



WHAT'S AHEAD WEDNESDAY



September 27, 2023

A MESSAGE FROM THE SUS LEADERSHIP

Good Afternoon Huskies!

Tomorrow is our first Dollar Day! If you did not pay using the link last week in the What's Ahead Wednesday you can bring a dollar tomorrow! Please make sure that you follow the dress code requirements in the handbook.

STAR Week for the SUS House System has been going well! As of today, at 3:30 the St. Bernadette (Blue) House is in the lead. Reminder that students obtain points for their House by going above and beyond expectations.

In an effort to make sure all students arrive at school safely please help us with the following two items.

1. Make sure that you do not arrive before 7:40AM. We do not have supervision for students available before 7:40AM.
2. Use the car line for morning arrival drop-off or park at the St. Ursula church to let your child walk to the school. Please do not park at the St. John's lot and cross the street.

This morning we practiced the Hold drill. It was very successful and our students did a great job. Next week on October 3rd, we will practice our Secure drill at 10 a.m. We use this drill if there are situations nearby that require us to remain in the building with doors locked. During the Secure drill we will tell teachers and students to return to the building. Students will remain actively engaged in learning activities since this is not an emergency and teachers will conduct business as usual with extra vigilance to our surroundings. During a Secure event no one enters or leaves the building.

Our 8th grade class took the first field trip of the school year yesterday to

Emmitsburg During this field trip students were able to visit the Seton Shrine and the Grotto. They represented our SUS community so well. Thank you to the 8th grade teachers and volunteers for such a fun day!

Faithfully,
Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Marinaro



PAY-IT LINKS

LAST CHANCE Harvest Festival Special Lunch

On Thursday, October 12th we will have our annual Harvest Festival Special Lunch. Special lunch will only be distributed to those who have pre-paid. **Orders will close at 8 a.m. on Thursday, September 28th. No late orders will be accepted.** For more information and to place your order please visit this link: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/VWAidhpc>

UPDATES & REMINDERS

2023 HIGH SCHOOL FAIRS
6:00 – 6:30 PM | (Meet & Greet with Admissions Representatives)
6:35 – 8:05 PM | (Information Sessions with Admissions Directors)

- SEPTEMBER 18, 2023
St. Joseph School, Fullerton
- SEPTEMBER 19, 2023
Immaculate Conception School, Tucson
- SEPTEMBER 20, 2023
Resurrection-St. Paul School, Ellicott City
- SEPTEMBER 21, 2023
Sacred Heart School, Glyndon
- SEPTEMBER 25, 2023
Monseigneur Slade School, Glen Burnie
- SEPTEMBER 26, 2023
School of the Incarnation, Gambrills
- SEPTEMBER 27, 2023
Cardinal Shehan School, Northeast Baltimore
- SEPTEMBER 28, 2023
St. Ursula School, Parkville
- OCTOBER 2, 2023
St. Mark School, Catonsville
- OCTOBER 5, 2023
St. Marguerite Middle School, Bel Air

Registration Not Required. All Are Welcome to Attend!

TOMORROW High School Fair at SUS

We will be hosting a fair at St. Ursula School on Thursday, September 28th at 6 p.m. The fair will begin at 6:00 p.m., with an open portion where schools meet and greet with families. School representatives then move to classrooms to meet with families in smaller groups. The final breakout session concludes at 8:05 p.m.

NEW Dollar Day Tomorrow 9/28

Students who have pre-paid may dress down tomorrow. Students can also bring in \$1 to participate if they have not already paid. Please see the [school](#)

[handbook](#) for out of uniform guidelines.

NEW School Closed 10/6 & 10/16

Please be reminded that school will be closed on Friday, October 6th and on Monday, October 16th.

REMINDER Family Survey

For those that have not yet completed the Family Survey, please know that it strongly impacts the services that are provided to our students. The information you provide will help to determine the level of state and federal funding for textbooks, technology, grants, and, if funding is available, for the aging school program. It will also be used to determine funding that will be allocated for Title I services to children in our school. To complete the survey, please use this link: [Family Survey Link](#). When we reach 100% family participation, students will receive a **surprise!** Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

REMINDER Band Registration

Students in Grades 4 - 8 are invited to join the SUS band! Please click on [SUS Band Website](#) to view the registration form, information about rentals, band schedule, and zoom links for our upcoming band information and Q & A sessions.

