

The mission of Holy Spirit Catholic School is to serve God by providing a challenging academic education within the Catholic tradition.



# KNIGHT NEWS

## Feb. 20, 2019

# MARDI GRAS

We are so excited to be only 3 DAYS AWAY from Mardi Gras!!! Our ticket sales nearly maxed us out of space this year and we can't wait for the fun! Thanks to our school community for all of your generosity and for buying your tickets early. We are so close to hitting our \$10,000 match. If anyone in your family can spare just a couple dollars we can meet the match in time by working together. Enjoy a small peek into the fabulous prizes that will be at Van Abel's on Saturday, February 23rd. Doors open at 5pm. See you there!!



-The 2019 Mardi Gras Committee

### Upcoming Events:

- Feb. 21-** Safe Environment Talks
- Feb. 22-** PUDD Day (finish raising for pastoral candle)
- Feb. 23-** Mardi Gras
- Feb. 25-Mar. 1-** Dr. Seuss Week (see flyer)
- Feb. 26-** 3:30-7:00 pm Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Feb. 28-** Collection Day
- Mar. 6-** Ash Wednesday 10:00 am Mass
- Mar. 15-** PUDD Day
- Mar. 16-** Gr. 8 Rummage Sale



## What's Happening at Holy Spirit Catholic School?

### Registration is Open!

Registration for the 2019-20 school year is under way. You should have received an email on 2/5/19 from Powerschool with the subject of "2019-20 School Re-enrollment". In this email, you should have received your 15 digit snap code, unique to each child.

This email with snap code was sent to one of your parent/guardian emails. Please check all of your emails that you have given the school before contacting us. Also, if you cannot find it, please check your spam/junk folder as it may have automatically gone there. After you enter the snap code and verify it with their birthday, you will need to create a PowerSchool Registration account.

If you have any questions, please contact the school office or email:

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There will be an option to register another returning student(s) after you register "returning student 1" (you will have to enter in the snap code for your next child and verify that snap code with their birthday) or register a new student. You also have the choice to "Import" demographic data for additional returning students, if you select this it will repopulate for your next child.

After you complete your registration, it will say:

Thank you for completing registration for Holy Spirit Catholic School. Please submit your registration fee by clicking the link below. [Submit Fee](#)

To complete your registration, please click [link](#) to pay your \$200/family registration fee at our school's online payment page using PayPal.

Let us know if you have any questions. Thank you so much for your patience.

### Claim a Private School Tuition Tax Deduction

Private school parents can benefit from Wisconsin's K-12 tuition tax deduction by simply completing a one-page form with their 2018 state tax filing.

This is a state tax deduction that was won by WCRIS for private K-12 school parents across the state. But it does no good for private school families and schools unless parents claim it.

The tax deduction will save the average parent an estimated \$240 per K-8 and \$600 for high school students on their state tax bill. Holy Spirit's FEIN number is: 39-0807237

Information about the deduction is [here](#).

### Parent/Teacher Conferences

Optional conferences have been rescheduled for Feb. 26<sup>th</sup> from 3:30-7:00pm  
Please use the following Sign Up Genius link to schedule a 15 min. conference:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4CA5AB22A2FD0-parentteacher7>



### Home & School

Save the date - Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup> - Family BINGO Knight. (More information to come)

### SCRIP update

Because Kwik Trip is ending their Milk Moola program, for a limited time, Kwik Trip is offering a **15% rebate** on **Kwik Trip SCRIP**. Darboy scrip hours are W-F from 8:00-11:00 am or order online at [shopwithscrip.com](http://shopwithscrip.com).

### **Collection News**

Our next Collection Day is **Thursday, February 28<sup>th</sup>**, and remember **this is the last Collection Day to send in your Milk Moola** as that program has ended. However, we are now collecting the name brand toner and printer cartridges listed here: <http://www.fundingfactory.com/qualifying-list-detail.aspx>.

Thank you for collecting Box Tops, Milk Moola, Coke Reward Codes and toner/printer cartridges. It all goes to reimburse our teachers for their classroom supplies.

### **Youth Ministry**

#### **Book Sale at the Fish Fry**

If you have finished some good reading this winter or would like to go through the books getting dusty on the shelf, please donate to Youth Ministry's book sale held during the fish fry! The books can be dropped off **in the blue bins** at the parish center, the entrances of church, school office, or can be brought to the fish fry! Books for any age level are appreciated. Thanks so much!

