



Cultural Arts Dance Presentation

From the Principal

Dear Parents,

Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic School continues to be fiscally responsible and in good financial standing. A letter is being mailed to all current and prospective families regarding tuition changes. Please watch your mail for this important communication. Thank you for your continuing support.

It is important that students be punctual for school. Since the time change, I have noticed an increased number of tardies. Arriving to school in a timely manner allows students the opportunity to plan, organize, and start the day off in a positive manner. Carpool begins at 7:15 am, and there are very few cars for the first fifteen minutes. Unfortunately, most cars arrive between 7:35 and 7:50 am, which creates a delay in the carpool line.

Absences and tardies are noted on each student's permanent record, which is sent to other schools to which students apply. Thus, admittance to other schools may be hindered by numerous tardies and absences. Please help your child(ren) to start the day off on a positive note by being punctual. Thank you.

Tomorrow is an optional out-of-day uniform day for students. A \$1.00 donation tomorrow will assist an OLACS family whose home was destroyed by fire. Some parents have asked about making donations greater than \$1.00 per student, and this is certainly welcome. Checks should be made payable to OLACS. We appreciate your support the family in need who continue to express their appreciation for the efforts of the community. An additional dress down day will be held after spring break to assist those families suffering from the earthquake in Japan.

Enjoy your vacation, and we will see you again on Monday, April

NEXT MASS

Friday, April 15

1:30 pm

Reconciliation Service

Grades 3-8

Upcoming

Friday, April 1

- Out of Uniform Day (\$1.00 donation)
- Admissions Decision Letters mailed to applicants

Monday, April 4 -

Friday, April 8

- **NO SCHOOL — Spring Break**

Monday, April 11

- Hearty Meals Bags distributed

Tuesday, April 12

- Hearty Meals Bags due
- H&S Board Mtg. (1:30 pm)

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11. May God keep you safe and healthy during the break.

God Bless,
Anita Nagel

Last Day to Complete!

2011 Parent Survey

Quick Notes

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED — The annual Eucharistic Congress will be June 24 and 25 at the Georgia International Convention Center (by Hartsfield Jackson International Airport). This is the largest gathering of Catholics in the Southeast. Each year the Archdiocese hosts faithful presenters for adults, teens, and children, but they need over 6000 volunteers to make it work. There are a variety of opportunities for all; please prayerfully consider joining a team. Visit the [Archdiocesan website](#) for more information.

Third Quarter Awards

Congratulations to the St. Peter Chanel, High Honors, and Honor Roll recipients for the third quarter.

Cultural Arts

On March 29, the Home and School Cultural Arts Committee arranged for OLACS students to have a double treat. The [dance company from St. Pius X High School](#) awed the audience with a program of fun and fast moving dance numbers. All grades were quick to show their appreciation of the talented dancers with spirited applause. It was wonderful to see OLACS alums, Allie Carboni and Taylor Kennedy, perform as members of the dance team.

The second delight of the morning was [Caroline Cavallo's](#) presentation. Ms. Cavallo retired in December 2010 as a principal dancer of the Royal Danish Ballet. She showed the students a segment of her performance in the ballet, *Sleeping Beauty*, and she devoted a generous amount of time to their questions. The students were very fascinated by the fact that Ms. Cavallo has been knighted by Queen Margrethe II of Denmark.

Flat Stanley

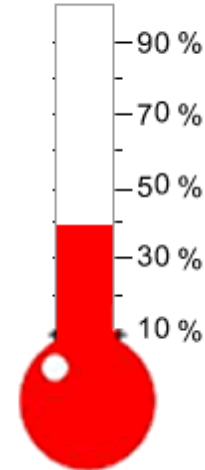
During their two weeks of standardized testing, the second grade students enjoyed reading the book *Flat Stanley*, and they mailed their own Flat Stanley to friends and family all over the world. From Nepal to Venezuela and Ireland to Australia, Flat

Directory Updates

NO CHANGES

Submit directory changes to
office@olaschool.org

Annual Fund Parent Participation



Stanley visited every continent but Antarctica.

The students did an amazing job creating posters explaining his travels. If you are in the building, please take a moment to enjoy Flat's globetrotting. Wow, don't we all wish we could travel as easily as Flat Stanley!

Monte Carlo Night

Many thanks to everyone who attended and supported Monte Carlo Night, The Art of Play! In spite of the torrential rain, it was a fun evening, and the feedback has been great. This joint fundraising venture gave parishioners, school parents, and staff a chance not only to work together but to play together.

Proceeds will benefit both the parish and the school. In addition to the casino games, horseracing, and wonderful raffle prizes, there was a free wine tasting, free beer tasting, and a three-table buffet filled with a delicious assortment of *hors d'oeuvres* and desserts!

This event required a great deal of time and effort by many dedicated volunteers from both the parish and school. A heartfelt thank you to all of the volunteers who shared their talents and spent many hours working on this event!

Monte Carlo Night Chairpersons

Sharon Black, School Development Director

Linda Javadi, Parish Development Director

Subcommittee: Anicia Bigelow, Bridget Fenn, Kelly Kalbas, Debbie Kehoe, Lynn Kester, Anita Maldonado, Meredith Nicholson, Cathy Pennington, Kristen Speckhals

Volunteers: Mary Baxter, Suzanne Beck, John Beck, Vikki Boney, Lisa Cordell, Susan Endom, Hilary & Chavis Ferguson, Jenna Griffin, Angie Gunning, Anna Halaburt, Meghan Kehoe, Debbie Kehoe, Jennie Kelly, Maggie Limoli, Diane Miller-Deasy, Mary Anne Nahas, Sherry Oswald, Elizabeth Pitman, Natalie Quirk, Margaret Ralston, Amanda Reilly, Kim Rizik, Bennie Smith, Carson Travers, Laine Watson, Mary Pat Wilson, Natalie Wilson

Middle School Buzz

This Week's Issue

GRADUATION INFORMATION

Eighth grade graduation information and dress codes can be found on page two of this week's [Middle School Buzz](#).

Home & School

BOARD ELECTIONS

The proposed changes to the Home & School Association Board for the 2011-2012 school year are:

President Elect: Jenna Griffin

Spiritual Life: Amy Brown and Jen Polzin

Communications: Bridget Fenn

Enrichment Services: Kim Rizik

RESTAURANT NIGHT



Tuesday, April 12

5:00 - 8:00 pm

Moe's at Town Brookhaven Shopping Center

For information contact [Meredith Nicholson](#).

LOST & FOUND

The current [Lost & Found list](#) has been posted. If possible, please claim items before Spring Break.

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