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Gray Notes 02/20/2020

*Memory Verse: "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me."
– Mark 8:34*

THE PUPPET CO. "RAPUNZEL" FIELD TRIP RESCHEDULED

The Puppet Co. "Rapunzel" field trip for students in Pre-K through Grade 1 has been rescheduled to tomorrow, Friday, February 21st.

REMINDER!!! OPEN ENROLLMENT HAS BEGUN FOR 2020-2021

OPEN ENROLLMENT for all has begun!!! Returning families should have received an email message from TADs inviting you to re-register your child for the 2020-2021 school year. If you have not received an email message from TADs, please contact Mrs. Smith in the school's administrative office immediately. Attached you will find a letter from our CCA President, Mr. Vincent Spadoni and the 2020-2021 Tuition/Fee Information Sheet.

GIRL SCOUT COOKIE SALE

Our school's Girl Scout Troop will be selling Girl Scout cookies on this Friday, February 21st from 3:30 pm until 5:00 pm in the school's lobby.

8TH GRADE PARENT MEETING

The next 8th Grade Parent Meeting will take place on Wednesday, March 4th at 6:00 pm at the school.

CAREER DAY PRESENTERS NEEDED

The SFXA Career Day Team is looking for prospective presenters for our Annual Career Day which is scheduled for Wednesday, April 8th. If you are interested in being a presenter, please include your name and send an email to Dr. Johnson at nicole.johnson@catholicacademies.org.

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

In case of inclement weather, parents should listen to the local radio and television stations for updates. You may also receive a message from the school via "School Notify" regarding closings, delayed openings or early dismissals. **We follow PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS for weather related emergencies.**

If Prince George's County Public Schools open two hours late due to inclement weather, Saint Francis Xavier Academy will open two hours late.

PLEASE NOTE: On days of delayed openings Before Care is not available.

If Prince George's County Public Schools open two hours late due to inclement weather on a previously scheduled early dismissal day for Saint Francis Xavier Academy, Saint Francis Xavier Academy will not open.

School may open late or close early due to inclement weather or other emergencies. It is important that the school has current emergency contact information to reach parents/ guardians or other designated persons when there are early closings. Please be advised that during such emergencies, the Extended Care Program will not be offered. Please refer to the 2019-2020 Parent/Student Handbook.

CALENDAR

February 2020

- 21 Prayer Service
Field Trip – Pre-K through Grade 1
- 26 Ash Wednesday Mass
"Dress Up/Wear Purple" Fundraiser
- 28 Mass

March 2020

- 4 Early Dismissal @ 12:30 pm
- 6 Mass
Stations of the Cross (Grades 1 and 2)
- 9 ADW Spring Collaboration Day for Staff (School Closed for Students)
- 13 Mass
Stations of the Cross (Grades 3 and 4)
- 19 Lifetouch Spring Photos Taken
- 20 Mass
Stations of the Cross (Grades 5 and 6)
3rd Installment of Graduation Fee Due
- 27 Mass/Stations of the Cross (Grades 7 and 8)

April 2020

- 1 Early Dismissal @ 12:30 pm
- 3 3rd Quarter Ends
- 8 Annual SFXA Career Day
- 9 Holy Thursday/Early Dismissal @ 12:30 pm
- 10 Good Friday
Easter Break (04/10 – 04/19) (School Closed)
- 20 School Resumes
- 24 Mass

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FEBRUARY 17 - 28

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
17 PRESIDENT'S DAY NO SCHOOL	18 SALISBURY STEAK MASHED POTATOES PEAS FRUIT JUICE OR WATER <i>(SUB CHICKEN PATTY)</i>	19 FRIED CHICKEN POTATO SALAD GREEN BEANS FRUIT JUICE OR WATER <i>(SPAGHETTI W/MEATBALLS)</i>	20 CREATE YOUR OWN SALAD FRUIT JUICE OR WATER <i>(SUB CHICKEN TENDERS)</i>	21 HARD OR SOFT TACOS W/LETTUCE & TOM YELLOW RICE FRUIT JUICE OR WATER <i>(SUB PIZZA ROLLS)</i>
24 MEATBALL SUB MIXED GREENS YELLOW RICE FRUIT JUICE OR WATER <i>(SPAGHETTI W/MEATBALLS)</i>	25 - <i>FAT TUESDAY</i> PANCAKES WAFFLES GARDEN SALAD FRUIT JUICE OR WATER <i>(SUB CHICKEN TENDERS)</i>	26 - <i>ASH WEDNESDAY</i> FRIED FISH GREEN BEANS MACARONI & CHEESE FRUIT JUICE OR WATER <i>(SUB HOT DOGS)</i>	27 CREATE YOUR OWN SALAD FRUIT JUICE OR WATER <i>(SUB CHICKEN NUGGETS)</i>	28 CHEESE PIZZA GARDEN SALAD FRUIT JUICE OR WATER <i>(SUB PIZZA ROLLS)</i>

