

## BISHOP GARRIGA MIDDLE PREPARATORY SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

January 9, 2017



**Report Cards:** Students will be given their report cards for the second quarter on Wednesday, January 11. Please sign the report card and have your child return it to their homeroom teacher. If your child does not receive a report card, please contact the Finance office.

<u>Lunch with the Principal – President's Honor Roll Honorees:</u> Those students who were named to the President's Honor Roll (90 or above in all subject areas) will have lunch with the Principal, Mr. Gonzalez on Friday, January 13 during their regular lunch time. Lunch will be provided for these students on this day, as Mr. Gonzalez wants to honor time for working hard throughout the Second Quarter of the school year in keeping their grades in all subject areas at 90 or above. Lunch for these honorees will be held in the Kenedy Center/Gym.

<u>Honor Roll Assembly:</u> An Awards Assembly to honor students who were named to the "President's Honor Roll" (90 or above in all subject areas) and the "Principal's Honor Roll" (90 or above in all subjects and 80 or above in 3 or fewer subjects) for the Second Quarter of the 2016-17 school year will be held on Friday, January 13 at 2:45 p.m. in the Kenedy Center/Gym. Parents, Grandparents, and relatives are invited to attend this assembly. The full Honor Roll list is attached.

<u>Destination Imagination Team:</u> All students are invited to try out for the Destination Imagination team on Thursday, January 12 during 8<sup>th</sup> period. Students are to meet in the front office and will walk with a staff member to SJPII. There are only seven spots available. This wonderful program incorporates STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) using creativity and teamwork to solve challenging problems. Team meetings will be every Friday during 8<sup>th</sup> period. The first practice competition is on Saturday, January 14 in Alice. Please contact <u>Mrs. Frazier</u> or visit <u>destinationimagination.org</u> for more information.

Parent-Teacher Conferences: Parent-Teacher Conferences will be held on the following days and times:

- Monday, January 30 2:00-5:00 p.m. Kenedy Center/Gym
- Friday, February 3 1:30-6:00 p.m. Kenedy Center/Gym

This is a time for parents to meet with their child's teachers regarding grades, behavior, and attendance, especially for those students who are struggling academically in any of their courses.

**Baseball and Softball at BG:** Bishop Garriga will be offering boys' baseball and girls' softball beginning in Spring 2017. There are sign up forms located outside of the finance office for interested students.

Rally For Life: All students and parents are invited to join the Crusaders for Life as we travel to Austin for the annual Texas Rally For Life at the state capitol on Saturday, January 28. It is an awesome experience and we hope you can join us! The cost is \$37, which includes bus transportation and a t-shirt. We depart BG at 5:45 a.m. and return at 7:45 p.m. – there is plenty of room on the bus for parents or grandparents who would like to participate! Please contact Mrs. Hutzler for more information. Permission slips and money are due by WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11.



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Yearbook: The 2016-2017 yearbook is on sale now – order by April 28 for an early bird special of \$30. New this year: parents can purchase ads this year -\$10 for a quarter page or \$20 for a half page. Add a picture and a short heartfelt message to your child letting them know how proud you are of them or a poem/quote can be included. Send money and attached form to Mrs. Le Grange by May 5.

Birthday Wishes: The BGMPS faculty, staff, and administration extend birthday wishes to the following students who will be celebrating a birthday this week: January 8 – John Wilhelm – 7<sup>th</sup> grader

We wish this fine young man a wonderful birthday celebration and ask that God grant him many more years of excellent health of mind, body, and spirit. Enjoy your special day!

"They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh." ~ Matthew 2:10-11