



December 14, 2016

Dear Families,

Holy Rosary School's kindergartners visited The Landing in Edmonds yesterday. The children sang Christmas carols and decorated gingerbread houses with the residents, bringing holiday joy to all. This has become an annual kindergarten tradition that teaches students that we can serve others in a festive way. Fifth graders also took a field trip, going to Quail Park of Lynnwood. Mr. Flanagan played his guitar with the students singing to the residents. A great time was had by all.

Our school was well represented at the FIRST Robotics Competition last Saturday at Ballard High School with 60 students participating! This was our very first robotics endeavor, and I am very pleased that all of our students participating did so well and enjoyed the fun and excitement of coding their robots to perform the required tasks. Another huge thank you goes to Cass Willis for her outstanding guidance and leadership throughout these last five months. We are also very grateful to our coaches and assistants: Carlos Ordon, Kevin Foy, Carolyn Brennan and Jay Schatz, Lance Groesbeck, Doug MacDonald, Lou Bailey, Greg and Holly O'Connor, Kate Guthrie, Amy and Joe Nolan, Alfons Menanno, and Teresa Holt. Seeing how much the students have learned and how proud they are of their work was inspiring and exhilarating to all observers.

Thursday night is a special evening for all our school children. They are very excited to share their many talents in dances, songs and instrumental performances. Please note that the Christmas Concert will begin at 1:00 PM for the afternoon performance and 7:00 PM for the evening concert. I know it will be a packed house for this grand Christmas show. A huge thank you goes to all the costume and set designers, with special thanks to Lisa Sale, Hilda Ordon, Jessica Gardner, Kelsey Eyer, Scott Causbie, Doug MacDonald, Brandon Bryant, Z.B. Barnas, and their crew for their work in setting the stage for the concert.

After the evening show is over we would like parents and students to put all costumes and costume pieces in the labeled tubs. These will be in the northeast corner of the gym following the night performance.

In the spirit of Christmas our students are encouraged to wear red and green to school on Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup> so we will be festive for our Christmas caroling around the Parish Office and school at 8:45 AM. The singing will conclude in the gym at 9:15 as we celebrate our Spirit Assembly. Please join us for this Christmas tradition and remember that dismissal is at noon on the 16<sup>th</sup>.

Please mark your 2017 calendars for our School Auction "Come Sail Away" to be held on March 4<sup>th</sup>. We will be calling those people who signed up to help with the auction, which is our largest fundraiser and supports the basic school operations. You can also help out through donating items for the silent or live auctions, so when you're out holiday shopping or at the after-Christmas sales you might pick up the perfect silent auction item. See the enclosed flyer for more info on donations.

May you have the gift of faith, the blessing of hope and the peace of His love at Christmas and always.

Merry Christmas

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sue Venable". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Sue Venable

# HOLY ROSARY SCHOOL

# Announcements

December 14, 2016

## CLEAR THE CLUTTER

Please return your Family Folder before we break for Christmas. School resumes Tuesday, January 3.

## CHRISTMAS FUN | on Fri, 12/16

To celebrate Christmas before the break we have the following activities planned:

- Red and Green Day - Everyone wears red and green
- Last Advent Prayer Service at 8:35AM in Gym
- Followed by students caroling around the campus
- End in the Gym for a Spirit Assembly

## SCRIP NEWS

Scrip Balance Statements will be sent out in the first family folder of the new year.

## LOST & FOUND

Lost and Found will be displayed outside of the lunchroom. Any unclaimed items will be donated to St. Vincent de Paul on Friday, December 16.

## 2017-2018 TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The application period for the 2017-18 Tuition Assistance Program is now open! Families requesting tuition assistance must apply/re-apply each school year. Holy Rosary and the Fulcrum Foundation use the same application (FACTS). Families are required to submit the FACTS application and the required documentation for consideration of financial aid from Fulcrum and/or Holy Rosary. **Application Deadline: January 6, 2017**

To apply, go to <https://fulcrumfoundation.org/grants-and-programs/tuition-assistance>

## DANDYLYON DRAMA CLUB

For 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Grades starts Thursday, January 12 from 3:15 to 4:30. See Registration flyer for details.

## ACOLYTE TRAINING REGISTRATION

If your child is in Grades 4 – 7 and is interested in becoming an acolyte, training will start on Monday, January 9. The training will be Monday through Thursday 5pm-7pm, January 9th-12th, and 16th-19th, 2017. See Registration flyer for more details.

