

School of the Incarnation Newsletter



Thursday, April 11, 2024

Friday, April 12th: Spirit Wear Day

Adoration in the chapel

JP II Scholarship Applications are due SOTI Class of 2020 Reunion 7:00 PM

Tuesday, April 16th: PAC Spirit Night - Ledo Pizza Crofton 4:00 - 9:00 PM - see attached flyer

Wednesday, April 17th: 4th Gr. Field Trip - Annapolis 8:00 AM - 1:30 PM

Thursday, April 18th: PreK Field Trip - Clark's Elioak Farm 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

8th Gr. Field Trip - Chesapeake Arts Center 1-:45 AM - 1:45 PM

Friday, April 19th: Spirit Wear Day

PAC Mother/Son Game Night for boys in PreK - 5th Gr. 6:00 - 8:00 PM

Tuesday, April 23rd: PAC Social 6:30 - 8:00 PM - see below for details

Friday, April 26th: ½ Day (Noon) Dismissal - ESP in session

Spirit Wear Day

Arts and Culture Festival 1:30 - 4:00 PM

Monday, April 29th: School Closed

Tuesday, April 30th: Pre-HSPT for 7th Grade students
Wednesday, May 1st: NJHS Induction Ceremony 7:00 PM

Friday, May 3rd: Spirit Wear Day

6th Gr. Field Trip - Medieval Times 10:00 AM - 1:30 PM

First Friday Adoration in the chapel Middle School Dance 7:00 - 9:00 PM

Friday, May 10th: The Gala, Celebrations at the Bay, Pasadena 7:00 - 11:30 PM

2024 Yearbook

Each family will receive one complimentary copy of the yearbook. If you would like to pre-order an additional copy/copies of the yearbook, please click on the link below and follow the instructions on the screen to check out.

**Yearbook ads are also available to purchase (limited space available)

Link: http://www.yearbooksspm.com/bsin0a

Incarnation Day 2024 - Diaper Collection

As part of our Incarnation Day celebration students are asked to bring in a package/box of diapers for our diaper collection. The diapers collection will end tomorrow, Friday, April 12th. The diapers will be donated to Agape House in Baltimore.

JP II Scholarship

Completed application packets are due by tomorrow, Friday April 12th. No late applications will be accepted.

Gala Sponsorships

This is your LAST CHANCE to be a Gala Sponsor and attend SOTI's largest fundraising event of the year! You don't want to miss an amazing evening with our school community!

GALA Sponsorship

For more information or questions, contact Development Director Kristina Rykielkrykiel@schooloftheincarnation.org

Arts and Culture Festival - April 26

We are excited to be having our second annual Arts and Culture Festival for School of the Incarnation on Friday, April 26 from 1:30-4:00 pm. We would like to have many cultures, authentically represented from our community. If your family has first hand knowledge of culture from another country, please consider sharing some aspect of that culture. Culture can include anything from food and clothes, to different celebrations, dance, or music. Please consider how your family might help us make the Arts and Culture Festival a success. You do not need to be present for the entirety of the event if you are not able. If you have questions or a way that you would like to contribute, please fill out this form, or email sspaulding@schooloftheincarnation.org

Attention 7th Grade Parents - Pre-HSPT

All Archdiocesan 7th graders will take the pre-HSPT on April 30th, and results will be sent home with T3 Progress Reports. The pre-HSPT mirrors the HSPT identically, so it will be excellent test prep for when our students take the HSPT as 8th graders this December.

There is no cost to our families for taking the Pre-HSPT, as our school pays for testing materials and administration. All 7th graders will take the Pre-HSPT, regardless of where your child plans to attend high school. Our school will use Pre-HSPT results to conduct an over-arching review of our students' strengths and weaknesses, allowing us to help our students achieve even greater success on the HSPT and in school.

