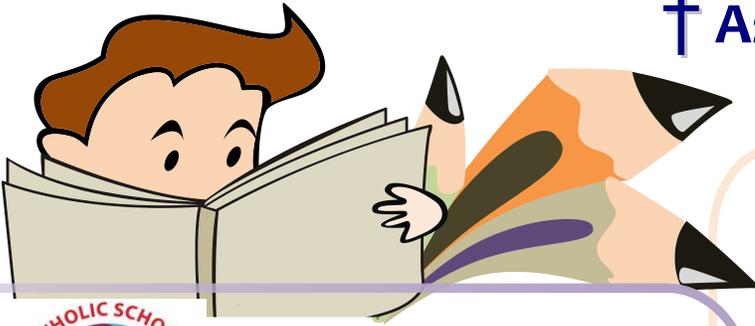


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Mrs. Shumny's Corner

March 23, 2018

Dear ACS Families,

Happy Spring... well, almost! This last snow storm took us all by surprise. Apologies for the late change in the school cancellation decision Wednesday night. I was hoping a delayed opening was the best option, but once Perth Amboy Public Schools closed we decided to close as well. Unfortunately, we do have to extend our school year by one day, so please note that Monday, June 18th (12:30 dismissal) is now the last day of school and report card distribution day. Graduation days will NOT be changed.

I wanted to take this opportunity to thank all our parents who participated in the Gertrude Hawk candy sale. I know it is an obligation for our Plan 1 Tuition Plan families but I am grateful that everyone went above and beyond with this candy sale. If you have any issues with your order please email me as soon as possible. All FSA fundraisers subsidize tuition costs and all funds come back to our students. FSA fundraising supports our building's maintenance, special programs, curriculum enhancements and special projects.

A few important reminders....

- We are waiting to see if Bishop Ahr & Union Catholic High Schools will reschedule the play performance. If they will not, we will either return money to parents or apply it to the Liberty Science Trip (May Trip).
- **Please review our calendar and menu REGULARLY – both are available online.**
- Apple Store Field Trips: Please remember we need both permission slips!
 - Tuesday, March 27th - Gr. 2 & Gr. 3
 - Wednesday, March 28th - Gr. K & Gr. 1
 - Thursday, April 12th - Gr. 4 & Gr. 5
 - Friday, April 13th - Gr. 6 & Gr. 7
 - Monday, April 16th - Gr. 7 & Gr. 8

Thank you for all your support! Please if you have any questions or concerns, give me a call.
God Bless, -Mrs. Shumny

HIGH PRIORITY

1. PARENTS, YOU CANNOT PARK ON THE YELLOW LINE TO DROP OFF YOUR CHILD(REN). IT IS A DROP OFF ONLY.
2. RE-REGISTRATION FORMS ARE DUE BY APRIL 30TH.
3. WE WILL BE SETTING UP OUR FAMILIES ON THE NEW FACTS TUITION SYSTEM STARTING IN LATE APRIL – NOTE THAT THIS IS FOR 2018-2019 SCHOOL YEAR WHICH STARTS IN AUGUST.
4. CHANGE TO MENU: 3/28 WILL BE MAC & CHEESE

IMPORTANT DATES

- 3/26 PLEASE **DRESS** FOR PHYSICAL EDUCATION!
- 3/28 K & 1 APPLE STORE CODING FIELD TRIP
- 3/29 **NO** PHYS. EDUCATION – REGULAR UNIFORM

HOLY THURSDAY AT 10:30 AM OUR 7TH AND 8TH GRADE WILL BE PRESENTING THE LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS. ALL PARENTS ARE INVITED TO JOIN US.

3/30 12:30 DISMISSAL GOOD FRIDAY – NO AFTERCARE

4/2 TO 4/6 NO CLASSES – EASTER BREAK

Please note: IOWA Standardized Testing will be from 4/12-4/25.