### Upcoming Events:

Now – Dec. 16	St. Vincent de Paul Food Drive	On-going
Thu., Dec. 15	School Christmas Concert - Dress Rehearsal - Evening Show	1:00 PM in Gym 7:00 PM in Gym
Fri., Dec. 16	Christmas Fun Day – see above for details	
Fri., Dec. 16	Advent Prayer Service – 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	8:35 AM in Gym
<b>Fri., Dec. 16</b>	<b>Christmas Break Begins</b>	<b>Noon Dismissal</b>
Tue., Jan 3	School Resumes	
Wed., Jan 18	Spirit Pizza Orders Due for the Remainder of the Year	
Sat. Jan. 21	Day of Service – Food Bank at St. Charles Catholic Church, Burlington	10:00 AM – 3:00 PM



Merry Christmas,  
Holy Rosary families!

Ombú Salon + Spa would like to wish you a joyous Christmas. We thank you for your patronage throughout the year.

Just a reminder, Ombú Salon + Spa gift cards are available to purchase through the scrip program in denominations of \$50 and \$100 that make gift-giving easy.

Give someone special the gift of a Renew Package - which includes a 60-minute facial and 60-minute massage for just \$150.

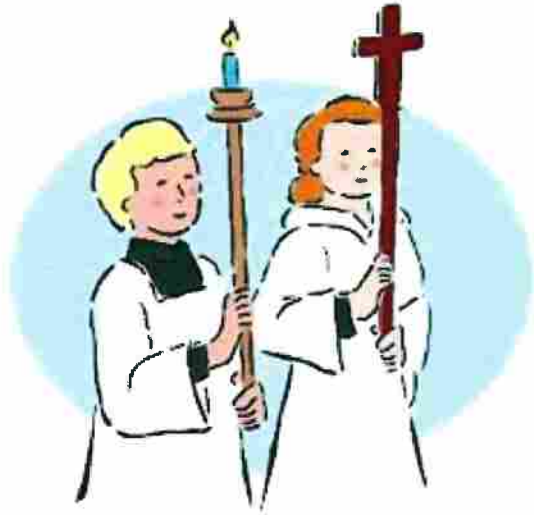
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For: 4<sup>th</sup> -7<sup>th</sup> Graders

Two week training session in the Church. Monday-Thursday, January 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>; 16<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> from 5-7 pm.



Submit registration forms to school or parish office by January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

Being an acolyte is a great way to serve your parish and be involved in the mass.

Enjoy the Wild Waves year end celebration for 5<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> grade acolytes!

For more information or questions,  
Contact: Alfons Menanno

(818) 472-9647, amenanno@gmail.com

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact (if other): \_\_\_\_\_

# Dandylyon Drama

& Holy Rosary present....

## 1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> Drama Club



**1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> Graders, let's create a play!**

Thursdays 3:15pm – 4:30pm

Jan 12<sup>th</sup> – Feb 23<sup>rd</sup>

Performance: Feb 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 4:30pm

Location: Cafeteria

Tuition \$80

## Silly Super Heroes

Join us as we create our own comedic super hero adventure! We'll play active and engaging drama games, invent our costumes, and put our imaginations to the test as we work together to tell the silliest super hero story ever told. Dandylyon Drama's encouraging and educational process envelops each child in an encouraging environment to instill confidence and is great for the most active or most shy young actor.

**Questions? Contact Susan Duthweiler - [susan@dandylyondrama.org](mailto:susan@dandylyondrama.org)**

**REGISTER ONLINE @ [WWW.DANDYLYONDRAMA.ORG](http://WWW.DANDYLYONDRAMA.ORG)**

or **MAIL** the bottom portion of this flyer with check payable to **DANDYLYON DRAMA**

**17533 47<sup>th</sup> AVE NE, LAKE FOREST PARK, WA 98155** before **January 6<sup>th</sup>**

**DO NOT TURN INTO FRONT OFFICE- YOUR ENVELOPE WILL BE SENT BACK TO YOU**

### DANDYLYON DRAMA REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Actor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade/Teacher/Room: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #1: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #2: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Email (PRINT CLEARLY): \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #1: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #2: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies or any other needs to know about: \_\_\_\_\_

Check all that apply:    Tuition is included    I can help chaperone this class on: \_\_\_\_\_ (Date)

I'd like to chaperone all 7 sessions in exchange for full scholarship

Please contact me, my child needs a scholarship

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