

Bishop John A. Marshall School

Friday Notes

JAN. 26, 2018

MRS. CARRIE WILSON, HEAD OF SCHOOL

January 29 - February 2



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Mass at BJAMS

Wed., 1/31 8:15 a.m. *Celebrant:* Monsignor Routhier

Lunch Menu: Jan. 29 - Feb. 2

Mon. 1/29: Sloppy Joe on whole wheat bread, buttered pasta, baked beans, peas

Tues. 1/30: Chicken and cheddar quesadilla on whole grain tortilla, black bean salad, corn

Wed. 1/31: Turkey & cheese on whole wheat wrap with toppings, whole grain pasta salad, veggie sticks

Thurs., 2/1: Whole grain chicken nuggets, tater tots, green beans

Fri., 2/2: Whole grain cheese pizza, veggie sticks

Winter Ball Royalty – Congratulations to our 2018 reigning Winter Ball King and Queen: Lucy Genung and Gabe Wright!

ASP Reminder - All K-8th grade students not retrieved from school by 3:15 are automatically signed into the After School Program. *Parents* please note that it is not up to the student whether he/she signs in; it is a mandatory school policy. If you instruct your children not to sign in, this only puts them in a very uncomfortable situation over which they have no control.

Cell Phone Policy Reminder - Cell phones are not permitted to be on in school between the hours of 7:30 - 4:30. Please remind your children that they should not be checking their phones before then. *Parents* - If you need to get a message to your children, please call the school office from 7:30 - 3:15. Between the hours of 3:15 and 5:15 call the main number (888-4758) and dial the ASP at ext. 224.

Bus Policy - On days when after-school activities are cancelled due to inclement weather, students may still take the Stowe-Waterbury GMTA commuter bus.

Cross-country Ski Program for Sixth, Seventh, and Eighth Graders - *Parents* - Do you enjoy cross-country skiing? Would you be able to lend a hand and ski with your student's group on Tuesday mornings? If so, please contact Barry Lyden at drlydes@aol.com or cell (text) 802-272-8789 and let him know. Volunteers are always welcome and it's a fun way to spend some time with your child and his or her classmates. Also, if your student has his or her own equipment, please bring it to school on Tuesday and contact Barry to let us know your student will have his or her own equipment. Thank you!

Thanks from the Kitchen - Many thanks to Ira & Katie Marvin (parents of Lucy & Grace grades 1 & 3), Sarrah Patch (mom of Harper, PK), John & Nicole Fisher (parents of Ryan, Gr. 7) and Bob & Laurie Flaherty (parents of Patrick & Cole, grades 3 & 7) for their donations of maple syrup!

Scholastic Book Fair - Don't miss out -- next week is the book fair! It will be set up in the ASP room and will be open for shopping the following dates/times:

1/29	2 pm -5:15 pm
1/30	12 pm – 5:15 pm
1/31	Not open
2/1	2 pm-5:15 pm
2/2	11 am – 2 pm

Community Service Project for Lamoille Food Shelf - Next week (Jan. 29-Feb. 2) our Pre-K through 8th grade classes will be collecting non-perishable food items as well as compete in a coin challenge with all proceeds going to the Lamoille Food Shelf. The class that collects the most non-perishable food items and the class that raises the highest value in coins will win a dress-down day.

Polar Splash at Lake Elmore (February 10th at 11am) - Please consider supporting a BJAMS jumper with a monetary donation that will go to the North Country Vermont Recovery Center! There is a donation table set up in the hall and each of our jumpers has a jar to accept donations. The jumper that receives the most donations will earn the right to pick the theme for our next Dress Down Day.