2024-2025 School Year

First day of classes for students: August 26, 2024

Christmas Break: December 23, 2024 – January 1, 2025

Easter Break: April 18 - 25, 2025 8th Grade Graduation: May 31, 2025

Last day of classes for students: June 5, 2025

Picture Day/Photo Order Questions

info@hamilton-images.com 410-267-6090

www.hamilton-images.com

The Spirit Wear store is always open!!

The new Spirit Wear store will stay open year round. Items may change based on the season or special events. These items will be shipped directly to your home.

https://chesapeakedistribution.com/collections/school-of-the-incarnation

Volunteer Certification

If you are new to School of the Incarnation and would like to volunteer or chaperone for an upcoming event or field trip, you must complete Virtus training. Please follow the steps outlined on our website. The link can be found here: https://www.schooloftheincarnation.org/resources/parent-volunteering

If you need assistance or have questions, please contact Megan Johannes, Volunteer Screening Coordinator, at <u>mjohannes@schooloftheincarnation.org</u>.

Returning parents who have already completed Virtus training can contact Megan Johannes to check your Virtus status.

ESP Teachers/Aids Needed

Do you know a college student or older high school student who loves to work with children and is looking for some part-time work? Our ESP program is still in need of additional staff for the afternoons (3:15-5:30 PM). In order to be considered for ESP Teacher positions, the candidate must be 18 years old. Teens 16-18 are eligible to be considered for assistant positions. Please contact Lisa Bucci, lbucci@schooloftheincarnation.org for more information.



BEYOND PROGRAM INFORMATION

UPDATES:

The Preschool and Kindergarten Arts and Crafts Club members have been using their artistic talents to make projects focused on the Easter Season, Spring, and the Solar Eclipse!

The Junior Joggers Running Club continues to have fun while learning about healthy living habits, playing running games, and how to "pace" themselves as they run laps.

The Creation and Imagination Club members are enjoying a variety of activities such as going on a nature walk to find objects in order to create works of art with partners, nature BINGO, painting landscapes using sticks and pinecones, building playgrounds/amusement parks using Duplo blocks, and making a variety of art projects related to Spring.

The Environmental Experts Club will have its first meeting this week. Nature walks, projects related to recycling/reusing/reducing, and finding ways to help to take care of God's world will be some areas of focus.

REMINDERS

- When picking up your child at the end of a club meeting, **parents must park in the lot** and walk up onto the sidewalk before that child will be dismissed. Please make sure one of the parent volunteers for that club or Miss Santini knows that you have your child. Your promptness at pick up time is appreciated!
- Snacks for clubs are not mandatory, however, if your child does bring one, it needs to be a
 quick, healthy, non-messy/no crumbs item (great options: cheese, fresh fruit or veggie,
 applesauce pouch, small protein bar). Reusable water bottles with built in straws only for drinks.

Adult moderators are vital to the creation and success of these groups, so please consider sharing your time and talents with our students! If you have any questions or ideas for a club, please contact our school's Auxiliary Services Coordinator, Amy Santini



Adoration volunteers are still needed for tomorrow, Friday, April 12th - PLEASE HELP!

Friday, April 12th we will have Second Friday Adoration in our school chapel. We are looking for volunteer adorers to provide coverage for 30-60 minute blocks between the hours of 8:30-1:45. This will allow the teachers to bring their classes in for adoration according to their schedule throughout the day. If you are interested and would like more information please contact our Adoration Coordinator, Liz Pryor via email liz@horizonbuildersinc.net

To volunteer, please click on this link:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0849AFA92AA5F5C25-48521483-volunteers#/

For general information on Adoration, you may want to visit the following website for Catholic articles and resources: https://catholic-link.org/how-to-go-to-adoration-eucharist/

Weekly Rosary

Parents, faculty, and staff are invited to participate in saying the rosary on Wednesday mornings at 7:15 a.m. in the chapel (enter through front doors – chapel through door to immediate right). We hope that you can join us for all or part of the rosary! Questions - please contact Ms. Hinton at chinton@schooloftheincarnation.org



Parent Advisory Council News

PAC Social - Tuesday, April 23rd

Please join us on Tuesday, April 23rd from 6:30 to 8:00 PM at Molloy's Irish Pub & Restaurant, 1053 Rt. 3, Gambrills. Meet other parents, hear PAC updates and learn about ways to volunteer. The PAC will provide appetizers including Boneless Buffalo Wings, Irish Wontons and Gaelic Nachos (GF). A cash bar will be available.

