

Our Lady of the Assumption School

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With Hands to Serve and Hearts to Love

NOTE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

Our sixth graders are in **Sly Park** this week for an outdoor education experience, where they will be learning about the ecology of the Sierra Nevada Mountains. We pray they that they are safe and have a wonderful learning experience. In case you haven't heard, we are bringing back the **OLA Trunk or Treat** on Saturday, October 29. This event is being planned by our fabulous preschool with help from our PTG. Mark the date, and we'll see you there. Finally, best of luck to the **OLA Flag Football** team as they play in their first playoff game at Jesuit High School on Sunday. Go Cougars!

God Bless,

Robert Loue

You still have time to support OLA through a donation to our **Fund-an-Item**. Sign-up sheets can be found in the school office, or you can **send a check to the school office** with a note indicating that it is for **Fund-an-Item**. Please click on the following nonpublic link to view a fun video that was written by, filmed by, edited by, and stars OLA students: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Hp04Lpuo6lw>. Descriptions can be found in "Additional Information."

THIS WEEK AT OLA: OCTOBER 17 - OCTOBER 21

Grade 8: Please bring food for the Saint Vincent de Paul Food Locker.

Grade 6: Sly Park field trip – October 17th through the 21st

Thursday, October 20th Attire: Spirit wear top with uniform bottom

Thursday, October 20th Dismissal Time: 2:20pm

Friday, October 21st Attire: Full uniform

Friday, October 21st Mass Time: 8:00am

Friday, October 21st Dismissal Time: 3:00pm

Sock, Scarves, Mittens, Beanies, & Small Blankets Donation Drive: Please see the "Additional Information" section.

Scrip Cards: Scrip cards are available in the school office. The cards are listed in the "Additional Information" section.

Grades 1-8 Hot Lunch Menu: Access current menu here: <http://school.olaparish.net/students/hot-lunch-program>

NEXT WEEK AT OLA: OCTOBER 24 - OCTOBER 29

Grade 7: Please bring food for the Saint Vincent de Paul Food Locker.

Red Ribbon Week: Drug awareness activities all week

Grade 1: Field trip to Fogwillow Farms – Tuesday, October 25th

Thursday, October 27th Attire: Spirit wear top with uniform bottom

Thursday, October 27th Dismissal Time: 2:20pm

Friday, October 28th Attire: Full uniform

Friday, October 28th Mass Time: 8:00am

Friday, October 28th Dismissal Time: 3:00pm

Trunk or Treat: Saturday, October 29th. Please see the "Additional Information" section for details.

FUTURE EVENTS

OLA Fall Book Fair: Please join us for the Book Fair, from Monday, October 31st - Friday, November 4th, in the library.

Please see the "Volunteer Opportunities" section for information on help needed.

Young Rembrandts: Session 2 begins on November 1st. Please see the attached flyer for details.

Rio Americano H.S. Student/Parent Information Night: Wednesday, November 2, 2016. See "Additional Information."

Grandparents' Day - Save the Date: Friday, February 10, 2017. More information will be published at a later date.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

OLA Fall Book Fair: We need 1-2 more volunteers for the after school shift on Tuesday, Nov. 1 and Thursday, Nov. 3. This shift is from 2:30-3:30pm. Please sign up on school speak. Thank you for your support.

Assistance needed during kindergarten lunch hour in the Extension Cottage: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Fridays: 10:45 to 11:45; Thursdays: 10:35 to 11:35. Please contact Lynn Sweeney or Ms. Cori at 489-8958 ext. 30

Outdoor Work Day – Parish Service Hour Opportunity: Please join us on Saturday, November 5th, from 8am-noon to help our Groundskeeper, Paul, maintain our Oleanders and various other areas. Please wear protective work clothes (shirts with sleeves). If you are able, please bring gloves, wheel barrows, and rakes. Paul will meet you in front of the parish office, which is located off the Walnut Avenue parking lot. We sincerely appreciate your help in keeping our extensive grounds beautiful.

Hot lunch: We need a parent volunteer to assist during hot lunch. Please visit School Speak for more information and to sign-up: <https://as2.schoolspeak.com/Secure/VolCalendarView.aspx?name=VolCal1&Community=95608001&group=1>

SPORTS

Cross Country: The team competed in the Christian Brother's Invitational, which included public schools, private schools, and club teams. The JV Boys' team finished first in the small school division! The other results are still pending due to technical difficulties ☺ All team members worked hard and performed well, with the following placing in the top 30:

JV Girls: Ryan Strawn 23rd, Ella Gordon 27th, Kelsey Hawthorne 28th

JV Boys: Aiden Escay 6th, Tyler Prestwich 9th, Ryan Lourim 11th, Chase McQuoid 16th, Mason Strawn 17th

Varsity Boys: Michael Chambers 5th, Braden King 7th, Joey Ryan 28th, Ian King 30th

Great job, Cougars!

