



October 17, 2018

Dear Families,

A huge thank you goes to all our students, parents and staff for the tremendous outpouring of support and participation for the Ram Run, sponsored by the fabulous Parent Association. It was a very well-orchestrated and well-organized event, and the use of our parking lot as the temporary venue proved to be a big hit. Way to go Rams! I would especially like to thank this year's organizing committee: Celeste Monroe and Sarah Cool. Also kudos go to all the volunteers working this fabulous event – we couldn't have done it without your help!

Celebrating Halloween at Holy Rosary School: in the spirit of working toward a respectful and inclusive environment, we are asking families to be thoughtful in their Halloween costume choices. We have certain restrictions – nothing violent or gory, no weapons and no use of ethnic or cultural stereotypes as costumes. We want every child to feel happy, respected and included in our Halloween fun.

I would like to recognize our eighth grade students for creating our scarecrow display this year. This is the 6th year for the Scarecrow Festival sponsored by The Edmonds Historical Museum, and each year we have participated. Please be sure to vote for our Scarecrow Contest display online at the Edmonds Historical Museum website at www.historicedmonds.org.

This year the students created a beautiful representation of “Dia de los Muertos” (Day of the Dead), a Mexican holiday. This celebration takes place on Nov. 1st and 2nd in connection with our Catholic celebrations of All Saints’ Day and All Souls’ Day. You are welcome to come see the display in our lunchroom.

Our virtue for the month of October is patience. Please help support our school by modeling patience for your student, especially during this month. An explanation as to how and why patience is needed in everyday situations (as they arise) can solidify our teaching about this virtue.

The “Watch D.O.G.” program began this week with four of our dads being here at school on several days. It is great to have their presence on campus, interacting as positive role models with our students. If you are interested in joining the program, please contact Mr. D’Anna in our office.

Blessings,

Susan Venable
Principal

HOLY ROSARY SCHOOL

Announcements

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Holiday Wreath & Poinsettia Sale

Pre-order your wreaths, garlands & poinsettias for the Christmas season. All proceeds support the 7th grade class trip to our Capital in Olympia. Please see the flyer in today's family folder.

Scrip News

If you haven't started your scrip commitment please come into the school office and let Rebecca Heine, our scrip coordinator, help you. All families are responsible for a contribution of \$300 worth of rebates.

Scrip Hours:

- Monday 8am – 8:30am and 1:15pm – 1:45pm
- Wednesday 8am – 8:30am and 3pm – 3:30pm
- Friday 8am – 8:30am and 3pm – 3:30pm

Parent / Teacher Conferences | November 19 - 21

Please watch for an email with information and a sign up genius.

Spirit Wear Order Update | If you placed an order for spirit wear, it will be in by the end of October 2018

Upcoming Events:

Friday, October 19	Mass – all are welcome	8:30 AM; Formal Uniform
Sunday, October 21	Dad's Lunch-register at tinyurl.com/dads-lunch	12:00 – 1:30 PM
Monday, October 22	October Birthdays Free Dress	
Friday, October 26	No School Mass	
Monday, October 29	Spirit Pizza Day	Spirit Wear
Wednesday, October 31	Halloween Parade – all parents & grandparents are welcome	8:45 – 9:30 AM Parade ends in the Gym
Thursday, November 1	All Saints' Day Mass – all are welcome	8:30 AM; Formal Uniform
Thursday, November 1	Living Saints' Museum – presented by 4 th Gr.	9:30 AM in pastoral center
Monday, November 5	PreK In-Service NO SCHOOL for PK only	
Friday, November 9	All School Mass – all are welcome	8:30 AM: Formal Uniform
Friday, November 9	Veterans Day Assembly – all are welcome	9:30 AM in pastoral center
Monday, November 12	No School Veterans Day	
Friday, November 16	All School Mass – all are welcome	8:30 AM: Formal Uniform
Monday, November 19	November Birthdays Free Dress	
Monday, November 19	Half Day Parent/Teacher Conferences	Noon Dismissal
Tuesday, November 20	No School Parent/Teacher Conferences	
Wednesday, November 21	No School Parent/Teacher Conferences	
Thursday, November 22	Thanksgiving Day	
Friday, November 23	No School Thanksgiving Break	

Join your school community at Mass this weekend.

Weekend Mass Times:

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm

Sunday 7:30 am, 9:00 am and 11:00am

The calendar on our website will always have the most up to date information. To view & subscribe go to:

school.hrsedmonds.org/parents/calendar

RAM RUN-DOWN

Ram Run 2018

Dear Holy Rosary Families,

You did it. You helped us exceed our goal of \$18,000. What an amazing accomplishment!!!

Thank you so much to everyone who donated, including parents, family, friends and neighbors. We are still counting donations and will have grand totals next week. But, we are excited to let kids know they will all receive another FREE DRESS DAY owing to your tremendous support! That will happen in November, date to be determined.

During morning announcements on Monday, October 22nd, Mrs. Venable will reveal the classes who earned the ice cream parties for full participation. She will also announce the top donation recipients from each class whose names will be put in the raffle for a Seahawk jersey. The raffle will take place at the end of the day on Monday. Ice cream parties will take place on the (yet to be announced) free dress day.

We also want to thank our wonderful parent volunteers – all of whom helped make this year's race a huge success. Whether you were setting up tents, handing out bracelets, donating coffee or cheering everyone on - your impact was felt and it was appreciated. It was really fun to have the event on campus, especially with the fabulous music provided by **Mark Lewis!** Thank you Mark!

Finally, a huge thank you to our corporate sponsors: **Seaview Buick/GMC, Nielsen Bros Flooring, O'Malley Brothers, Inc., ARC, Savvy Real Estate, TGA Sports and WP Coffee.**

If you have any feedback on this year's race, please let us know. We are always looking at ways to improve.

GO RAMS!!!!!!

Celeste Monroe and Sarah Cool

IT'S OCTOBER

**DOES THAT MEAN
I CAN PUT MY
TREE UP NOW?**



**PREORDER YOUR
HOLIDAY WREATHS, SWAGS & POINSETTIAS.**

Orders are due: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16TH
Pick up your order: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30, Cafeteria
3-3:30 PM OR AT ST. NICK NIGHT

THIS FUNDRAISER BENEFITS THE 7TH GRADE CLASS TRIP TO OLYMPIA.
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

HOLY ROSARY CYO

ORDER FORM

Hooded Sweatshirt

Color: Navy

Youth S-XL \$29.00

Adult S-XL \$34.00

XXL-XXXL \$38.00

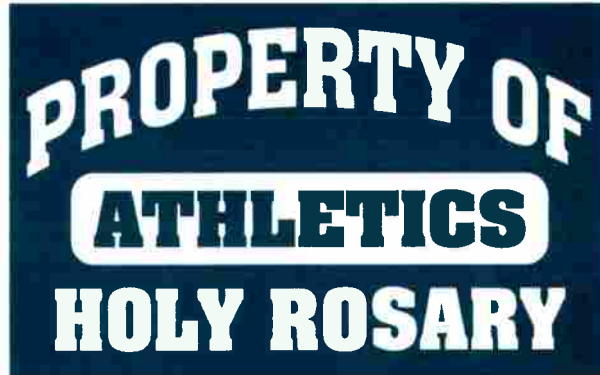
****PLEASE NOTE, these sweatshirts are not to be worn as spirit wear on school spirit days***



Optional Personalization on Back of Sweatshirt \$7.00

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YOUTH SIZES RUN SMALL! WHEN IN DOUBT, ORDER LARGER SIZE!

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DEADLINE DATE

OCTOBER 31st