SPORTS

Track Practice will be every Monday and Wednesday from 6:00pm to 7:15pm at the Perth Amboy HS Track. There will be practice during Easter Break.

CLUBS: Up Coming Weeks

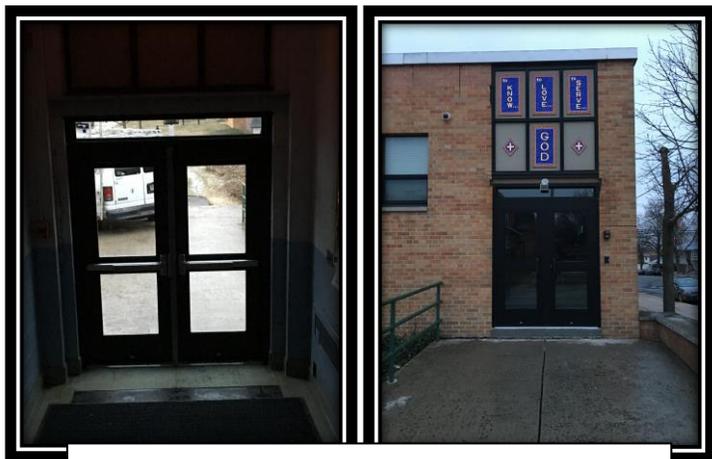
No Clubs Holy Week: 3/26 – 3/30

ACS Hi-Light: ACS's Security Initiative Project: New Doors!

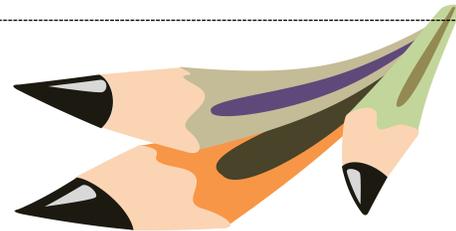
This past summer a great deal of time was spent reviewing ACS's security and internal emergency procedures. A plan was created and it was decided to use our allocated City Security Funds, in addition to our own budget, to replace the school's front office doors and replace our aftercare door's hardware. I am happy to announce that the new doors were installed on Tuesday. They look great but more importantly work on an upgraded system that works effectively with our security cameras. ACS thanks C&M Door Controls, Inc. for their dedicated service, understanding of a small Catholic School's budget and safety needs.

In addition to the doors, more two way radios were purchased to increase communication. Our plan is to have one in every room by September. So, in addition to our intercom system, the "walkie-talkies" will make sure all classrooms have two ways to communicate to the office.

If you have any concerns, suggestions or feedback concerning any issues please contact me. And come check out our new doors!



More pictures on our facebook page!



FSA CORNER!

***Thank you to all who helped us with the clothing drive.**

***Any problems with candy orders please email me right away:**

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2018 Holy Week and Easter Schedule

Palm Sunday, March 25
9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy (Ukr.) Blessing of willows
11:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy (Eng.) Blessing of willows
(Children's Easter Egg Hunt after both liturgies)

Holy Monday, March 26
7:00 p.m. Akathist to the Divine Passion Of Christ

Holy Tuesday, March 27
7:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified Gifts

Holy Wednesday, March 28
7:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified Gifts

Holy Thursday, March 29
7:00 p.m. Matins, Reading of the Twelve Passion Gospels.

Good Friday, March 30
9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy with Burial Vespers and Procession
(School children and choir "Boyan" will alternate in singing the responses)
7:00 P.M. - Jerusalem Matins

Holy Saturday, March 31
12:00 - 3:00 p.m. Confessions in the Church
2:00 p.m. Blessing of Easter Food Baskets in the School Hall
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6:30 p.m. Nakhrobne (Prayer at the Tomb)
7:00 p.m. Procession & Resurrection Matins

Pascha Sunday, April 1
9:00 a.m. Liturgy in Ukrainian.
(Blessing of Easter Food Baskets outside the church)
11:30 a.m. Liturgy in English