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News from Pope Francis Global Academy

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HEAD OF SCHOOL *happenings*

Dear Pope Francis Global Academy School Community,

During this Lenten season, our students and faculty were encouraged to perform spiritual works, such as attending the Stations of the Cross and Adoration, saying the Rosary, taking time for prayer and spiritual reading, praying for others, and making a good confession. These works helped us focus on repenting sin and renewing our faith in preparation for celebrating the resurrection of Jesus. We are reminded that God sent His only Son to die on the cross, so we can enjoy the promise of eternal life. In our Catholic

school, our children are able to reflect on God's love and to grow in their faith! As parents, your sacrifices are providing an environment for our children to grow closer in their relationship with God. What a beautiful gift!

As you know as a member of the Catholic faith community, Holy Week celebrations begin this Sunday with Palm Sunday as we remember how Jesus loved us so much that he gave His life for us. The Passion of Jesus Christ is a powerful love story that we all need to hear and remember.

Please make Holy Week an important priority for you and your children. Set aside the time next week to participate in the upcoming liturgies that are filled with great signs and symbols of our Catholic faith.

Our children certainly learn about the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus in their classroom. But Holy Week, allows us to come together as a "Family of Families," and proudly express the deep love we have for Jesus Christ.

Here is the link to all of the services that will take place at all four of our parishes and know that you and your family will be in my prayers during these sacred days:

[Our Lady of Victory](#)

[St. Cornelius](#)

[St. Pascal](#)

[St. Tarcissus](#)

Blessings and peace,

Margaret Kinel
Head of School

REMINDERS

There is school tomorrow Friday, April 12th. Makeup Snow Day

There is no school Friday, April 19th

There is no school Monday, April 22nd thru Wednesday, April 24th

[School Calendar](#)

2019-2020 YEARBOOK

The 2019-2020 Yearbook is ready to order. Order your yearbook by April 26th to avoid shipping charges. You can place an order after the deadline, but you will incur shipping charges.

Cost of the yearbook is \$25. To place an order, go to treering.com/1014891837901020

RELEASE THE WOLVES!

THE WOLF RUN IS COMING ... MAY 23RD

- The t-shirt design winner has been chosen... Jon E's design will be printed in maroon on a gold t-shirt. We are trying to get the full cost of the t-shirts for all students and staff covered by sponsorships. [See the rough design here](#)
- IF YOU HAVE A SMALL BUSINESS IN THE AREA, please consider sponsoring the Wolf Run for \$250 or \$500 and your logo will go on over 500 t-shirts that will be worn around the city all summer. Contact Jodi Thyen at jthyen@pfgacademy.org as soon as possible to discuss.
- T-shirts will also be available for parents to purchase this year. Parent orders are due on April 18! DO NOT submit an order for a student t-shirt...they will be ordered directly from the school. [Parent Wolf Run T-Shirt](#)

PARENTS' CLUB NEWS

Parents Club will hold its April meeting **TONIGHT** Thursday, April 11 at South Campus in room 100.

6:30 PM social time

7:00 PM Meeting

***Please** note the change of meeting date

Parents Club is hosting a social on Wednesday, April 24 at Gale Street Inn, [4914 N. Milwaukee Ave.](#)

The Parents Club Board will have a section of the bar beginning at 6:00 pm. This is a great opportunity to mingle with other PFGA parents. (Children are welcome in the dining room)

Questions? Email parentsclub@pfgacademy.org

[March Meeting Minutes](#)

[April Agenda](#)

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY FOR 8TH GRADERS

The Jefferson Park Chamber is offering a one-year scholarship of \$500 to two graduating eighth graders who live or attend school in the 60630 zip code area. It may be used toward books, student fees, tuition or transportation costs. The application deadline is May 31st.

[Jefferson Park Chamber Scholarship](#)

BATTLE OF THE BOOKS SCHOOL CHAMPIONS

Congratulations Team B!!! Teams B and F competed for the title of PFGA Champion on Wednesday, April 10th. Ten students will go on to represent Pope Francis at the Final Battle held at PFGA North on

May 1st.

A huge thanks to all of our teams. They have all worked extremely hard this year. We are very proud of all of you.



Leah T, Grace C, Alex M, Ryan O, Olin W
Sam S, Eoghan B, Izzy B, Claire S, Riley M
Not Pictured: Maisie P

THE HORSES ARE IN THE GATES

Pope Francis Global Academy invites you to Race Night 2019
Saturday, May 11th, Mason Orchard Auditorium
Watch and wager on previously run horse races shown via DVD on our big screen!
Win big money for yourself while raising even bigger money for our school.

[2019 Race Night](#)

SUMMER CAMP INFORMATION

Registration is now LIVE for all families for our very popular summer camp program! Spaces are going fast, so we recommend you register now! We have had several inquiries and have created a handy FAQ (frequently asked questions) sheet. If you have additional questions, please contact our camp directors, Debbie Guerin and Michelle Trigo at summercamp@pfgacademy.org.

[Summer Camp Flyer](#)
[FAQ Sheet](#)



QUEEN OF HEARTS RAFFLE is over \$67,000

Rosie Zambrano had her ticket pulled and won \$50. The number 18 revealed the seven of diamonds and the pot rolls over. Jamie wins a Porrettas gift certificate for \$25. And Christopher Schumacher wins a lovely Italian Easter Egg just in time for the Holiday.

Buy 4 tickets for \$20 and get 5.

Numbers already chosen: 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 24, 25, 27, 30, 32, 34, 40, 43, 44, 46, 50, 52, 54

Pope Francis Global Academy SPORTS NEWS



5th thru 8th Grade Intramural Basketball
[Information and Sign Up](#)

TECHNOLOGY YOU CAN USE

Are smart speakers like Google Home and Amazon's Echo OK for kids? Should you buy smart home technology? What are the benefits of smart devices and what are the privacy and security risks? Get answers to parents' most-asked questions about smart devices.

[Parents' Ultimate Guide to Smart Devices](#)

PARISH NEWS

St. Cornelius Altar Server Recruitment
Altar Server



CURRENT BULLETINS

Our Lady of Victory

St. Cornelius

St. Pascal

St. Tarcissus

AROUND TOWN

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