



**BISHOP GARRIGA MIDDLE
PREPARATORY SCHOOL
WEEKLY NEWSLETTER**



March 27, 2017

Report Cards: The third nine-week quarter report card was sent home with your child on Friday, March 24. Financial clearance is needed in order for your child to receive their report card. Please contact [Mrs. Logue](#) (ext.809) or [Mrs. Franco](#) (ext. 810) with any questions.

Diocesan Science Fair: Congratulations to the following students who placed in the Diocesan Science Fair this past Saturday:

6th Grade: Andrew Ybarra – 3rd place

7th Grade: Josh Hernandez – 1st place; Hannah Reynolds – 2nd Place

8th Grade: Brigette Escamilla – 1st place; Jace Banuelos & Valentin Oranday – 3rd place; Ernie Moreno – 4th place

Special congratulations to Josh Hernandez who was recognized as the overall winner among all 1st place winners across all grade levels! Way to go, Crusader Scientists!

Lunch with the Principal – President’s Honor Roll Honorees: 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 Thursday, March 30 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 Third 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.

Honor Roll Assembly: 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 Third Quarter of the 2016-17 school year will be held on Friday, March 31 at 2:45 p.m. in the Kenedy Center/Gym. Parents, Grandparents, and relatives are invited to attend this assembly.

St. John Paul II High School – Early Registration: Early registration for new and current students enrolling at St. John Paul II High School for the 2017-18 school year will be conducted on Thursday, March 30, 2017 from 3:00-7:00 p. m. Early registration will be held in the Cafetorium.

****Attention BGMPs 8th Graders****

Parents who register their BGMPs 8th Grader for attendance to St. John Paul II High School for the 2017-18 school year will be eligible to wear the BGMPs or St. JP II Spirit Shirt, jeans, and tennis shoes every day the week of April 3, except for Thursday, April 6, which is BGMPs’ Mass day. On Thursday, April 6, all students must be dressed in the school’s Mass Uniform.

To be eligible to wear Spirit Attire, the parent of the 8th Grader must pay the \$180.00 registration fee and the \$50.00 PTO fee.

Students who choose to not wear Spirit Attire will be expected to dress in the regular school uniform.

IOWA Achievement Test: The IOWA Achievement Test will be administered to students from April 3-14. This achievement test is an assessment tool that will help the school determine areas of strengths, as well as areas that are in need of improvement regarding the educational skills of all our students. On these days, please make sure your child eats a healthy breakfast every morning and gets plenty of rest during the evenings/nights. Please encourage them to focus on what is being tested and to do their best in completing the sections of the achievement test.



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Registration Day: In case you missed our pre-registration day before Spring Break, you can register for the 2017-18 school year on Friday, April 7 from 12:30-7:00 p.m. in the Kenedy Center/Gym. You will be able to save \$50 on your registration fee – Friday, April 7 ONLY. You will also receive a chance to win two free passes to all BGMPs sporting events for the 2017-18 school year.

Beautification Day: BGMPs will hold a Beautification Day on Saturday, April 29 from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. We are asking for parent volunteers for this day. This will be another opportunity for parents to attain their service hours to the school. A list of projects for that day will be specified in next weekend's newsletter.

Home Games: Your child needs written permission from a parent to attend any home games (unless he or she is participating in the game). Otherwise, students are expected to report to Extended Care after school.

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 order 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:

- March 27 – Edward Garcia – 6th grader
- March 30 – Kadence Mendez – 6th grader
- March 31 – Jesse Aguilar – 6th grader

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

“I am the light of the world, says the Lord; whoever follows me will have the light of life.” ~ John 8:12

****Special Announcement****

Parents/Guardians, please be aware of the fact that students will not be able to take their final exams in May if all finances – tuition, fees, service hours, fund raising commitment, etc. – are not current. If you are experiencing a problem with your financial commitment to our school, please contact our school's Finance Office.