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Assumption School eNewsletter

November 5, 2023

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IMPORTANT DATES

Wednesday, November 8

- Picture Retakes from Lors

Friday, November 10

- End of First Marking Period
- 8th Grade COOP Test
- $1 dress down – 6th grade is sponsoring a dollar dress down. Proceeds will support Morristown Meals on Wheels and the Visiting Nurse Association. Dress down clothes must be school appropriate.

Wednesday, November 15

- Report Cards for Grades 2 – 8 only
- 2nd – 8th Grade Plus Portals Report Card Access: On Wednesday, November 15th, 2nd – 8th grade report cards will be added to the E-Locker tab on Plus Portals. They will NOT be emailed. Please make sure your plus portal access is up to date. Email Sharon @ **sbertram@assumptionnj.org**, if you need to reset your password.
- PK, K & 1st grade report cards will be available after the 2nd marking period.

Thursday & Friday, November 16 & 17 – Conferences

- 11:00 A.M. dismissal
- No aftercare

Wednesday, November 22

- 9 a.m. Mass
- 11:00 A.M. dismissal
- No aftercare

Thursday & Friday, November 23 & 24 – Thanksgiving Recess. School Closed

Request for gently used coats collection and new gloves & hats– Mary's Hands at St. Margaret's is a ministry who work with the local poor on a one-on-one basis to meet their immediate needs. They have reached out to Assumption for help. As the temperatures continue to drop, they are faced with a need for gently used coats, warm gloves and hats for our clients. We are collecting new and gently used items. We will have a box in the lobby for your donations. Please consider helping!

TEACHER TREATS

To show our appreciation for the great job our teachers and staff do day in and day out, the Hospitality Committee will be hosting a monthly lunch/brunch in their honor. We are asking families to help support our teachers by contributing $20 per family. We will include a list of family names that help sponsor each monthly lunch. Please make contributions via Venmo @Solena-Porras, or backpack to Lola Porras 3B. Thank you to the families who have already donated.

If you have any questions, please email Renee Travisano, **reneemacy2@live.com**

Your generosity will be greatly appreciated!
Thank you!
Alyse Puentes
Solena Porras
Renee Travisano

NOVEMBER KID CHEF

Date - Friday, November 10, 2023

HAPPY THANKSGIVING! Pull-Apart Charcuterie Bread, Pilgrim Cookie Hats & Edible Acorns! The class will begin at 2:30 and end at 4:00 pm. Dismissal will be via the doors near the Music Room (the teacher's parking lot). The cost is $40.00.

CLICK HERE for registration form.

CHARLESTON WRAP FUNDRAISER

SANTA CLAUSE IS COMING TO TOWN! Please support the CHARLESTON WRAP - 7th GRADE FUNDRAISER. Be on the lookout out for the 7th grade **Charleston Wrap** fundraising packet. It will be sent home early next week, check those backpacks! Charleston Wrap has beautiful, high-quality papers and gifts. Please consider placing an order to help our middle schoolers defer some costs. Let's get the wrapping done early!

Orders can be placed **ONLINE**! **The last day of the sale is November 17th.**

We thank you in advance for your support. Any questions can be directed to Kelly Scorsune at 973-714-0954 or Laurel Arturi at (973) 479-8484 or by calling **Charleston Wrap** at 1-866-395-2926

CLICK HERE TO SHOP

FORENSICS (Speech and Debate) TEAM

Currently open to Grades 5 - 8 only

Please join us in the cafeteria on Friday November 10th after school from 2:15-3:15 for an Information Session. This session will be an opportunity for new, returning, and interested students and parents to learn more about the Forensics Club and also the current plans for the Forensic Team. If you cannot attend this session and are interested in joining, please reach out to either Amy Melvin (732)284-9826 or Lindsey Merrill (412) 600-4298 as space is limited.

Practices for the Forensic Team will be after school on Thursdays from 2:15-3:30 pm from mid-November through the end of May. More details will follow as the competition season unfolds.

Our first official practice will be on Wednesday, November 15th right after school, 2:15-3:30 due to the half days that week.

FRONT DESK VOLUNTEERS

NOVEMBER Front Desk Signup is now available! **CLICK HERE** to sign up! Thank you to all of you who have worked so far and to our many new volunteers who are now up and running! You can train at any time of the year...please contact Megan at 908-399-5777 to discuss.

CHRISTMAS STORE

*****SAVE THE DATE*****
2023 Christmas Store will be on Wednesday, December 6th

The Most Wonderful Day of the Year- Christmas Store will soon be here!!! We are working hard to get ready for the big day. Join us on Wednesday Nights from 7:00 to 9:00 pm and Friday Mornings from 8:00 to 10:00 am, in the Multipurpose Room, to Craft and Gift Wrap. RSVP

here: **https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090C4BA9A623AAF49-2023**

We are still looking for donations of gift bags and wrapping paperthat can be dropped off in the front vestibule. To make this day extra special for the students we have fabulous raffles that make this day even more exciting! The raffle items come completely from donations; they help offset the cost of the event; and the kids love them! Please consider making a donation :) You can Venmo donations to **@Melissa-Brost-1**. No amount is too large or too small!!!

For additional questions, please text or email Melissa Brost at 973-879-5525 or **mel.trebbe@gmail.com**.

Hope to see you there!!

2023-2024 Christmas Store Committee
Justine Barker
Melissa Brost
Dana De Fillipps

ASSUMPTION SPORTS CENTER

Assumption Basketball Spirit Shop

Hot off the presses and open for two weeks! All the Assumption Basketball gear you could ever need with items for players, parents, and coaches.

https://www.goballisticsports.com/store/c689/Assumption_Basketball.html

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Cross Country Fun!

MRS. GALDIERI'S PRIVATE SCHOOL ENTRANCE EXAM ESSAY BOOTCAMP ~ 8TH GRADE ONLY

Classes will be held on select Fridays from 2:30-4:00.
Dates: Oct. 13th, 20th, 27th, Nov. 3rd and 10th.
Students may sign up for one or more sessions. However, due to the individualized nature of writing instruction, class size will be limited to THREE students per session. Sessions will be reserved on a first come, first serve basis.
The cost per session is $100.
If interested, please email Mrs. Galdieri.
kgaldieri@assumptionnj.org

COOP EXAM PREP CLASSES - 8TH GRADE ONLY

CLICK HERE for a letter from Ms. Paton & Mrs. Guglielmo regarding Prep Classes for the COOP Exam.

ASSUMPTION SCHOOL YEARBOOK

The 2024 Assumption School Yearbook will be on sale from October 1, 2023, until March 1, 2024. You can reserve your copy online at https://jostensyearbooks.com/?REF=A05140890. We are unable to accept orders at school. All orders must be handled online. Yearbooks are $35.00.

The Weekly Word is also available on the school website www.assumptionnj.org.
If you have questions or comments, contact hsa@assumptionnj.org.

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