**THURSDAY TIMES**

**PRINCE OF PEACE MONTESSORI SCHOOL**

**A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO OUR LIBRARIAN, MS. KAREN KLEMAN FOR A WONDERFUL BOOKFAIR!All children will still have the opportunity to purchase on Friday morning during their ART class period and Ms. Kleman is more than happy to accept any last- minute orders. We set up the E-Purchasing for the school and also if you would like to make any school donation for the new library or your child’s classroom. We would like to thank Karen for posting this on her Facebook page and gaining many donations in that way for our school as well. We are so grateful for your generosity and promoting the love of learning for our students. The Book Fair is open this afternoon until 5:00 p.m. for all interested buyers!**

**THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!**

**TOMORROW IS FIELD DAY!The entire school will be at President’s Park in Edgewood, KY. The park location and entrance are located off Dudley Road (across from Summit Hills Country Club) The school will be in the very rear of the park in a private area. All preschool and Kindergarten children are being dropped off at the park for the convenience of car seats and booster seats. Your child may report directly to the park or come to school for private transportation. The preschool and Kindergarten children are packing lunches. All other students were given an option for lunch or they may have chosen the option of packing. A fun day of games, water balloon toss, sack races, relays and team sports are planned. The KONA ice truck will visit at approximately 1:30 for the children to have a special treat. All parents are welcome to join this outdoor day!! Arrival at the park is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. \*We will be supplying bottled water and remember sunscreen if weather permits. If you will be taking your child from the park at dismissal, please let your child’s teacher know for safety purposes and head counts.**

**CONGRATULATIONSto our second-grade students Charlotte Mattone and Elliot Melson on receiving the sacrament of First Communion this past week. We wish you many blessings as you have participated in this very important milestone.**

**GRADUATION FOR Kindergarten and 8th Grade is scheduled for May 25th. Our final school mass will be celebrated at 8:45 am. All parents are invited and welcome. We will be sending our 8th graders off after Mass to celebrate a day at Kings Island.**

**At 8:00 a.m. just before Mass, we will have a very short but sweet diploma presentation to the Kindergarten children and our 8th grade students as well. Pictures are welcome and we will set up with chairs for your comfort. All family members are welcome.**

**A FEW PARENT REMINDERS:**

**A VIRTUS INFORMATION SHEET was sent home last week with additional training dates for all interested parents. Please visit the VIRTUS website for more additional information regarding locations, creating an account and submitting background checks. This is a perfect time to complete the training for next year!**

**P-EBT CARDS are available for summer distribution. If any family is interested in applying for the P-EBT card and you have been approved in the past for the free/reduced meals, you may fill out an application at lunchapplication.com. For more information, please contact Ms. Jackie Kaiser at the Diocese of Covington office @ 859-392-1500.**

**HAVE YOU SENT IN YOUR RSVP FOR THE SUMMER BASEBALL GAME AT FLORENCE FREEDOM? It is not too late! We will send another form home next week to get final numbers for tickets! This event will be held in July and will be a fun-filled family night at the ballpark. If you have never been, come enjoy an affordable night with POP families and let the students catch up! More info next week!**

**THE LAST DAY OF SCHOOL IS THURSDAY, MAY 26TH. TEACHERS HAVE INSERVICE ON FRIDAY, MAY 27TH!**

**UNIFORM SHORTS ARE PERMITTED THE MONTH OF MAY. Please follow the uniform guidelines the last month of school. School shorts may be worn but cargo shorts are not permitted. All approved uniform shirts must be worn as well. \*\*If you do any summer cleaning of closets and have an interest of donating uniforms, please remember they must be stain free, laundered and in good condition. There may not be any torn garments or missing buttons etc. Uniform exchange will be the night of Parent Orientation. \*Please see the school website for uniform information or visit School Belles website or the Taylor Mill store location.**

**\*Mrs. Middendorf will be out of the school office on Wednesday, May 4th- May 6th. Ms. Cathy Cool will be filling in. Please call the school office if you have any messages or questions. Cathy can also be reached at** [**ccool@popcov.com**](mailto:ccool@popcov.com)**. Please send tuition payments back in red folders or drop in locked mailbox on the porch. All credits to accounts will be completed on Monday morning.**