

News from the Bears' Den



Cute little leaf owls, made by our 3 year old preschool students.

November 11, 2020 From the Principal . . .

Hello from my home base in Dorr! Once again, I want to thank you all for your support this past week. I'm grateful to have families such as yours who continue to work with us through what has certainly been an unusual year.

We are all looking forward to seeing everyone back in school on Monday, Nov. 16. Since we are missing our GLOW day this Friday, *we will have our GLOW day on Monday instead*. I realize that grades 5-8 go to Mass that morning, but I think Fr. Jim will be understanding (and if I have to, I'll ask for forgiveness later ;) I think it is good for us to remember in times such as these that God truly does light our way! **5th through 8th may still wear non-uniform pants but I ask that they refrain from wearing leggings or anything bright or bold (essentially, keep it on the conservative side please!).**

Don't forget about our wreath and garland sales! This has been a great fundraiser for us over the years; please consider purchasing one (or more!) and share the opportunity with your family and friends. The wreaths are beautiful and last for weeks (I think I finally pulled mine down last March . . . don't judge, it still looked great! ;) It at least came down before Easter!

See you all on Monday!

Blessings, Camille DeLano



Upcoming Events . . .

- Wednesday, Nov. 4 - Report cards go home
- Friday, Nov. 6 - Regular Color Day
- Thursday & Friday Nov. 5 & 6 - Parent Teacher Conferences
- Wednesday, Nov 11 - Booster's Meeting
- Friday, Nov. 13 - "GLOW" Color Day

Sick Children

Please continue to keep sick children at home; this includes runny nose/cough/sore throat (depending on the severity, we may ask that siblings remain home as well). Should a student have the stomach flu, fever, diarrhea, strep throat, etc., we ask that you also keep all siblings home. Thank you!

Booster Meeting Tonight

There will be a virtual Booster Club meeting tonight. A link will be sent out later.

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Teachers will be reaching out to families to inquire about rescheduling. Parents are welcome to schedule an in-person conference, a virtual conference, a phone conference, etc.

Picture Retakes

Picture retakes will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 24. More information to come.

Thanksgiving Feast

Our next holiday celebration is coming up on Tuesday, Nov. 24. The staff and I would like to once again hold our traditional Thanksgiving Feast with our students. Like Halloween, there will be some changes to how we do this. Instead of volunteers prepping foods and helping serve, the staff will do the food prep and serve the students. All we ask from our families is the following: \$3 per student to cover the cost of the food and the possible use of some crock pots (we'll put out a call for these later). Please start sending money in soon so that we can begin shopping for this event. Thank you!

Thanksgiving Break

There will be a half day on Wednesday, Nov. 25 (no aftercare). There is no school on Thursday, Nov. 26 and Friday, Nov. 27. School will resume on Monday, Nov. 30.



Wreath and Garland Orders

Our fabulous Booster Club is selling beautiful wreaths and garlands just in time for the holidays! Order forms with descriptions of the items were sent home Monday. Please be sure to have orders and money turned in to the school office by Monday, Nov. 20. Thank you in advance for your support!

A few notes from the office

Many students have been forgetting water bottles at home. Please make sure your child has a water bottle with their name on it with them as they head out the door in the morning.

We could use some more “cases” of bottled water to have on hand for those who forget to bring their own. If anyone wouldn't mind donating to the cause, we would greatly appreciate it.