SERVICE HOUR OPPORTUNITIES

NEW October Lunch Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers to help in the lunchroom in October. Volunteers are needed from 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. each day. Please use the Sign-up Genius link below to register for the date(s) you are available. Service hours do apply. All volunteers need to be Virtus approved. If you have any questions feel free to contact Laurie Currens at the school office.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0444AAA62EA5FE3-44682984-lunch#/>

HARVEST FESTIVAL



The Harvest Festival is an annual tradition at St. Ursula School and is an event the entire St. Ursula Harvest Festival community looks forward to each year. The Harvest Festival includes fun family games, crafts, delicious food, prize wheels, and much more!

Please take a moment to read this [information sheet](#) on what to expect during the event and where we need your help.

Service Hour Opportunities:

- Volunteers Needed, please sign-up here:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0849A8AF2BA3F4C34-harvest/15043343#/>

Game Tickets & Decorate the Festival:

- <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/2rWu4kKF>
- Order tickets by Thursday, October 5th by 8:00 a.m. to get a discount!

Raffles:

- [Student Raffle \(Gift Card Prizes\)](#)
- [Student Cash Raffle](#)

Attending the Festival:

Thursday, October 12th - Students will attend the festival during their assigned time below. **Parents/guardians who will be attending Harvest Festival with a student on Thursday, October 12th, will need to enter school through the playground doors to receive an identification badge before attending the festival.** If you have previously visited the school and have had your ID scanned, please complete this form so we can send home a badge for you: <https://forms.gle/i79nj16AvyZiPmn19>. This form will close on Friday, October 6th.

- **PK & K** 8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.
- **Gr. 1, 2** 9:55 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
- **Gr.3, 4, 5** 11:10 a.m. -12:15 p.m.
- **Gr. 6, 7, 8** 12:30 p.m. - 1:40 p.m.

Friday, October 13th & Saturday, October 14th - The festival is open to the public from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m.

SAVE THE DATE

REMINDER PHSA Monster Mash

Join us on Friday, October 27th from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in the SUS parking lot for Monster Mash! Bring your family/friends and come check out some of the fun activities planned this year. Wear your best costume and come join the fun!

- Halloween costume contest for elementary and middle school kids
- Several Halloween-themed stations to test your Halloween skills
- Chick Fil-A combo available: pre-ordering available as well as cash only options that evening
- DJ and dancing

Additional details on this event, as well service hour opportunities, will be communicated over the next few weeks.

PARISH NEWS



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ONE DAY ONLY - OCTOBER 18, 2023
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REMINDER Boscov's Fundraiser

For more information and to purchase Boscov's passes, please click here:
<https://forms.ministryforms.net/viewForm.aspx?formId=acde5947-780e-49ed-8749-e91add4826d>

Eucharistic Revival Activity Patch



The National Catholic Committee on Scouting recently announced the creation of the Eucharistic Revival Activity Program. The award is open to all Catholics at least 6 years old, regardless of whether they are involved in Scouting.

Participants may each earn a circular patch with the logo of the National Eucharistic Revival and have the option of earning up to eight auxiliary patches to accompany the main patch.

Participants have until June 2025 to complete the activities.

To earn the main patch, participants must attend Mass and receive the Eucharist for 12 weeks, preferably consecutively.

Participants may earn the auxiliary patches by participating in such activities as eucharistic adoration, eucharistic processions and family prayer, or by receiving the sacrament of reconciliation or learning about eucharistic miracles.



Contact Jeanine Colbourne to participate
Email: ParkvilleTroop26@gmail.com

ALTAR SERVER Training! RETURNS!!!

We encourage all current servers & any boys and girls who have already received their 1st Holy Communion (4th grade or older) to join us! It is always important to serve faithfully & reverently. And of course, you get to serve mass with Fr. Jason!!

Dates: Oct. 2nd, 6th & 7th

Must attend 2 training sessions

Monday, Oct. 2nd: 430pm-530pm

Friday, Oct. 6th: 5pm-6pm

Saturday, Oct. 7th: 10am-11am

PLEASE REGISTER BY: SEPT 27, 2023
www.stursulaparish.org/altarservers

OR email: shannon.schoelkopf@archbalt.org

Why be an altar server???

- *To serve at the altar of our Lord. .
- *Make new friends.
- *Strengthen your friendships you already have.
- *Learn about the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, and some pretty neat stuff.
- *Grow in holiness. Grow in your faith.
- *Leadership opportunities.
- *Meet a variety of wonderful people.
- *You always have a good seat for Mass



MASS TIMES

For those who are planning to worship as part of our St. Ursula Catholic Community, please be reminded of the Mass times: Saturdays at 5:00 p.m. and Sundays at 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., and 11:00 a.m.



DISMISSAL SCHEDULE

2:55 pm	Group 1: A - Dr	SUS Lot
3:05 pm	Group 2: Du - Sc	SJ Lot
3:15pm	Group 3: Se - Z	SUS Lot



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