OUR LADY OF THE LAKE SCHOOL

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LIFE ON THE LAKE

Our annual fundraiser, *Life on the Lake Night at the Races*, will be held on Saturday, February 1 at the Eastside Irish American Club. December 18 is the last day to purchase tickets at a reduced price of $50.00. After December 18, ticket prices will increase to $55.00.
Tickets can be purchased on the parish website, www.olleuclid.org or ticket order forms can be dropped off at the school or rectory.
There are many ways to get involved with this event: buy a horse, sponsor a race, sponsor the event, or donate an auction item.
Thank you in advance for your support to this wonderful cause.

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT WEEK

Next week, we will celebrate Christmas with a spirit week.
Monday: Christmas socks
Tuesday: Christmas sweater or t-shirt OVER the uniform
Wednesday: Christmas hat or other accessory
Thursday: Christmas music on the announcements
Friday: Free Christmas dress down
In addition, Candy Cane Grams will be sold until Thursday, December 19.

MAP TESTING

Our second session of MAP testing will begin when we return from Christmas break. Each homeroom teacher will send out a schedule letting you know the specific dates for testing. Students in kindergarten through grade eight will take reading and mathematics, while students in second through eighth grade will also take language arts.

SAVE THE DATE-BISHOP PEREZ VISIT

Bishop Perez will be visiting Our Lady of the Lake Parish on Saturday, February 15, 2020 for the 4:00 pm mass. All are invited to attend this mass with Bishop Perez.

POWER OF THE PEN

This weekend our Power of the Pen team will compete in the district competition. Power of the Pen is a creative writing competition. Ms. Zbiegien and Ms. Belz have been preparing the seventh and eighth grade teams for this competition. Good luck!

#WEGIVECATHOLIC-THANK YOU

Our annual day of giving, #WeGiveCatholic, took place on Tuesday, December 3, 2019. The parish and the school raised $5,412.90. All proceeds are going toward updating our Ministry Center, particularly creating a playground space for our preschool students. Thank you so much for your continued support to Our Lady of the Lake School and Parish.

COOKIES WITH SANTA

On Thursday, December 19 PTO will once again be sponsoring Cookies with Santa from 6:30 pm-8:00 pm in the church hall.

CONCERTS

This is the most wonderful time of year. We were treated to two wonderful concerts this week. Thank you to both Mrs. Burnside, our music teacher, and Mr. Littman, our band teacher, for putting on these great concerts.
Mrs. Burnside and kindergarten through grade two put on "The Case of the Reluctant Innkeeper." These students were very excited to sing!
Mr. Littman, along with the beginning and advanced bands, performed two concerts for the students and parents.
We are so proud of all of our student performers.

UNIFORM

This is just a reminder that all students should be in proper uniform. Our Family Handbook is located on the school's website for information regarding the uniform.
Girls in grades four through eight must wear an Our Lady of the Lake sweatshirt, vest, or sweater each time the plaid skirt is worn.
Belts should be worn with the navy pants for students in grades 3-8.
It is our expectation that all students are in the correct uniform each day.

UPCOMING DATES

- Tuesday, December 17 Advent Prayer Service 10:00
- Thursday, December 19 All school mass 9:00
- Thursday, December 19 Class pictures (full dress uniform required)
- Thursday, December 19 Cookies with Santa 6:30 pm
- Friday, December 20 NO AFTER CARE
- Christmas Break December 21-January 5
- Monday, January 6 First day back from break
- Monday, January 6 MAP testing begins
- Wednesday, January 8 Euclid Public Library visit kindergarten
- Thursday, January 9 PTO Meeting 7:00 pm

REMINDER-NO AFTERCARE

This is a reminder that there will be no aftercare on Friday, December 20. Please plan accordingly.

DRESS FOR THE WEATHER

As the season is changing and the colder temperatures are approaching, please make sure your child is dressed for the weather. We will continue to have outdoor recess during the winter months (weather permitting). Students should be coming to school with coats, hats, gloves, and boots if necessary.

ADVENT PRAYER SERVICE

On Tuesday, December 17 we will celebrate Advent with a prayer service at 10:00 in the church. Please join the students as we prepare for the birth of Jesus.

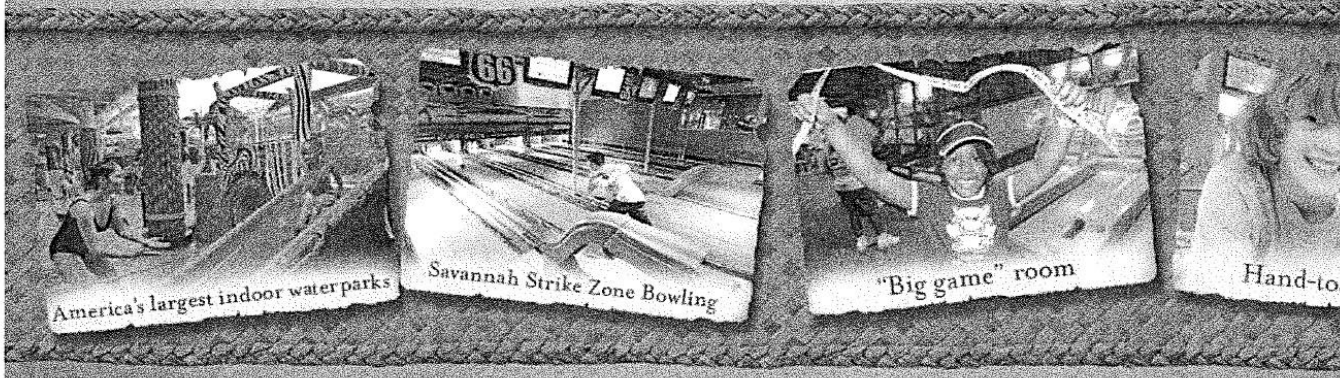
CLASS PICTURES

On Thursday, December 19, class pictures will be taken. Students need to be in full dress uniform this day. We are also celebrating mass as an entire school.

Our Lady of the Lake Getaway & Fundraiser!!

Sunday, March 15, 2020: Only $139!!

Mark your calendar to take a break!! Support your school while having fun! Get away without going too far from home to America's LARGEST indoor waterpark and enjoy a special rate for families and friends! Rooms are ONLY $139 and feature 2 Queen beds and INCLUDE waterpark passes! A portion from EACH room booked will benefit Our Lady of the Lake School. BOOK EARLY to avoid being shut out.
Book online today! https://book.passkey.com/e/49954312



Limited # available. For call-in reservations 1-877-525-2427 ask for the Our Lady of the Lake Group Rate. Standard
4-6, admission for 4 to the Waterpark! Up to 2 guests may be added for $50 each. Rates prior to 13.75%

COOKIES WITH SANTA

DECEMBER 19th

6:30-8PM

In the Chuch Hall

Join Santa for cookies and Christmas crafts. Parents- bring your own camera to take a picture of your child with Santa.

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