**THURSDAY TIMES**

**PRINCE OF PEACE MONTESSORI SCHOOL**

**REGISTRATION FORMSwere sent home last week in the folder. We appreciate the early response from some families and would like to ask you to have the yellow sheet returned to the office as soon as you can. Registration fees are not due until March 11th but the forms would really help us on budget planning. The diocese meets with all principals by the end of February to start the planning process for 2022-2023.**

**We would also like to reach out to all enrolled families to remind you that you have priority in the enrollment process for all siblings that you wish to enroll for next school year. You will only pay one family registration for all children. Please contact Mrs. Middendorf in the officeif you have any questions concerning enrollment. The Pre-Primary program is having an abundance of interest for next school year, so this proves to be beneficial for us to secure all spots early for that program.**

**IMMUNIZATION FORMS are mandated for each child. If your child expired in the past month or so and you have been sent a form, we need the updated form sent into the office. The Northern Kentucky Health Department typically does a spot check appointment in late January – February to our school. If your child is found with an expired form, they may not return without an updated form. The only exception to this rule is a “exempted form.” The school office will continue to alert you and send home a blank form when your child is due. Thank you for your cooperation.**

**MAP TESTING was completed for all children in grades Kindergarten – Eighth Grade. Results will be sent home with the second trimester report cards. Please take a look at the report and if you have any questions, please let your child’s teacher know or Ms. Cathy Cool, can also assist you. Cathy helps administer the test to the students and charts our results and growth. The Map testing results do become part of each students permanent file. Overall, our children did exceptional!**

**NEW TECHNOLOGY HAS ARRIVED! If you have arrived through the side door, you may have seen all the large boxes being delivered! The dumpster is over flowing! We have received new Chrome Books for the children, new laptops for the staff and new Smart boards with a higher level of technology for all classrooms, library, mentoring room etc. This is thousands of dollars spent for our school and we are so grateful for the opportunity to better serve the children and increase the educational component within the school.**

**MUSIC CLASS INFORMATION IS ENCLOSED FROM MRS. WELLS…PLEASE TAKE A MOMENT TO READ THE ATTACHED HANDOUT.**

**This information is for MII and MII classes only. They will be permitted to bring instruments to school to truly learn how to tune/play the instrument WELL at a basic level, and begin/review read music notation. The goal of this program is to have a child ready for high school band or an orchestra program.**

**\*\*Please do not purchase any instrument just yet. If your child does not have an instrument but is interested, we supply them with a spare. \*Please read the attached sheet for all the information or reach out to Mrs. Wells for questions.**

**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK CELEBRATIONS CONTINUED THIS WEEK!A special thank you to the parents for the PIZZA Party for the students! It was enjoyed by all!**

**We focused on our Community and Church Leaders and wrote letters of gratitude and appreciation. We also donated almost 40 jugs of laundry detergent to the St. Ann pantry. This earned our students a “Out of Uniform” day on Friday!! All students may be out of uniform and remember BENGALS ATTIRE counts too! Help cheer those Cincinnati Bengals onto a Super Bowl win!!**

**At 10:00 a.m. on Friday, all students will enjoy a show presented by “The Space Painter.” Tom Sparough, a professional juggler and Catholic Saint Storyteller will entertain the children. This was generously paid for by an anonymous donor for this special occasion.**

**Once again, on behalf of all the staff at POP, we would like to thank you for your continued support and encouragement throughout the year. We could not do all that we do without you! The sacrifice that parents make to choose a Catholic education for their children, does not go unnoticed and we appreciate your efforts, commitment and prayers. Thank you for helping us make Catholic Schools Week so special.**

**REMINDER……**

**SCHOOL IS CLOSED MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST FOR PRESIDENT’S DAY!**

**ENJOY THE WEEKEND AND LET’S CHEER FOR A SUPERBOWL WIN!!!**