#### **CHWC Meeting**

All those planning on attending CHWC this summer should attend the Tuesday, February 26 meeting, 7 PM, HSP Parish Center.

#### **Taize Prayer**

All youth, families, and parishioners are invited for an evening of reflective prayer. Taize is a beautiful mixture of song and chanted prayers, meditation, periods of silence, liturgical readings, and icons. All of this is done around a cross with a darkened church, lit by candles. It's simple and easy to do! Give it a try! 7:00pm, Wednesday Feb 27<sup>th</sup>, HSP- Kimberly church. Dessert bar to follow the time of prayer.

*\*\*Counts toward the 9/10<sup>th</sup> grade Faith Experience requirement.*

#### **Passion of Jesus**

High School students are invited to walk with Jesus through His final days, which we celebrate during Holy Week. This is a hands on, interactive faith experience with dinner included! Some highlights include the Stations of the Cross and a Seder Meal. Friday, March 22, 5:30 PM-9:30 PM, Kimberly Church. Cost is \$30.00  
*Register with YM by: Wed. March 13<sup>th</sup> \*\*Counts toward the 9/10<sup>th</sup> grade Faith Experience requirement.*

#### **March Middle School Night**

Mark your calendar for the next Middle School YM event the evening of March 8<sup>th</sup>. Following in the footsteps of the Magical Mystery Tour and Thrifty Prom, this one sure won't disappoint. More info coming soon. Like HSP-YM's Facebook page for up-to-date info and more pictures of the fun and chaos: [@hspyouthmin](https://www.facebook.com/hspyouthmin)

## **Lenten Fish Fry** **March 22<sup>nd</sup> & April 5<sup>th</sup> 4:30-7:00pm** **Looking for YOUTH volunteers!**

Do you need service hours or would you like to serve meals at our fish fry?

Are you talented at playing piano and would you like to entertain our guests for 15 min.?

You can sign up for both using the following Sign up Genius:  
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4BADA72AAAF85-lenten>



# DR. SEUSS READ ACROSS AMERICA WEEK

**FEBRUARY 25-MARCH 1, 2019**

We will be celebrating Dr. Seuss' birthday and Read Across America week. Each day will be filled with a fun dress up day to go with the day's story. **All days (except Friday) will follow dress code attire.**

## Preschool & 4K Themes:

Monday: Green Eggs and Ham & Oobleck = Green day... Wear green!

Tuesday: Fox in Socks & The Foot Book = Crazy sock day... Wear your silliest socks or even mis-match them!

Wednesday: Wacky Wednesday = Wacky day... Wear your clothes mismatched or even backwards!

Thursday: If I Ran the Zoo = Animal day... Dress like your favorite animal! (can be out of dress code)

Friday: I am Not Going to Get Up Today = Pajama day... Wear your pajamas and bring a blanket to snuggle up with. Students will be reading with their buddies on Friday in the gym.

## K-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Themes:

Monday: One Fish, Two Fish, Red Fish, Blue Fish = Red Day... Wear red!