PAC Mother/Son Event - Friday, April 19th

GET YOUR GLOW ON! Mother-Son Event is on April 19th from 6pm-8pm. Pre-K thru 5th grade boys bring your mom, aunt or special adult friend for a night of games, dancing & fun! Tickets are \$12 per person. Don't forget to wear your neon colors (or white)!

Volunteers are needed. Please click on the link below to sign up. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090F44ACAD28ABF58-49017640-motherson#/

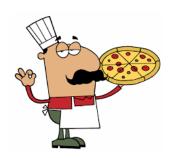
Contact Sarah at sarahedigby@gmail.com with any questions.



Link to purchase tickets: https://forms.diamondmindinc.com/schooloftheincarnation/mothersongamenight2024

Save the Date!! PAC Spirit Night - Tuesday, April 16th

Please join us for SPIRIT NIGHT on Tuesday, April 16th at Ledo Pizza in Crofton from 4pm to 9pm! A portion of the sales from both dine in and carry out sales will be donated back to SOTI.



Volunteer Corner

Are you interested in volunteering for PAC events throughout the year? There are lots of options from Bingo to Irish Fest or the Mother & Son Dance, we'd love to hear from you!

Please sign up here: https://tinyurl.com/pacvolsian

PAC Facebook Page

Did you know the PAC has an <u>official Facebook page</u>? Join today to stay up to date on important PAC news and events!

Community News

Free Concert

St. Joseph's Catholic Church proudly presents a free concert to celebrate their 100th anniversary with church music from 1924 - 2024. The concert will be held on Sunday, April 28th 2:00 - 4:00 PM (at will donation). Light refreshments to follow the concert in Corrigan Hall. All are welcome!



St. Joseph's Catholic Church 1283 Odenton Rd. Odenton, MD





SPIRIT NIGHT



4/16/24 4PM-CLOSE

It's super easy! Carry out or Dine in at Ledo Pizza in Crofton (1286 Rt. 3 South) from 4pm-9pm and a % of the sales will be donated.

With your support we have donated back over \$280,000 to our local schools since 2005!



VIEW MENU OR ORDER ONLINE Be sure to choose the **CROFTON** location.



CALLING ALL Pre-K thru 5th GRADE BOYS!

GET YOUR GLOW ON

<u>4.19.2024.</u>

MOTHER/SON
GAMES, DANCING & FUN!

FRIDAY APRIL 19 SOTI - MARIAN HALL 6 PM - 8 PM

TICKETS \$12 PERSON

MOTHERS, AUNTS, OR SPECIAL FRIENDS WELCOME!
LIGHT REFRESHMENTS & DRINKS PROVIDED
SEE TICKET LINK IN THE NEWSLETTER

April 2024 Lunch Menu

TOMMY'S FOOD SERVICE @ School of the Incarnation

"Great Food for Great kids"

