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This Week at OLGC  
April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018

### **Dear Parents,**

Happy Easter! Fr. John reminded us Monday morning that Easter is a 50 day event not just one day. So celebrate your faith in Jesus daily!

### **OLGC Readers are Leaders**

Congratulations to our OLGC Readers are Leaders team who won the Fraser Valley Zone Champions yesterday. Good luck to our OLGC Readers are Leaders in competing in the CISVA Championships later this month. Special thanks to Mrs. Garzitto for preparing the teams this year. Go Knights!

### **Humboldt Broncos Hockey Team Jersey Day**

In support of the community, family, and players of the Humboldt Broncos Hockey Team OLGC School will participate in a Jersey Day tomorrow. Students are encouraged to wear their favorite team jersey over their school uniform. Students should donate as they feel fit but the suggested minimum donation is \$2.00. Funds collected will be added to the Go Fund Me for the Humboldt Broncos. For those that are unaware the Broncos team bus carrying the junior hockey team collided with a transport truck on a Saskatchewan highway, leaving 15 people dead and injuring another 14 last Friday afternoon. Thanks for your prayers and support.

### **OLGC Movie Day 2018**

On Saturday, April 14<sup>th</sup> OLGC will take over the Hollywood Cinema in Surrey. Tickets are \$7 – available only through the school. This includes movie viewing, small popcorn and a drink. Ticket order forms will be sent home last week. All tickets must be purchased by Friday, April 13<sup>th</sup>. If you would like to volunteer please contact the office. Work hours will be given.

### **OLGC Read-A-Thon 2018**

Our 11th Annual OLGC Read-A-Thon will begin April 16<sup>th</sup> and will end April 27<sup>th</sup>. During this time Primary students should read at least 15 minutes per day and Intermediate students should read a minimum of 30 minutes per day. We plan to have a character dress up day on April 20<sup>th</sup>. On April 27<sup>th</sup>, a Parent Verification Form and tracking sheet will be due to each classroom teacher. The Primary and Intermediate class that reads the most will win a prize as well as the top reader in each class.

### **Ready Set Learn 2018**

Mrs. Palitti and Mrs. Martins will be running our Ready Set Learn for our Pre-school and Kindergarten aged children Wednesday, April 18<sup>th</sup>. The event gives parents and Pre-school students an opportunity to spend time in literacy building activities.

### **OLGC School 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary –April 27<sup>th</sup>**

We will celebrate our 60<sup>th</sup> year Anniversary April 27<sup>th</sup>. Mass will be at 9:00 a.m. followed by our Spring Concert at 12:45 p.m. We will be running a carnival at 4:00 p.m. and will need 25 parent volunteers to assist with pre-making games, running activities on the day, supervision, set up, and take down. If you can assist and need hours please contact Mrs. Palitti or the school office by April 20<sup>th</sup>. Carnival ticket order forms were sent home April 10th.

## **Spring Concert/Parent Appreciation -April 27<sup>th</sup>**

We will hold our 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Spring Concert/Parent Appreciation Friday, April 27<sup>th</sup> at 12:45 p.m. in the Don Bosco Youth Center. Tea/Coffee and dessert will be served. Parents will be entertained by each class, the Primary Choir, Intermediate Choir and the Grade 7 Bell Choir. Please send in a note with the number of guest attending to the office if you plan to attend. See the end of this newsletter for attendance slip.

## **HCA Bake Sale**

Our Grade 4's would be running a cash only bake sale Friday, April 20<sup>th</sup> to raise funds for the Holy Childhood Association. If you would like a treat please bring money to school April 20<sup>th</sup>.

## **Student Lateness**

We have noticed an increase in student lateness in the mornings and in particular in our Grade 1 and Kindergarten classes. Instruction begins at 8:45 a.m. and arrival any time afterwards interrupts the teacher and class. If you are late please report to the front office and get a late slip and Mrs. Cowan will bring students over so as to not to interrupt the class.

## **Girls Soccer**

Soccer practices and games continue for our participating Girls in Grades 4 to 7. Go Knights!

## **Track & Field 2018**

Our Track and Field season starts April 16<sup>th</sup>. Our first track meet will be April 24<sup>th</sup> at Bear Creek. Permission forms will be sent home and are due back Friday, April 13<sup>th</sup>.

