



Northern Chautauqua Catholic School

Weekly School Memo

March 11, 2016

Memo to Parents/Guardians:

- 1.) *Seussical Jr.*: NCCS will present the school musical on Friday, March 11th at 1pm & 6pm, and again on Saturday, March 12th at 6pm. Tickets are available at the door or in the office. Adults: \$3, Children: \$1. We will have a theme basket table, as well as a concession stand for during intermission! Come out and support our school music program!
- 2.) The After School Program is only available until 3:45pm on Friday, March 11th due to the evening musical performance.
- 3.) Today, the students will each be coming home with a special cutout cookie. These are in remembrance of our special guardian in Heaven, Mrs. Teri Scholand, the former school secretary. We will be providing the children with a cutout cookie as Teri used to give to so many people.
- 4.) Daylight Savings Time begins this weekend! Please remember to “spring” ahead your clocks one hour!
- 5.) Thank you to all of the moms of the NCCS Alumni that baked for our children so that we could honor Teri’s birthday!
- 6.) The next out of uniform date will be: Tuesday, March 15th.
- 7.) Chess Club will meet Tuesday, March 15th until 3:45pm.
- 8.) Music and Movement will meet on March 16th until 3:30pm.
- 9.) Mission Club will meet again on Wednesday, March 16th until 3:15pm.
- 10.) After School Math Tutoring: March 17th will be the last day for this school year!
- 11.) Calendar Change: Stations of the Cross will now be held on Friday, March 18th at 1pm. The school calendar is incorrect. The 8th graders will be doing the Stations. All are invited to attend.
- 12.) Dinner Night: Come out to Denny’s on Wednesday, March 16th 4-10pm to support NCCS! The school will receive 20% of everyone’s bill that eats there during that time. Such an easy fundraiser, and you don’t even have to cook!

- 13.) **Uniform Policy: Please remember that even though we are having beautiful weather, shorts are not permitted until May!**
- 14.) **Tuition Assistance through the BISON Children's Scholarship Fund is available to families again for the upcoming school year. Applications are only available online at bisonfund.com. Current families receiving a scholarship have until March 31st to re-qualify.**
- 15.) **Yearbooks are on sale! \$10 each; please send in orders by March 18th. Order forms are available in the office.**
- 16.) **The prep school is happy to announce on Wednesday, 3/16/2016, we will be celebrating a Seder meal led by Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton's seminarian Peter Santandreu. The meal will consist of a roasted chicken leg, a mixture of fruit and spices, horseradish, parsley, unleavened bread, and a hard-boiled egg. Since the meal is relatively small, students are still asked to bring their regular lunch.**
- 17.) **Fridays during Lent: Please keep in mind that according to the law of abstinence, a Catholic 14 years of age until death is to abstain from eating meat on Fridays in honor of the Passion of Jesus on Good Friday. Even though the law of abstinence sets the age at 14, we strongly encourage everyone to abstain from eating meat, if possible.**
- 18.) **Reminder: There are many awards and scholarships presented at the end of the year ceremony. In order to receive any, you must be fully registered before the end of the current school year!**
- 19.) **"Rice Bowl" time is here! This year it is called "for LENT for Life". Please do what you can with donations. Return the rice bowls after Easter Vacation. Thank you from all of us in the Mission Club – May you have a blessed Lent and a holy, happy, joyful Easter.**

Looking Ahead:

- 20.) **Easter Vacation will begin Monday, March 21st with students returning to school on Monday, April 4th.**
- 21.) **Monday, April 4th – We will celebrate with an Easter prayer service in the gym at 7:50am. Please make sure your student is with their class at this time!**

Have a wonderful weekend!