THURSDAY TIMES

**PRINCE OF PEACE MONTESSORI SCHOOL**

**HAPPY SPRING!!** As we enter into the last stretch of school and only have 8 weeks left on the school calendar we want to remind all parents about the importance of students completing work, staying focused, getting enough sleep and doing the best they can do to finish out the year strong. The teaching staff have talked to all of them about this same topic and working to their potential. We always find it extremely hard for them, especially after Spring break is complete.

**SPRING BREAK WEEK IS FAST APPROACHING!** School will be closed starting **Holy Thursday, April 14th through Sunday, April 24th.** We will resume normal classes/schedule on Monday, April 25th.

* **THERE WILL BE NO MENTORING PROGRAM ON TUESDAY, APRIL 12TH OR TUESDAY APRIL 19TH DUE TO HOLY WEEK AND SPRING BREAK WEEK.**
* **WE ASK FOR ALL EXTENED DAY FEES AND AFTER CARE FEES BE PAID IN FULL BY THE TIME WE BREAK FOR SPRING BREAK**. If you need to make a payment during our time off, please place your payment in the locked mailbox on the porch. Mrs. Middendorf will stop by to check mail and messages. This is locked and secure.
* **THE CARNEGIE AFTER SCHOOL ART PROGRAM WILL BE IN SESSION ON APRIL 13TH! Pick up is normal time.**
* **We do ask all parents to please join us for weekly Mass on Wednesday mornings @8:45 a.m. The children love to have you join us.**

**NOTRE DAME ACADEMY** will be presenting the **Adams Family Play this weekend**. Our past Art/Theatre teacher, Ms. Jennifer Smith is the Director of the play. The play will also star a past student of POP as one of the lead actors. Tickets can be purchased on-line through the NDA website or in person. The performances will be Thursday, Saturday and Sunday. No show on Friday due to CCH prom. \*This is a wonderful family event and filled with lots of laughter and great humor!

**FIELD DAY IS BACK!!** The entire school will participate in Field Day! The date is set for Thursday, May 5th. The location is President’s Park in Edgewood, KY. This is a secured park with the back area reserved for our school only! All parents are welcome to attend and spend a fun-filled day with games, a picnic lunch, face painting, play time, a visit from the KONA ICE TRUCK and a day of sunshine! More details such as transportation, lunch etc. will be shared over the next several weeks! **Take a vacation day and come play with us…. FUN!!**

**SUMMER CAMP INFORMATION is being sent to us on a regular basis. We have been asked to share with you the following information. Please make sure to visit the individual websites for more information. We will share with you any flyers that come our way. Dates, cost and registration paperwork are on the websites.**

* **COVINGTON CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL** will offer camps in thefollowing areas: Archery, Baseball, Basketball, Football, Soccer, Tennis, Animation, Art Camp, Band, 3D Modeling, Robotics Camp and Photo Shop. \* A point of interest: Robotics, Art Camp, Basketball and Soccer fill up fast! Visit the CCH website for registration information. Amazing coaches and staff teach these camps and do a fantastic job!
* **NOTRE DAME ACADEMY** will offer camps in the following areas: Archery, Basketball, Cross Country, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball, Theatre, Music, Art and Stem. The following camps fill quickly: Volleyball, Theatre, Art and Basketball.

Visit NDA’s website for all the information and registration.

* **SILVERLAKE FAMILY RECREATIONAL CENTER is** hosting preschoolthrough school age camps. Registration is open for daily camp and sports camp. Please visit Silverlake’s website for all the information. Sport camps are: Gymnastics, Tennis, Baseball, Cheer, Soccer and Basketball. Full time and part time camp is available. Registration is available on-line.
* **FIVE SEASONS FAMILY SPORTS CLUB** located in Crestview Hills, KY ishosting a summer camp program for preschool – school age. Another facility that has an on-site pool and tennis for children. Visit the website to retrieve information for programs and prices at your convenience.

**THE ANNUAL POP BOOK FAIR IS COMING MAY 2ND-MAY 6TH.** It will be **s**ponsored by Scholastic Books. All children will have the opportunity to shop with their class. We will also have ample time for parents to shop as well. This is a perfect time to shop for summer reading and stock up that home library! Flyers and info to come home after spring break! This also supports the school by adding books to the classrooms and library.

**THE LIBRARY IS MOVING UPSTAIRS!** We are about to begin the task of moving our beautiful library to the second floor. This will give the room additional light, space and the teachers the opportunity to utilize it more during instructional time. We may be asking for volunteers to help with this huge task…stay tuned. There may be many ways to also donate to this endeavor for some new equipment, storage bins, carpet, books etc. If anyone is interested in helping, please reach out to the office and we will add you to the list.

**NEXT WEEK DUE TO SPRING BREAK**., we will be sending invoices home for Extended Day and After Care on Monday for the previous week. We ask that all payments be submitted by close of day on Wednesday, before Spring break begins. ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc We appreciate your cooperation.