

News You Can Use from the Principal



February 6, 2018

Here's my Monday letter on Tuesday. Last week was incredible! Thank you to everyone who participated in the meal preparations, the rally at the Capitol, and the DrawDown. It was a great week combined with a Blue Blood Moon so that just made the excitement a bit grander. Grandparents Mass was beautiful, a testament to the legacy these students carry on. On behalf of the St. Joe family, please know how much your contributions are appreciated. We have a great school and an even better community.

- Mass is Thursday in the auditorium as usual. Regular uniform. Since the Feast of St. Blaise was this past weekend, we'll be blessing throats at the conclusion of Mass. All are welcome.
- Tomorrow is Early Release Wednesday. We dismiss at 2 so the faculty can have some professional development time.
- Registration for next year is underway. Remember that this month you can pay a \$200 registration deposit for each child on or before March 1, 2018 and roll the remainder of the registration fee into your tuition loan.
- Course selections for next year will be distributed around Spring Break. We're hoping for an electronic selection submission process this year. I'll keep you posted. The counselors will start meeting individually with students after we have the big class meetings to explain the process.
- Black Out Dance for the high school is this Saturday. Tickets are on sale. It's a fundraiser for prom so it's simple, casual and lots of fun.
- School is out February 19 for President's Day.
- Balfour will be on campus February 20 at 1 pm to meet with juniors about class rings. That meeting will be in the auditorium. They'll return Friday to take orders during lunch.
- Please check haircuts for boys: above the collar, eyebrows and ears. All socks should be solid colored: gray, white, black or navy.
- If you have a student driver, please remind them to park in their own spots. We have tight parking with the sophomores now getting their licenses.

God bless,
Mrs. Kinsey

BRUIN SHOUT OUTS

- Varsity soccer is headed to Round 2 of the playoffs Saturday! Go Bruins!!
- Tomorrow is National Signing Day. We'll kick off our day with a signing ceremony at 7:45 in the Fine Arts Auditorium. Congratulations to Trey Frierson, Reed Collins, Cameron Watson, Hayden Brice, Allie Milner and Emma Dotson!
- Josh Bailey won Best of Fair in the Science Fair in physics class. He along with Cameron Vice and Brennan Teeter are headed to regionals.