



**BISHOP GARRIGA MIDDLE  
PREPARATORY SCHOOL  
WEEKLY NEWSLETTER**



*April 17, 2017*

**Easter Break:** There will be no school on Easter Monday, April 17. Classes will resume on Tuesday, April 18.

**Inaugural Softball Game:** A special thank you to all those who volunteered to make our inaugural softball game such a success. The Lady Crusaders won 10-6! The Crusader Baseball team also won their game 7-6!

**Spring Raffle:** Tickets for this year's Spring Raffle were sent home with your child last week and can be sold through April 29. The raffle drawing will take place in early May. Parents/Guardians/Grandparents will receive 100% credit towards their fundraising commitment.

**BGMPS Cheerleading Tryout Camp:** The BGMPS Cheerleading Tryout Camp will be held from April 18-21 from 3:30-5:30 p.m. in the Kenedy Center/Gym. Those interested in participating in this Camp may pick up a form in the school's Front Office. Students must be registered at BGMPS for the 2017-2018 school year and current tuition and fundraising accounts must be up-to-date.

**Spring Fling Dance:** The BGMPS Student Council is sponsoring this dance on Friday, April 21 from 6:00-9:00 p.m. The cost is \$7. Snacks and drinks will be available for purchase. Dress code is casual (see the attached dress code guidelines).

**Athletics Team Pictures:** Team pictures for all BG athletics teams will take place on Saturday, April 22 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in the Kenedy Center/Gym. See attached detailed schedule. Please be on time as the gym will be occupied after Noon.

**New Student Placement Testing:** All incoming students for the 2017-2018 school year are invited to take the placement test on Saturday, April 29 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. There is a second testing date scheduled for Saturday, May 13. All incoming students are required to take this placement test, which consists of Math, Science, Language Arts, and Social Studies.

**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.

**Athletics Banquet:** Tickets are now on sale in the front office for the Athletics Banquet, which is scheduled for Saturday, May 6 in the SJPII Cafetorium. Cost is \$20 per person and athletes are FREE. Due to seating constraints, each family is limited to the purchase of 4 tickets.

**8<sup>th</sup> Grade End-of-Year Mass:** There will be a Mass on honor our 8<sup>th</sup> graders on Friday, May 26 at 10:00 a.m. at Ss. Cyril and Methodius. Students need to arrive by 9:15 a.m.



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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 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:

April 19 – Alex Flores – 7<sup>th</sup> grader

April 22 – Aidan Moore – 8<sup>th</sup> 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!

*“Then the angel said to the women in reply, ‘Do not be afraid! I know that you are seeking Jesus the crucified. He is not here, for he has been raised just as he said.’” ~ Matthew 28:5-6*

**\*\*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.