After September 16th, we cannot accept any more t-shirt orders.

If you would like to volunteer on the day of the Walk-a-thon, or help with other aspects of the Walk-a-thon, please sign up here: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040d48a8ab2fa13-olgwalkathon> You must be VIRTUS trained and certified to help at the Walk-a-thon.



Don't forget to save those Box Tops and Coke lids. The next Collection day is October 7th (Walk-a-thon Day!) The Box Tops Across American Contest is still going on. If you have relatives or friends in other states it's not too late to ask them to send us some box tops. See the attached flyer for more information.

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/mvu4w6lrnz8mujh/Box%20Tops%20Across%20America.pdf?dl=0>



Here is the link to the **September** lunch menu:

<https://olgcs.ascendsms.com/images/FileStorage/33S08A31A2016%201B00B21%20PMMenuSept%2017.pdf>



Note from Mrs. Shewmaker

Please remember students must be fever free for 24 hours before returning to school. Also, if he/she has been prescribed an antibiotic, the student must have taken it for 24 hours before returning to school.



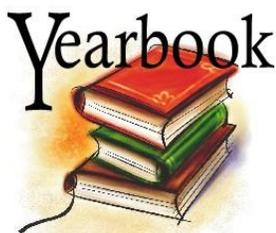
Our Lady of Grace Athletic Association

****OLG Boys Basketball****

Registration Opens on September 4th and close on September 25th

(Blue Sombrero registration only)

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2015-2016 Yearbooks are available for purchase if you did not get one last year. We have a few left, and they will be sold on a first come first serve basis. The hard cover is \$25.00/soft cover is \$20.00.

If you have questions, please contact Mrs. Conrad at sconrad@olgcs.org.

Activity Flyers

Soccer City

[https://olgcs.ascendsms.com/images/FileStorage/33S358A30A2016%201B04B39%20PMCOMBO SchoolBrochure 15-16.pdf](https://olgcs.ascendsms.com/images/FileStorage/33S358A30A2016%201B04B39%20PMCOMBO%20SchoolBrochure%2015-16.pdf)

Mount Notre Dame Start Up for Junior High

MND Start-Up is geared to the inquisitive 6th, 7th and 8th grade girl who is seeking opportunities to expand her learning. Sessions are taught by leading Mount Notre Dame faculty members, experts in their particular fields of study and in engaging students in applied learning. Each session requires a separate registration, which opens exactly one month prior to the event. Space is limited - first come, first serve.

<http://www.mndhs.org/admissions/mnd-start-up-junior-high-series>

St. Ann's Parents Night Out

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McAuley Fall Showcase and Open House

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<https://olgcs.ascendsms.com/images/FileStorage/33S199A6A2016%201B54B26%20PMMcAuley%20Open%20House.pdf>

**If you have a flyer for an available activity you would like in our Weekly Bulletin, please email it to boshaughnessy@olgcs.org by Friday.