

DMCS eNewsletter March 5, 2020

Dear Parents-

Happy March! I am writing today from the Catholic Schools' Center for Excellence (CSCOE) Leadership Conference. After two days of learning and sharing with the other principals of the Archdiocese of St. Paul/Minneapolis, my head is full of inspiring things to work on to continue our tradition of excellence in educating our students. This time away, though hard, is always worth the effort. It proves that life-long learning is a necessary part of any school culture. We need to continue to move forward and adjust to grow. I am committed to this work and to leading with dedication and a passion for excellence. Thank you for your support in this.

As we look to plan our staffing for next year, it really helps us to know who is returning. If you have not done so already, please verify your child's enrollment through TADS. We will be making decisions based on our number of students in order to stay in budget. This information is critical for us. Thank you.

Spring Break is next week, March 9-13. All programs and offices will be closed during this time I hope you enjoy your time away. Spring is in the air and this break will help prepare all of us for the last quarter of the school year. We look forward to welcoming everyone back on Monday, March 16th.

Remember that snow pants and boots are no longer required after break. Please watch the weather and adjust what your child brings based on temperature and conditions of the play area. Thank you!

Know as I spend extra time in prayer this Lent and work on my gratitude practice, you and your children are on my mind. I am so thankful for you and the part you play in Divine Mercy Catholic School. May God continue to guide us and help us continue this work.

Enjoy your time with your family next week!

Mrs. Ashley

I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me. Phil 4:13

Save the Date
March 20, 2020
DMCS Scholarship Night Gala



Scholarship Night is an entertaining event open to all adults. Join us for an evening of delicious food, fun games, DJ music, abundant laughter and great fellowship.

See the attached Scholarship flier for ticket information.



Let's go to the Hop!

Let's Go to the Hop!! Congratulations Parents & Students... We have surpassed our goal! Together we have raised \$14,800 for technology upgrades. More information to follow on our top student and classroom after Spring Break as well as our Sock Hop Date. Thank you for your support of this fundraiser!

Like us on Facebook!



Got Wine???

The Scholarship Gala Committee needs donations for our Wine Wall. Red, White, Dry, Sweet... please drop your wine bottle off at DMCS, attention Ginger. Thanks for helping and please join us for a fun evening on March 20th!



Visions of Hope
2020 Scholarship Gala
An evening of fun, food, and friends.

Friday, March 20



*Happy
St. Patrick's
Day*



*Leprechauns created by
students from Mrs. Brown's
1st Grade Class*



DMCS 2019-2020 Yearbook

Online Order Information-

Link: <http://www.memorybook.com/online-pay/parent-pay/>

DMCS Code: 164863

Price: \$11.00 Deadline: Tuesday, March 31st



Dates to Remember

- Mar. 5 NO Homework Club
Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Mar. 6 Care & Share Dress Down
- Mar. 8 Daylight Savings Time

Spring Break - March 9-13

- Mar. 16 Return to School!
- Mar. 17 Happy St. Patrick's Day
- Mar. 18 8:30 Mass - Gr. 5 Host
- Mar. 20 Reward Dress Down Day
Scholarship Night!!!
- Mar. 25 8:30 Mass - Gr. 4 Host

SUPERVISION NEEDED. The safety of your children is our top priority. The supervision of students during their noon recess is key to their safety. The time commitment would be 10:50 AM to 12:15 PM. If you are able to help please contact Rosie Van Thomme at (507) 334-7706 or sign up at: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0D49ABA92DA3FF2-march3> If you are able to help with even just a half hour or more during this time it would be greatly appreciated.

Attached/Included in Folder

- ❖ Visions of Hope Scholarship Gala Invite
- ❖ DMCS Summer Program K-5 (*attached*)
- ❖ DMCS Summer program PK (*attached*)
- ❖ Yearbook Order Information (*attached*)

Please remember DMCS in your will.