Flag Football: The first of the championship games will be on Sunday, October 23rd, at 3:00pm, vs. St. Mary's, at Jesuit .

Varsity Volleyball: Next game - Wednesday, October 19th, at 5:00pm, vs St. Mary's, at St. John Vianney.

PARISH NEWS

Harvest Feast Bratwurst Brouhaha: Saturday, November 5th, in the parish hall. Please see attached flyer for details.

Altar Servers Old & New: To serve at the altar is a wonderful opportunity to learn about the liturgy, deepen one's faith, and serve the parish community. As we approach the Christmas Season, we are offering a "refresher" training for all altar servers; we are also inviting anyone who wants to learn how to serve at the altar. All youths, ages 10-18, who have received First Communion and are interested in serving, are invited to participate. All current altar servers must attend one of the sessions. The training dates are: Tuesday, November 1st, at 3:30pm and Sunday, November 13th following the 11:00am Mass. Both sessions will be located in the church and will last 90 minutes. Please RSVP no later than October 29th to seminarian@olaparish.net. If you have any questions, please contact: Rose at ross1671@sbcglobal.net or Dean Marshall at seminarian@olaparish.net.

Parish Town Hall Meeting: All parishioners are welcomed to join us for a town hall meeting October 30th in the Parish Hall (gym) following the 11:00am Mass. Among the topics discussed will be the potential Mass time changes. Our Pastoral Council will be sending out a survey in the bulletin and via email regarding possible discussion points for the meeting.

PARISH YOUTH NEWS

OLA Youth Choir and Ensemble (Grades 3-12): All parish and school children grades 3-12 are invited to participate in these activities. We are looking for both singers and instrumentalists. Practices are from 6:00-6:55pm on Wednesday evenings, in the church, right before the OLA youth group meetings. Please contact our Music Director, Casey Oliver, with any questions at 481-5115 or worship@olaparish.net.

OLA Youth Groups - 7th/8th Grades: Meetings are on Wednesdays, from 7:00-8:30pm, in Seton Hall.

Please contact Johann Rubia-Miller for more information at 488-4626 or faithformation@olaparish.net.

Youth Ministry Dinner and Mass Fellowship Night: Every 3rd Sunday of the month, come and break bread in the youth room. Then, attend Mass together and experience our faith through prayers and worship. There will be a light dinner in the youth room from 6:30pm to 7:15pm followed by attendance at the 7:30pm Mass. Help to participate in the Mass by greeting, ushering, bringing up the gifts, and Reading. This evening is for youth in grades 7-12.

RSVP is not required. If you have any questions please contact OLA Youth Minister, Johann Miller, at 486-4626 or faithformation@olaparish.net.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Sock, Scarves, Mittens, Beanies, & Small Blankets Drive: Lulu Koerwitz, Kathleen Kuzmich, and Cate Seymour are collecting donations of these items for the guests at Loaves and Fishes. There are collection boxes at the back of each classroom. The class that brings in the most items by October 28th will win a prize.

Fund-an-Item 2016: With your donation, the preschool will purchase a much-needed shade structure to help protect the students from harmful UV rays. Our second Fund-an-Item is a digital marquee sign (upon permit approval) for the front of the school to help increase visibility of school events, holidays, and other pertinent information for the day. Our third item is a second copier for the faculty room to reduce lines at the copier and help increase productivity. We will also look at adding much needed new chairs for the math/meeting room.

Trunk or Treat: Saturday, October 29th

Time: 5:30 come to Mass in costume. Gates open from 6:30-9 p.m.

Cost: \$5/person, \$15/family **presale wristbands coming soon** for unlimited access for games, candy, & prizes
\$20/family unlimited access wristbands, when purchased at the gate.

Food: Food will be provided by Drewski's and Northborder Taco. Northborder Taco offers a variety of tacos and burritos! Drewski's has attended our events several times in the past and offer grilled cheese, hot dogs, sandwiches, mac'n'cheese, and fries. They offer a nut free menu. The price range for both trucks is \$3 to \$10.

Want to do a trunk?: Contact Amber @ ambermartinez@gmail.com

Want to help?: Contact Ms. Patty @ jones@olaparish.net

Opportunity for workforce hours: Details to follow.

Please see the attached flyers.

