



Northern Chautauqua Catholic School

Weekly School Memo

April 29, 2016

Memo to Parents/Guardians:

- 1.) Thank you to all of the families that donated for Teacher Appreciation week! The teachers enjoyed everything!!! All of the food was delicious – thank you again! Everyone did a wonderful job!
- 2.) Niagara Candy Bars are back in stock in the School Store! You may purchase boxes after school in the school store or call ahead to pick them up in the office!
- 3.) Monday, May 2nd at 8:30am we will celebrate May Crowning in the gymnasium. All are invited to attend! If your student would like to bring flowers, please send them to school that morning. Please, no vases or plants.
- 4.) Tuesday, May 3rd 2:30pm – 7:30pm: Yotality Night! Bring your family and friends with the flyer that was sent home today to Yotality (in the Tops plaza) during this time and part of your bill will be donated directly to NCCS!
- 5.) The next out of uniform date will be: Tuesday, May 3rd.
- 6.) Chess Club will meet Tuesday, May 3rd until 3:45pm.
- 7.) Early Dismissal: Wednesday, May 4th at 1:00pm.
- 8.) Out of Uniform for Catholic Charities: On Friday, May 6th NCCS will be participating in the Diocesan-wide dress down day to raise money for the Catholic Charities campaign. Any student interested in dressing out of uniform should bring in a \$1 donation.
- 9.) Andy Parker's Weather Machine: We are still waiting on a confirmation for a date. An e-mail will be sent as soon as it is confirmed.
- 10.) Mission Club will meet again on Wednesday, May 11th until 3:15pm.
- 11.) Congratulations and thank you from the Mission Club! Our school raised \$470.00 from the Rice Bowls we sent home to our families during Lent! Our donation has been sent to Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowls. Your generous giving will help many people, particularly in disaster areas of the world which affect the "poorest" of the poor. **Coming Up: Wednesday, May 25th – we will be hosting a bake sale in the gym after school. These monies will help sponsor our student, Eder, in Mexico – especially over the summer months!

- 12.) **Open House: May 23rd 6-7:30pm.** If you know of someone interested in enrolling their child, please inform them of the open house dates as this is a wonderful time to meet the teachers and get a tour of the building!
- 13.) **After School Program: On Tuesday, May 10th and Monday, May 23rd the after school program will be available until 3:45pm due to the Spring Concert (5/10) and Open House/Cultural-Palooza Night (5/23).**
- 14.) **Sports Banquet: Sign-up sheets for the banquet were sent home with students in grades 3-8 today! Please return your slip and payment by Monday, May 22nd. The banquet will be held on Thursday, May 26th in the NCCS gym at 5:30pm.**
- 15.) **For the safety of our students, the Dunkirk Police Department has assured us that they will be increasing patrols during drop-off and pick-up times.**

Looking Ahead:

- 16.) **Spring Concert: Tuesday, May 10th!** We will have two performances: 1:00pm and 6:30pm. More information to follow.
- 17.) **Friday, May 13th – No school for students due to the faculty retreat.**
- 18.) **On Monday, May 23rd NCCS will be hosting a Cultural-palooza Night; 6-7:30pm!** All current families are invited to view the students' work! We will have our Art Show and Hispanic Cultural Night that evening. (Please note that the Art Show was originally scheduled for the same evening as the Spring Concert.)
- 19.) **Thursday, May 26th – the Eighth Grade class will be celebrating their Ribbon Ceremony during Mass. Please join us in this wonderful celebration of the Eighth Graders preparing their journey to Graduation!**
- 20.) **No School: Friday, May 27th and Monday, May 30th in observance of Memorial Day.** The faculty and staff of NCCS wish to thank all Veterans-current, retired and those that have passed before us for their dedication to our country. Thank you!
- 21.) **On Thursday June 2nd, the Third Grade Class will be wearing their First Holy Communion clothes to school. They will be recognized at Mass that day. Group pictures will be taken at the end of Mass!**