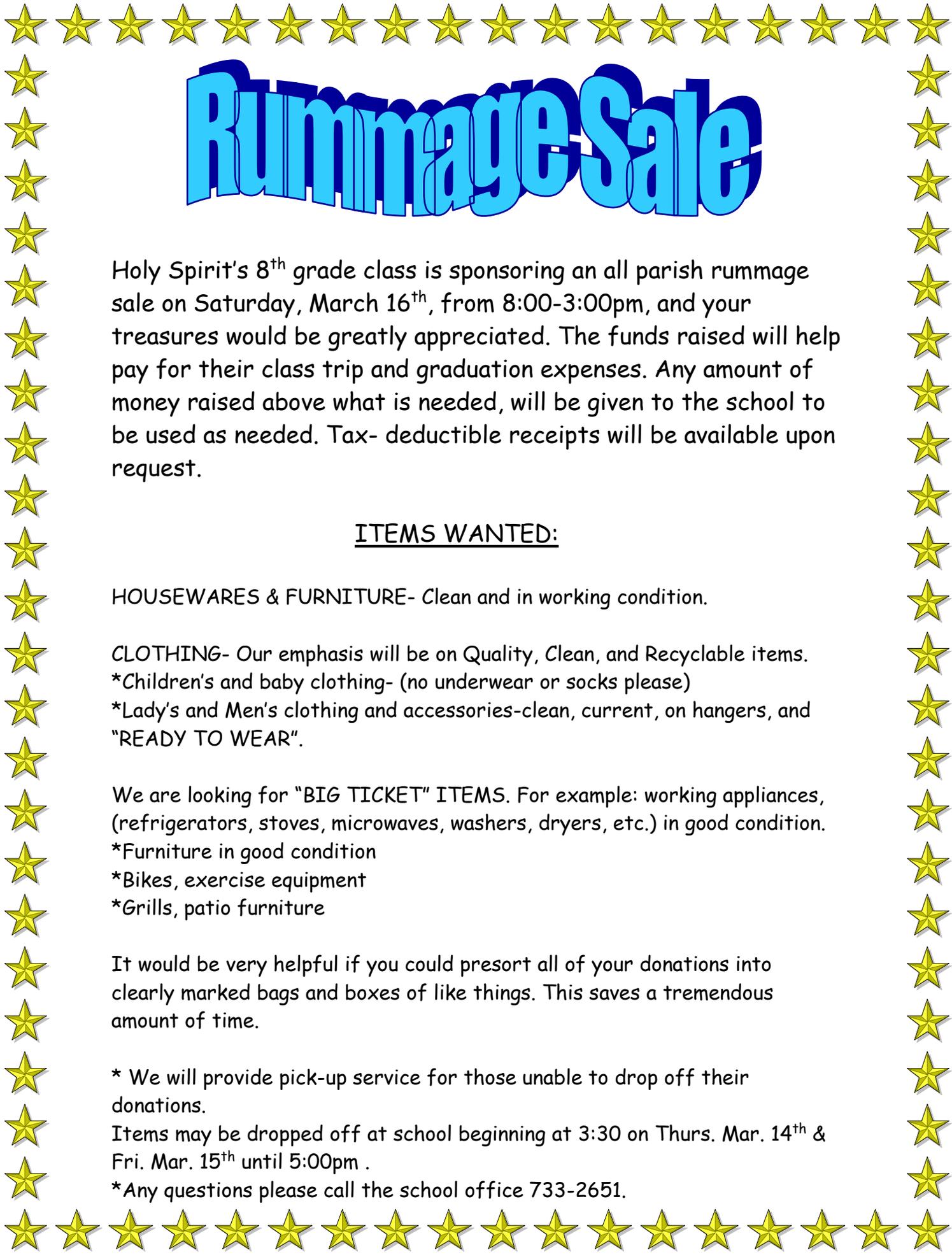
Tuesday: The 500 Hats of Bartholomew Cubbins = Crazy hat day... Wear your craziest hat!

Wednesday: Fox in Socks & The Foot Book = Crazy sock day... Wear your silliest socks or even mis-match them!

Thursday: Oh! The Places You'll Go = Vacation Shirt day... Wear a shirt from a vacation place (ie Disney, Hawaiian style shirt, etc. Can have words/pictures on it with dress code bottoms)

Friday: I am Not Going to Get Up Today = Pajama day... Wear your pajamas and bring a blanket to snuggle up with. Students will be reading with their buddies on Friday in the gym.





# Rummage Sale

Holy Spirit's 8<sup>th</sup> grade class is sponsoring an all parish rummage sale on Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, from 8:00-3:00pm, and your treasures would be greatly appreciated. The funds raised will help pay for their class trip and graduation expenses. Any amount of money raised above what is needed, will be given to the school to be used as needed. Tax- deductible receipts will be available upon request.

## ITEMS WANTED:

HOUSEWARES & FURNITURE- Clean and in working condition.

CLOTHING- Our emphasis will be on Quality, Clean, and Recyclable items.

\*Children's and baby clothing- (no underwear or socks please)

\*Lady's and Men's clothing and accessories-clean, current, on hangers, and "READY TO WEAR".

We are looking for "BIG TICKET" ITEMS. For example: working appliances, (refrigerators, stoves, microwaves, washers, dryers, etc.) in good condition.

\*Furniture in good condition

\*Bikes, exercise equipment

\*Grills, patio furniture

It would be very helpful if you could presort all of your donations into clearly marked bags and boxes of like things. This saves a tremendous amount of time.

\* We will provide pick-up service for those unable to drop off their donations.

Items may be dropped off at school beginning at 3:30 on Thurs. Mar. 14<sup>th</sup> & Fri. Mar. 15<sup>th</sup> until 5:00pm .

\*Any questions please call the school office 733-2651.