## **OLGC Spelling Bee**

Our OLGC Spelling Bee practices run Tuesdays and Wednesdays during lunch. Our OLGC competition will be held April 18<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m.

## **OLGC Parent Participation Hours**

Please be advised all hours need to be submitted by May 31<sup>st</sup>. Thank you to our many wonderful parents who give so much time and energy to keep OLGC beautiful. There are many opportunities to assist with our 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, school maintenance and with our Track and Field program over the next few weeks. Contact the office to help out.

## **Hot Lunch – April 23rd**

We need volunteers for the day on April 23rd. Please contact the office if you can help.

## **STM Chancellor Music Festival**

Our OLGC Choirs will compete in the STM Chancellor Music Festival May 8<sup>th</sup>. Sing Knights Sing!

## **Jeans Day 2018- May 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Jeans Day is May 3<sup>rd</sup>! Please bring in a minimum donation of \$5 to participate and help the kids at BC Children's Hospital. \$3 will go to Children's Hospital and \$2 to CISVA Catholic Charities campaign. We ask that students purchase by May 2<sup>nd</sup> in order to wear their Jeans this Jeans Day. Students who do not purchase a button should not wear Jeans to school on May 3<sup>rd</sup> but remain in their OLGC uniform.

## **Speech Arts at OLGC 2018**

OLGC will be running its own internal Speech Arts competition this year on May 16<sup>th</sup> for Grades K to 3 and on May 17<sup>th</sup> for Grades 4 to 7. Both sessions will begin at 10:30a.m. in the school's auditorium. Please feel free to attend.

## **OLGC Pre-School News**

If you want to register your child aged 3-4 for our OLGC Pre-School, there are a few spots available. Please contact Lenny Martins at 604-581-3225.

## **OLGC Out of School Care News**

If you require out of school care please contact Lenny Martins at 604-581-3225.

## **OLGC Knights in Action**

Congratulations to our Knights in Action for displaying random acts of kindness. This week's winners is Aneliese (7). Thanks to all our students for participating.

## **Work Party**

Our next work party will be Saturday, April 21<sup>st</sup>. Please contact the office if you plan to attend.

## **PERSONAL BEST BOARD**

Congratulations to the following students for the excellent work displayed on the March Personal Best Board". Keep up the Good Work!

K	Tia Leece Erianna Yanto	Carson Maclean	Emilee Yaldiz
G. 1	Shayne Herbosa-Rodriguez	Aiden Jeha	Renj Mendoza
G. 2	Kaia Alejandro	Braethan Lee	Emerald Loo
G. 5	Isaiah Boholst Paolo Emata	Brennan Dizon –Hayes Markus Francisco	
G. 6	Isha D'Souza Andre Villanueva	Vernon Espiritu	Andre Juco
G.7	Euan Bautista Nicole Magtibay	Diego Cloma	Veronica Khaing

## **Important Dates:**

- April 12<sup>th</sup> -Jersey Day
- April 14<sup>th</sup> -OLGC Movie Day
- April 16<sup>th</sup> -Track & Field starts
- April 16<sup>th</sup> -OLGC Read-A-Thon starts
- April 18<sup>th</sup> -Ready-Set-Learn
- April 24<sup>th</sup> -Bear Creek Track Meet
- April 27<sup>th</sup> -60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebrations
- May 2<sup>nd</sup> -Holy Cross Track Meet
- May 3<sup>rd</sup> -Jean's Day
- May 8<sup>th</sup> -STM Music Festival (Primary & Intermediate)
- May 8<sup>th</sup> -First Communion Practice (6:30 p.m.)
- May 12<sup>th</sup> -First Communion (3:30 p.m.)
- May 12<sup>th</sup> -Knights of Columbus Track Meet ( Bear Creek)
- June 1<sup>st</sup> -Kindergarten Open-House
- June 14<sup>th</sup> -Confirmation practice (6:30 p.m.)
- June 15<sup>th</sup> - Confirmation (7:00 p.m.)

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**60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Spring Concert/Parent Appreciation Tea 2018**

I \_\_\_\_\_ plan to attend the OLGCA Parent Appreciation Tea on  
Friday, April 27<sup>th</sup>. Number attending \_\_\_\_\_

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