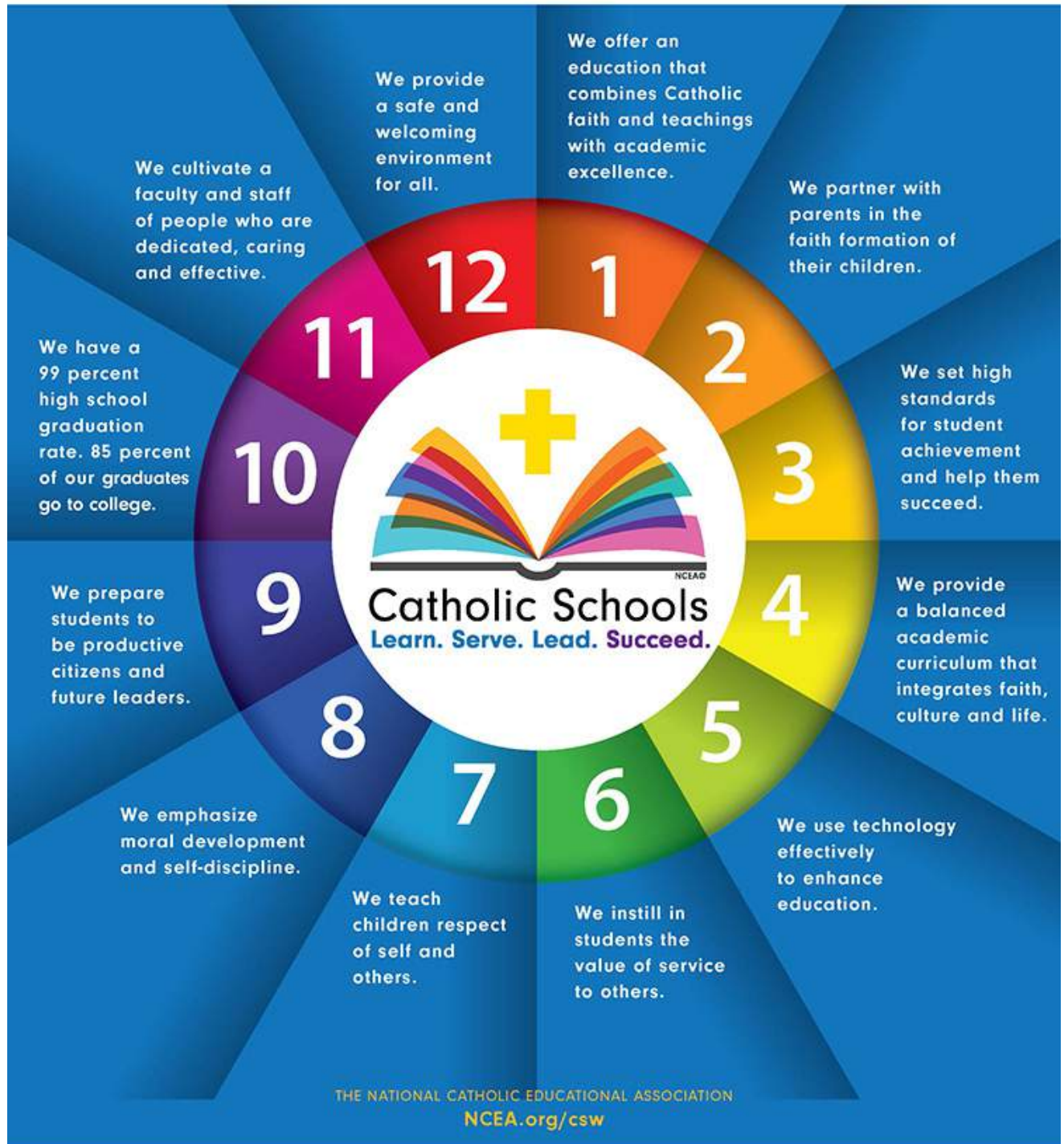
- ❑ **Half Day - Staff Development** - Fri., Jan. 26. Dismissal is promptly at noon. No ASP.
- ❑ **Catholic Schools Week** - Jan. 28 - Feb. 2 (schedule attached!)
- ❑ **Polar Bear Plunge** - Sat., Feb. 10 at 11 at Lake Elmore. Come and cheer on our BJAMS team!
- ❑ **Fish Fry** - Fri., Feb. 16 (stay tuned for details!)
- ❑ **Winter Recess** - Mon., Feb. 26 through Fri., March 2
- ❑ **Second Trimester Ends** - Fri., March 9
- ❑ **Half Day - Parent/Teacher Conferences** - Thursday, March 15. Dismissal is promptly at noon.
- ❑ **Report Cards** - Fri., March 16
- ❑ **No School - Staff Development** - Friday, March 23
- ❑ **Half Day - Good Friday** - March 30. Dismissal is promptly -- and silently -- at noon.

Box Tops For Education - Just a reminder to save your Box Tops for Education and participate in our friendly upper school vs. lower school competition! The "school" that collects the most Box Tops between now and February break will receive an ice cream party this spring courtesy of Kingdom Creamery of Vermont based out of East Hardwick. Box Tops can be deposited in the bins just inside the front door in the appropriately labeled drawers designating upper and lower school. If you are unfamiliar with the Box Tops Program please visit www.boxtops4education.com for more info or send an email to the coordinator, Janelle Germaine at mjgermaine2011@gmail.com. Don't use a lot of products with Box Tops at home? Encourage your child to call grandparents, aunts, uncles and friends (or even write them a letter!) and ask them to collect as well! A little bit goes a long way! Thank you in advance for your support!

Universal On-Line Courses - Did you know that there are FREE, work-at-your-own-pace, on-line courses for all registered users of VT public libraries? Over 500 continuing education courses are available and they feature real instructors with remote 24/7 access via the internet in a variety of areas including: Accounting, Arts/Crafts/Hobbies, Business, Computer Training, Cooking, Do-It-Yourself, Finance, Health and Medicine, Home & Garden, Law/Legal/Criminal, Math, Office Skills, Parenting & Family, Personal Development, Pet/Animal Care, Psychology, Real Estate, Science, Self-Help, Social Work, Teacher Resources, Writing Skills, Web Development....and MANY MORE! Patrons can take up to five classes at a time, but when they are finished with one, they may sign up for another! To register: <http://vermontstate.universalclass.com/barcode-login.htm?enter+code>.

