



# Saint Paul School Monday Memo

January 25, 2021

Fayne Molloy, Principal

## Important Dates and Events

- 1/27 Mass for Grades **3, 4 and ½ of K: Dress uniforms required**
- 1/27 Virtual Parent Conferences (3:30-6:30)
- 1/28 Early Dismissal at 12:30 for Virtual Parent Conferences (1:30-5:30)
- 1/31 Catholic Schools Week Mass at 9:00. Please sign up on the Parish website <https://stpaulkensington.org>. The link is on the main page under *Updates Due to Covid 19*. **Please wear Dress Uniforms to Mass.**
- 1/31 **Open House for Grades PK-8** from 1:00-3:00 PM
- 1/31 – 2/6 Celebrate Catholic Schools Week - Special class activities all week!
- 2/2 Bill's Pizza Night from 4:00-8:00 PM. Order from Bill's – *mention Saint Paul School* - and 20% of your order will be donated to SPS.
- 2/3 NJHS Induction Ceremony – Students ONLY – 3:15 in the Church
- 2/5 HSA “Reels and Wheels” 5:30-7:30 PM on the Parish Green

**Don't wait to sign up for ski club....don't worry if you can't make all 5 weeks!** You can use your voucher another day if you come at the same time during the week, or Mount Southington will swap out the ticket! The mountain has been sold out regularly, so join Ski Club and make sure you have a ticket. If you visit any other day/time Mount Southington will credit face value of the ticket towards purchase of a ticket for that day, no reservation required!

**To begin Catholic Schools Week, please join us at our Catholic Schools Mass at 9:00 on Sunday, January 31.** Because of limited seating, it will be necessary for you to sign up in advance on our Parish website. Please wear your dress uniforms to all Masses that weekend to represent our school!

**Please encourage friends and neighbors with school age children to consider Saint Paul School and attend our School-Wide Open House on Sunday, January 31, 2021 from 1:00-3:00 PM.** See attached flyer for details.

**We will begin our school activities for Catholic Schools Week with Silly Sock Day on Monday, February 1.** Students may wear silly socks to school with a voluntary donation of \$2 - \$5. Donations will be used to purchase Dunkin' Donuts gift cards which will then be presented to the doctors and nurses at Midstate Hospital for all their hard work during the pandemic. Later in the week, we will celebrate PJ/Comfy Clothes Day to benefit children and their families at CCMC. A full schedule of activities and dress-up opportunities for CSW will be provided to you this week.

**IMPORTANT FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION:** Attached to this Monday Memo is SmartAid application information for tuition assistance for the 2021-2022 school year. NOW is the time to complete your application at <http://www.smartaidforparents.com/>. **Application deadline is April 16, 2021.** Any questions should be directed to Diane Funk, School Business Manager.

**Wondering where you stand toward your fundraising and volunteer obligation?** The HSA will be sending out statements this week! Be on the lookout to see if you have hit your goal and for news on the upcoming events and opportunities to raise money for the school and join your community to volunteer.

**Please continue to take your child's temperature every morning.** It is absolutely necessary for you to keep your child at home and strongly consider COVID-19 testing if he/she experiences a fever (100°F or higher) and/or other COVID-19 symptoms. Please also notify our school nurse, Diane Raymond, by telephone or at [d.raymond@stpaulkensington.org](mailto:d.raymond@stpaulkensington.org). Mrs. Raymond will also be happy to help you to determine whether testing is advisable for your child. Please see attached [update from Mrs. Raymond regarding quarantines](#).

**PLEASE NOTE two phone numbers for the school office:**

**860-828-4343** main office line

**860-829-0069** alternate office line

**If you know of anyone who might be interested in enrolling a child in our school,** please let them know that openings are still available in some grade levels. They can visit our website for an application and admissions information and may contact Kelly Esposito at [admissions@stpaulkensington.org](mailto:admissions@stpaulkensington.org) with questions, or to schedule a school visit. She will be happy to help!

**Refer and Earn through our Friends and Family Referral Program!** Please see the attached flyer for details about how to receive a \$25.00 gift card and be entered in our \$500.00 tuition credit drawing.

