



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Elementary School

School Newsletter

March 2019 Parent Newsletter

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News from the Principal

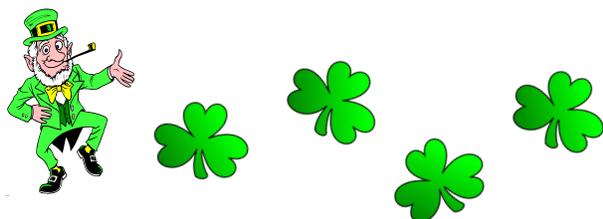
Dear Parents,

Everyone is looking forward to March since February has been so brutal. Hopefully, March 1st we will be able to finish our Catholic Schools Week re-scheduled Pajama Day and movies.

Enclosed is the **March calendar** or you can view on our web site online www.regiscatholicschools.com and click Immaculate Conception School, then click on calendar on the right side.

Lent begins on March 6th with Ash Wednesday Mass prepared by 5M. During Lent, we are concentrating on **praying** more, doing **sacrifices**, and completing **almsgiving**. Our *Jeans for Jesus* collections have been chosen and the March ones are listed on the calendar.

The **Scholastic Book Fair** was a success and bought in over \$5,300 and 55% goes towards purchasing IC library books. We thank the volunteers especially Mrs. Katie Auth and Mrs. Patty Palecek for organizing the event.



We are now a few weeks away from our **early enrollment deadline of March 9**. If you plan to enroll your child for the 2019/20 school year, please do so as soon as possible. Enrolling early assists RCS plan for the following year. Our current families received an email containing their family ID and code to access their online enrollment. Go to www.regiscatholicschools.com/admissions.online-enrollment. If you have any questions, contact Roberta Christensen at 715-830-2273, ext. 1400.

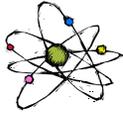
Our only fundraiser for the year, **Walk for Virtues, is scheduled for Friday, May 10th**. This year we begin with Mass in the Regis Auditorium at 10:00am with Father Sedlacek. After the Liturgy, all elementary students will walk the Regis track and field then eat on the lawn together. After lunch we return back to our schools for fun activities. Pledge envelopes will be distributed on April 12.



Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. *Romans 12: 12*

Blessings to all,
Renée Cassidy

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STEAM EXPO
 Thursday, April 11
 5:30pm –6:30pm
 Entry forms are due back by
 March 16.
 Extra forms can be picked
 up in the school office.

YEARBOOK

Sports Pictures

We need pictures of sports teams
 for the Yearbook.

Send them electronically to

Astreaia Bauer,
 abauer@regiscatholicschools.com
 or turn the pictures into the office.

**ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK!! Cost is
 \$18.00 and the ORDER DEADLINE
 IS MARCH 18, 2018. Please re-
 member this deadline as they cannot
 be ordered after that. If you need
 another order form, please see Mrs.
 Travis in the school office.**

Jeans for Jesus

March 13, Casa Hogar Orphanage
 March 20, St. Jude’s Children’s Hospital
 April 3, JDRF
 (Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation)
 April 10, EC Veterans Foundation
 April 17, Barb Brandner, staff from
 IC Religious Ed. who has been diagnosed
 with brain cancer



St. Patrick!

Patrick was born in Scotland and his father was a Roman Military Officer which Patrick plan to become, however, at the age of 16 he was kidnapped by Irish pirates and taken to Ireland. For the next six years he worked as a shepherd suffering from the cold and starvation. He escaped aboard a German vessel paying his way back to Scotland by taking care of a pack of stolen dogs the crew planned to sell. Patrick was a changed man and had a vision to serve the people of Ireland by becoming a priest. He returned to Ireland and evangelized most of the Irish people by building Churches and helping the poor tribal people. Since Patrick knew the Gaelic language and had been a slave the Irish accepted his message. Patrick died in Ireland on March 17, 460.



Calendar Events

- Spring Break, Mar. 25-29
- Battle of Books Final, Mar. 19
- Science EXPO, Apr. 12
- First Reconciliation, Apr. 9
- May Crowning, May 2
- First Communion, 4 & 5
- Walk for Virtues, May 10
- 5th gr. Promotion Mass, 30
- Last Day of School, Jun.7

The final Battle of the Books for 4th and 5th graders is in the gym on March 13at 2:00pm. All parents are invited to attend this final competition between the teams. It’s a “nail biter” if you haven't seen it before!

Enroll by March 9th!

Current families should have received an email containing enrollment instructions from RCS Web Services. Priority enrollment ends March 9th so we encourage you to register. If you wait until after March 10th the enrollment fee increases from \$100 to \$150. Contact Roberta Christensen, Enrollment Coordinator, at Central Office. 715-830-2273, ext. 1400 or rchristensen@regiscatholicschools.com