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
SCHOOL CLOSED EASTER BREAK	SCHOOL CLOSED EASTER BREAK	3 SCHOOL CLOSED EASTER BREAK	SCHOOL CLOSED EASTER BREAK	5 SCHOOL CLOSED EASTER BREAK
8 School Mass Pizza Day PIZZI PAPA JOHNS Better Ingredients. Better Pizza.	9 2 ND Grade Field Trip Spaghetti in marinara sauce, meatballs, garlic bread and tossed salad	10 2 ND Grade Field Trip Baked Potato Bar with bacon bits, cheddar cheese, steamed broccoli, butter and sour cream	11 Breakfast for lunch Pancakes or French toast sticks, sausage, tater tots and baked apples w/ cinnamon sugar	Pizza Day Pizza Day Pizza Papa Julis Better Ingredients. Better Pizza.
Cheeseburgers, French fries and veggie	Rotini in marinara sauce, meatballs, garlic bread and tossed salad	17 4th Grade Field Trip Corn dog/Chicken nuggets, buttered noodles and veggie	18 8th Grade Field Trip Breakfast for lunch Pancakes or French toast sticks, sausage, tater tots and baked apples w/ cinnamon sugar	Pizza Day PAPA JUHS Better Ingredients. Better Pizza.
22 Asian Day Chicken Teriyaki, vegetable fried rice, steamed broccoli and mini egg roll	Pasta shells in marinara sauce, meatballs, garlic bread and tossed salad	24 Mexican Day Walking taco, Spanish rice and corn	Pizza Day PAPA JOHES Better Ingredients. Better Pizza.	26 Early Dismissal Cafeteria Closed
SCHOOL CLOSED	Cheese Ravioli in marinara sauce, meatballs, garlic bread and tossed salad	1 MAY Chicken Patty Sandwich, homemade mac & cheese and veggie	Breakfast for lunch Pancakes or French toast sticks, sausage, tater tots and baked apples w/ cinnamon sugar	Pizza Day PAPA JOHNS Better Ingredients. Better Pizza.

Combo lunch is \$6.50. It includes the entrée, sides listed and a choice of milk, juice or water. Hot dogs or grilled cheese plus the sides and drink (milk, juice or water) is also a combo lunch. See below for available daily items. The only exception is pizza day: hot dogs and chicken nuggets are not available. Nachos are available on Wednesdays. Ice cream is available on Tuesdays and Pizza days. We do not deep

fry any food. Prices and menu are subject to change without notice.

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Available Daily		Available Daily		Extras When Available	
Hot dog	\$2.75	Cookies	\$1.25	French Fries	\$2.75
Grillled Cheese	\$2.75	Chips	\$1.25	Rice or Potato	\$2.75
Chicken Nuggets	\$3.75	Soft Pretzels or	\$1.50	Waffle/Curly Fries/Tater tots	\$2.95
Homemade Soup	\$2.75	Pretzel Logs or Bites	\$1.95	Buttered Noodles	\$2.75
Chicken Noodle or		Fruit (Apple or Orange)	\$1.50	Chicken Patty Sandwich	\$3.95
Tomato or		Fresh Fruit in a Cup	\$2.50	Chicken Tenders (3 pcs)	\$3.75
Vegetable		Yogurt (Yoplait)	\$1.75	Cheeseburger/Hamburger	\$3.95
		GoGurt Yogurt Tube	\$1.00	Corn dog	\$2.75
Salad/Sandwiches		String cheese	\$0.60	Meatballs (4 pcs)	\$2.50
Chicken, Tuna, Egg, Lg. Garden	\$4.75	Veggie (tossed salad,	\$2.00	Meatball Sub	\$4.00
Garden Salad	\$2.00	carrots or sliced cucumber		Pancakes (3)/French toast sticks (3-4)	\$3.50
Beverage		Pudding/Jell-o	\$2.00	Philly Cheesesteak	\$4.50
Milk or Juice	\$0.90	Tuesdays and Pizza Days ONLY		Pizza (1 slice)	\$2.85
Bottled Water	\$1.00	Ice cream cup	\$1.00	Mac and Cheese	\$3.95
Gatorade/Propel	\$1.75	Twister	\$1.75	Cheese Ravioli (7 pcs)	\$3.95
		Scooter Bar	\$1.50	Walking Taco	\$4.25
		Wednesdays ONLY		Fish sandwich	\$4.00
		Nachos, Chips and Cheese	\$2.75	Baked Potato W/Fixings	\$6.50

Please call us at the school cafeteria 410-519-2285 Ext. 2504 or E-mail us at lunch@schooloftheincarnation.org for any inquiries.

