We're BACK!

Hello, Knights!

What a wild and wacky weather week it was last week! I never dreamed of using one snow day, let alone two this early in December! I hope everyone did get to enjoy a little extension of the Thanksgiving holiday and hopefully got to enjoy the snow.

My kids and I definitely enjoyed the snow - we (attempted) to build snowmen, had snow ball fights, make some snow angels, and walked around our neighborhood looking at Christmas lights! It was amazing to see the excitement and wonder in their eyes!

I am elated to see the students tomorrow in the building! It's awesome when the kids and staff are in the building; it feels whole and complete. If your child was given a device to use for remote learning, please make sure your student brings back that device.

We only have ten school days left until Christmas Break. In this newsletter, I have outlined Christmas Spirit Week and SCS's Plan for Return after Christmas Break.

I hope you have a wonderful second week of Advent filled with both HOPE and PEACE!

Mr. Richards
The Feast of the Immaculate Conception - December 8th

The title of the Immaculate Conception recognizes Mary’s privilege of coming into the world free from sin. Through the power of Jesus’ Death and Resurrection, every human being can be freed from sin at Baptism. Through that same power, Mary was always free from sin, even from that very first moment of life.

On December 8, the Church celebrates this special privilege given to Mary. At the liturgy we thank God for all his blessings he has given to the people of our country. And we can thank Mary for watching over and protecting our people.

Adapted from https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/saints/saints-stories-for-all-ages/feast-of-the-immaculate-conception/
Giving Tuesday

Thank you again to all who donated, helped spread the word, and worked so hard to help SCS! Your donations are being put to great use and will continue to benefit each student and teacher at SCS! Over $27,000 was raised!

A HUGE Thank You to Holly Davidson, Michelle Springer, and the Giving Tuesday team for making this happen!

We can't spell SUCCESS without U!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT OF SCS!
Christmas Spirit Week Schedule

As a FUN way to celebrate Christmas, Christmas Spirit Week is BACK!

As a reminder, if your child has Physical Education on any of these days, your child must be in his/her P.E. uniform.

If your child chooses not to participate in the Spirit Days, he/she must be in full uniform.

The following days are FULL uniform days:
Tuesday, December 15th

The following days are 1/2 & 1/2 uniform days:
Monday, December 14th & Thursday, December 17th

The following days are appropriate for school appropriate, themed attire:
Wednesday, December 16th & Friday, December 18th
Returning After Christmas Break

When we return after Christmas Break, we will return in same manner we planned for our return from Thanksgiving Break. The following is the schedule for our return:

January 4th - Teacher Workday - NO STUDENTS

January 5th - 8th - ALL students will learn VIRTUALLY

January 10th - Students returning to in-person learning will return to the building.

Call Off Procedure
Please make sure that you are notifying the school office if your child will not be in attendance at school. This is both in person and virtually. Please call the school office **no later** than 8:15AM. When emailing, please be sure to include your child's teacher(s) and Mrs. Gallagher.

If you are calling off for general illness, this is not an opportunity for your child to attend classes remotely. Your child's body needs time to heal and rest.

If your child is in quarantine due to COVID, please notify Mr. Richards and your child's teacher(s) so that we are able to accommodate remote learning for the quarantine period.