PAYMENT CHART

NUMBER OF DAYS FOR ONE STUDENT	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
TOTAL	\$5.50	\$11.00	\$16.50	\$22.00	\$27.50	\$33.00	\$38.50	\$44.00	\$49.50	\$55.00

DUE FEBRUARY 12, 2020

Lunch is provided by Rich Seafood Salad, LLC. Order forms and payment will be collected on **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2020** for those wishing to participate in the school lunch program. A representative will be on-site at the school from 7:00 am to 8:30 am on the above dates to collect order forms and payment and to answer any questions. Payments will be accepted in **cash, check, PayPal or CashApp**. Please make all checks and money orders payable to Cassandra Rich. Please include students name(s) on the check. A receipt will be given for all payments received. Any returned checks will incur a \$35.00 fee. A credit will be issued for any day(s) a child is absent or for any day(s) that school closes due to inclement weather. It is the parent/guardian's responsibility to notify Rich Seafood Salad, LLC no later than 8:00 am on the day of the absenteeism via phone at 240-882-3265 or email at richseafoodsalad@gmail.com in order to receive a lunch credit. Your questions and/or comments are always welcome by contacting Cassandra Rich directly at the phone number or email address above, or by speaking to the representative directly on collection days. **PAYMENTS MUST BE MADE DIRECTLY TO MS. CASSANDRA RICH, RICHSEAFOODSALAD@GMAIL.COM FOR PAYPAL PAYMENTS AND 240-882-3265 FOR CASHAPP PAYMENTS.**

(PLEASE DETACH AND INCLUDE THE COMPLETED BOTTOM SECTION WITH PAYMENT)

		WEEK 1	WEEK 2
		2/17 - 2/21	2/24 - 2/28
NAME: _____	GRADE _____	T/ W/ TH/ F	M/ T/ W/ TH/ F
NAME: _____	GRADE _____	T/ W/ TH/ F	M/ T/ W/ TH/ F
NAME: _____	GRADE _____	T/ W/ TH/ F	M/ T/ W/ TH/ F
NAME: _____	GRADE _____	T/ W/ TH/ F	M/ T/ W/ TH/ F
		TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED	\$ _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S NAME: _____

CONTACT PHONE NUMBER: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____



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2020-2021 TUITION/FEE INFORMATION

Application Fee:

\$50 Non-refundable (new students only)

(Re) -Registration:

\$100 Non-refundable (Kindergarten- Grade 8 students)

\$300 Non-refundable (Pre-K Students, \$200 of which will be applied to the 2020-2021 tuition)

Tuition Rates:

\$7,300 (per student)

\$275 (Activity Fee per student)

\$225 (Consortium Fee per student)

Before Care:

\$700 (per student)

After Care:

\$1,700 (per student)

Each academy/ school has its own required volunteer and fundraising requirements.

Billing:

Tuition: July-April (registration before August 1st)

September-April (registration after August 1st)

Before & After Care: September-June



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February 12, 2020

Dear Consortium of Catholic School Parents and Guardians,

Our four Catholic academies provide an outstanding education, rooted in the Gospel, to over eight hundred students, Consortium students receive a strong foundation and are well-positioned to experience even greater success in the future. Deeply mission-driven, our incredibly hardworking administrators, teachers, and staff work to provide a high-quality education to all of our students. I am in awe of them and their great commitment to the Consortium and the children in our care.

Operating our Consortium academies is a costly endeavor. Our Board of Directors, in collaboration with our school leaders and me, labor to keep expenses down while ensuring that we do all we can to support and retain our devoted educators. We thank Archbishop Wilton Gregory, our brothers and sisters in the Archdiocese of Washington, Monumental Scholars Fund, and benefactors, upon whose generosity we so heavily rely.

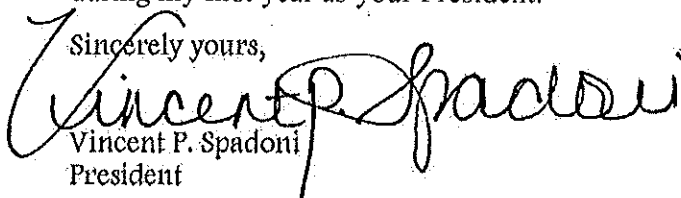
With this letter, you will find the 2020 — 2021 Tuition/ Fee Schedule. All tuition payments are made through TADS.

After careful consideration, The Consortium of Catholic Academies Board of Directors has set the 2020 — 2021 tuition at \$7,300; a 3% increase. This percentage increase has not changed in many years and helps to cover increasing costs related to salaries, benefits, books, materials, and building maintenance.

To reserve your child/ren's seat(s) for the 2020 — 2021 school year, please complete the online re-registration through TADS by Friday, March 27, 2020. I encourage all families to complete the TADs financial assistance in order to be considered for any tuition assistance throughout the year.

Thank you for registering your child in the Consortium of Catholic Academies. I am delighted to extend my appreciation for your partnership and for the warm welcome you have shown me during my first year as your President.

Sincerely yours,


Vincent P. Spadoni
President