Nutritional Info



2024 SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES and BENEFITS

GOLD SPONSOR

\$6,000- ONE (1) OPPORTUNITY

- A complimentary table of Eight (8) at The Gala
- Complimentary transportation* to and from the event (*dropoff/pickup at SOTI)
- Gold Sponsor table recognition
- Company name and logo displayed digitally at the event
- Company name and logo on a recognition banner displayed on our school campus
- Company logo and branding on table top tents to be displayed at the bar during The Gala
- Recognition within communications/materials promoting the event, on our website and social media

MAROON SPONSOR

\$3,000-TWO (2) OPPORTUNITIES

- Four (4) complimentary tickets to The Gala
- Complimentary transportation* to and from the event (*dropoff/pickup at SOTI)
- Maroon Sponsor table recognition
- Company name and logo displayed digitally at the event
- Company name and logo on a recognition sign displayed on our school campus
- Company logo and branding table top tents to be displayed at the bar during The Gala
- Recognition within communications/materials promoting the event, on our website and social media

ENTERTAINMENT SPONSOR

\$3,000- ONE (1) OPPORTUNITY

- Four (4) complimentary tickets to The Gala
- Complimentary transportation* to and from the event (*dropoff/pickup at SOTI)
- Company name and logo on a recognition sign to be displayed near the stage during The Gala
- Company name and logo displayed digitally on the dance floor!
- Company name and logo on a recognition sign displayed on our school campus
- Recognition within communications/materials promoting the event, on our website and social media



PADDLE SPONSOR

\$2,500- ONE (1) OPPORTUNITY

- Two (2) complimentary tickets to The Gala
- Complimentary transportation* to and from the event (*dropoff/pickup at SOTI)
- Company logo and branding displayed on a custom <u>Live Auction Bid Paddle</u>*
 (*The Live Auction will conclude with a paddle raise and a paddle drop)
- Company name and logo displayed digitally at the event
- Company name and logo on a recognition sign displayed on our school campus
- Recognition within communications/materials promoting the event, on our website and social media

INCARNATION SPONSOR

\$1,500- FOUR (4) OPPORTUNITIES

- Two (2) complimentary tickets to The Gala
- Company name and logo displayed digitally at the event
- Company name and logo on a recognition sign displayed on our school campus
- Recognition within communications/materials promoting the event, on our website and social media

KNIGHT SPONSOR

\$1,000- Unlimited

- Company name and logo displayed digitally at the event
- Company name and logo on a recognition sign displayed on our school campus
- Recognition within communications/materials promoting the event, on our website and social media

FRIEND OF SOTI SPONSOR

\$100- \$1,000- Unlimited

- Company name and logo displayed digitally at the event
- Recognition within communications/materials promoting the event, on our website and social media



New Family Referral Program

Our current Incarnation families are by far the best ambassadors for spreading the word about our school! Our New Family Referral Program rewards current families with a one-time \$250 tuition credit for referring a new family who applies and enrolls. Here's how it works:

- If you know of a family that you believe may be interested in School of the Incarnation, complete the "New Family Referral Form" below and submit to the school office.
- Reach out to the family and share your experiences at School of the Incarnation. Share with them the reasons you have chosen Catholic education and why you think they should do the same. Let them know that you have or will refer their information to the school and that an admissions representative will call or email them to provide more information.
- For each new family that applies and enrolls at least one full-time student, a \$250 tuition credit will be awarded to the current referring family after the new student has been in attendance for 30 days.
- Siblings of current students and previously enrolled students do not qualify as new families. Staff members are not eligible for the referral credit.
- Note that this form must be on file in the front office before the new family has contacted the school on their
 own for information or to visit so it is best to submit the form as soon as possible after speaking with the new
 family. In other words, the referral form is not retroactive and you are not eligible for the referral if the family
 contacts school before the referral.
- This referral program is open to all families with students currently enrolled in PreK4-Grade 8.
- Referral fees are limited to one per family per academic year.

Current Family	New Family
Parent name(s)	Parent name(s)
Student name(s) /Grade(s)	Student name(s)/Grade(s)
Address	Address
City, State, MD	City, State, Zip
Phone	Phone
Email	Email
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