Rio Americano High School Student/Parent Information Night: Wednesday, November 2, 2016, from 7pm to 9pm, in the large gym. Program representatives will be available to provide information about Athletics, AVID, CIVITAS, Engineering, Music, Student Government, and more. The Rio Americano A.M. Jazz Ensemble, and Readers Theatre will perform.

Guided tours are scheduled for December 6th and 7th between 8:00am and 11:30am. There is no need to sign up for a tour. Incoming students and their parents will need to sign into the Library either day. Tours may start up to 30 minutes apart.

For more information, please go to www.sanjuan.edu/rioamericano. Questions? Call 916-971-7499.

Scrip Cards: There are scrip cards in the school office still available for purchase. Current inventory must be sold. Please take a look at the following list of cards that are available. Stop by the school office any time during school hours to purchase scrip cards.

Ace Hardware	Gap/Old Navy/Banana Republic	Red Lobster/Olive Garden
Aeropostle	Ghiradelli	Regal/UA Movies
American Eagle	Gymboree	Rite Aid
Applebee's	Hagens Orange Freeze	Safeway
Barnes & Noble	Hallmark	SaveMart
Bath & Body Works	Honeybaked	See's Candy
Bed, Bath and Beyond	Ihop	Shutterfly
Big 5	iTunes	Smart & Final
Buffalo Wild Wings	J Crew	Staples
CA Pizza Kitchen	Kohls	Subway
Cheesecake Factory	LL Bean	Taco Bell
Chevy's/El Torito	Michael's	Toys-R-Us
Chilis/Macaroni Grill	Mimi's Café	Union 76
Claire's	Miyagi	Wendy's
Crate & Barrel	Outback	Whole Food
Discover (\$100 each)	Panera	Yo-Yo Yogurt
Disney	Papa Murphy	Zappos
El Pollo Loco	PetSmart	
Game Stop	PotteryBarn/William Sonoma	
	Quiznos	

Please note that all Tuesday Bulletin submissions must be received by 3:00pm on the Monday prior to bulletin inclusion date :) The submission form is available [here](#).

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

Harvest Feast

Bratwurst Brouhaha



Saturday, November 5th
6:30pm Parish Hall
RSVP by October 26th

Please join us for:
Bratwurst with sauerkraut,
Hot dogs, German potato
salad, drinks and dessert!

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Reservation deadline is October 26th. Please drop this reservation off at the Parish Office.

NAME _____

TOTAL NUMBER OF GUESTS: _____

BRATWURST _____

HOT DOG _____

Trunk Or Treat

Sat. Oct. 29th

5:30 Mass in Costume

Trunks & Games Open at 6:30 p.m.



***Pre-Sale Wristbands
\$5 / Each OR
\$15 / Family
\$7 Each or \$20 / Family
at Gate***

Name: _____ Grade: _____

Number of Pre-Sale Wristbands _____

(Attach check made out to OLA and submit to the office

Attention Patty Jones)



Saturday, October 29th
Set Up time at 4:30 p.m.

Interested in providing a trunk?
YAY!!

Treats must comply with the
OLA Allergen Policy.

Send the following in to school or email
Amber Martinez at ambersmartinezgmail.com

To: Preschool Patty

Name: _____

Trunk Theme (If you know it) _____

Contact phone & email _____



Drawing Classes for kids

at Our Lady of the
Assumption



Young Rembrandts

Keep the colorful magic of fall alive in the **Young Rembrandts** classroom. Students will immerse themselves in the seasonal spirit as they draw a detailed scarecrow, illustrate a totem pole like the ones carved by the Native American tribes of the Pacific Northwest, and finally, get ready for winter as we turn out a "sweet" drawing of a ginger bread house (almost good enough to eat!). We'll draw these (and many more exciting lessons!) while we improve creative and critical thinking skills today's students need. So what are you waiting for? **Sign up now!**



classes

Tuesdays
3:05 - 4:05 p.m.
11/01/16 - 12/13/16



tuition

\$75.00
6 Week Session
*Payment Plan Available



enrollment

ENROLL ONLINE at
www.youngrembrandts.com

Questions? Call Us: 916.330.4577

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- **No Class Held: Nov. 22nd**
- Sibling & Multiple Session Enrollment Discounts Available
- Visit our website for future session dates...don't let your child miss out on the drawing fun!
- Be sure to **LIKE US** on Facebook! Young Rembrandts Greater Sacramento



YOUNG REMBRANDTS provides all classroom supplies and a trained instructor. Classes are held immediately after school. Parents are responsible for transportation at class end.

This program is held on the site/property of OLA.
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