Business Office Reminder: Zero Balance Fridays! All Hot Lunch/ASP charges must be paid in full to ensure charging privileges the following week.

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Catholic Schools Week Schedule 2018

Mon., 1/29	Tues., 1/30	Wed., 1/31	Thurs., 2/1	Fri., 2/2
<p>Monkey Around Monday</p> <p>Dress up like an animal today.</p>	<p>Turn Around Tuesday</p> <p>Wear your clothes backwards and do everything backwards for one period.</p>	<p>Wacky Wednesday</p> <p>Wear your hair in a crazy hairstyle or wear a crazy hat. (Pre-K - 5).</p>	<p>Take a Guess Who I am Thursday</p> <p>Dress like someone famous today.</p>	<p>Flannel Friday</p> <p>Wear your favorite flannel.</p>
		<p>Mass at St. Joseph Co-Cathedral</p> <p>Grades 6-8 8:30 departure 1:30 return</p>		
<p>Geo Bee</p> <p>8:30 am (gr. 6-8)</p> <p>It's a Zoo Costume Contest and Animal Trivia</p> <p>1:15pm (Pre-K - 5)</p>	<p>Survival of the Fittest</p> <p>10:15 am (Pre-K - 8)</p> <p>Compete for the most physically and mentally fit award.</p>	<p>Gratitude Project</p> <p>1:45pm (Pre-K-8)</p> <p>Card showers for local Catholic priests and the Bishop.</p>	<p>Lip Sync Battle</p> <p>1:15 pm (Pre-K - 8)</p> <p>Each class performs one song (2 min. max).</p> <p>Lower school teachers vs. upper school teachers battle.</p>	<p>Community Service Project</p> <p>1:15pm (Pre-K - 8)</p> <p>Announce winners of the Community Service Project (for Lamoille Food Share).</p> <p>Outdoor Fun Day (weather permitting) or Marshmallow Challenge</p> <p>1:30 pm</p>

BJAMS BASKETBALL

Bishop Marshall's basketball teams, coaches, training times, game schedule, and notes are:

Grade 1/2

Katie Marvin KatieMarvin@live.com

Dana Clapp danalclapp@gmail.com

Training: Monday 3:15-4:15

Grade 3/4 Coed

Casey Dewey Celticdewey@yahoo.com

Training: Tuesdays/Thursdays 5:45-7

3/4 Coed Game Schedule:

January 31 Wolcott 5:00

February 1 5:30 Johnson

February 3 10:00 Peoples

February 7th at Johnson 5:30

Girls 5/6

Casey Dewey Celticdewey@yahoo.com

Lindsay Barup Hotwoody24@gmail.com

Training: Mon. 4:30-5:45 & Fri. 3:15-4:30 (unless the coach advises differently)

5/6 Girls' Game Schedule:

January 26 and 27 - Tournament.

February 1 Johnson 6:30

February 2 6:00 Stowe

~~February Cambridge Tournament 3rd (first weekend) 10th (second weekend) Cancelled!~~

February 5 Wolcott 5:00

February 12 Waterville 6:00 New!

Note from Coach Barup: There will be a Wolcott make-up game. Date/time: TBA

Boys 5/6

Stephanie Frederick Sfrederickvt@gmail.com

Michael McCormack Michael.mccormack@raymondjames.com

Training: Monday 5:45-7:00 and Wednesday 5:30-6:45

5/6 Boys' Game Schedule:

January 26th Stowe 5:00

February 2 Stowe 5:00

February 3 Peoples 8:00am

February 5 Wolcott 5:00

February 7 Johnson 6:30

Girls 7/8

Casey Dewey Celticdewey@yahoo.com

Lindsay Barup Hotwoody24@gmail.com

Training: Mon. 4:30-5:45 & Fri. 3:15-4:30 (unless the coach advises differently)

7/8 Girls' Game Schedule:

January 30 Crossett Brook 5:00

February 9 Craftsbury Academy 5:00

Boys 7/8

Andrea Jones Andreaj@manosh.com

7/8 Boys' Practice and Game Schedule:

Thurs., January 25 *Practice* BJAMS 4:30

Tues., January 30 *Game* Crossett Brook 6:00

Thurs., February 1 *Practice* BJAMS 4:30

Mon., February 5 *Game* Craftsbury 6:00

Note from Coach Jones: All boys **must** bring a water bottle to all games and practices. It is taking up too much time with everyone lining up at the water fountain during water breaks. We have limited time!