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## PFGA - Howler August 27,2020

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## Pope Francis Global Academy



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## **FIRST WEEK BACK VIDEO!**

Please take a minute to view the teachers' first week back video.

[First Week Video](#)

## **LABOR DAY**

There will be no school on Monday, September 7 for Labor Day.

## **UNIFORMS**

Students will be allowed to attend school in their gym uniforms for the month of September. If you are in need of any uniform pieces (gym or regular) please contact Mrs. Molenda [jmolenda@pfgacademy.org](mailto:jmolenda@pfgacademy.org) to request specific pieces in specific sizes and we will see if any are available. New uniforms may be ordered at Dennis Uniforms.

[Dennis Uniforms](#)

## **USE OF OUTDOOR SPACE AND OF AIR CONDITIONED ROOMS**

Teachers have been taking students both outside to sit in one of our many outdoor spaces for both recess and lessons/class. They also have access to several rooms within the building which are air-conditioned throughout the day. A schedule to reserve these spaces have been created in order to maintain the optimal use of the spaces.

## **CLARIFICATIONS ON COVID CLASSROOM AND SCHOOL RESPONSE PROTOCOL**

The Archdiocese has clarified the protocols around what will happen if there has been exposure or possible/presumed exposure to COVID-19 by any person who comes into our building regularly. Please read the revised protocol [HERE](#).

## **2 O'CLOCK TUESDAYS**

Just a reminder that every Tuesday we will have an early release at 2 pm so that the teachers can meet for professional development. EDP is available for those who can not get to school for pick up at 2. The cost is \$6/hour/child.

## **EDP RESERVATIONS NOW REQUIRED**

Reservations are now required for all students using EDP. Please complete a new EDP Reservation Form by the end of the day each Friday. Reservations for EDP will close so that staffing for the week can be finalized and a list of attendees can be printed out before Monday morning EDP.

## **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

As we move forward with the goal of keeping things this year as "normal" as possible, we will continue to provide volunteer opportunities regularly, which can be used to meet the Family Service Hour Commitment. All volunteers will be expected to maintain current rules about social distancing, mask-wearing, etc. This year, we will be accepting volunteer/service hours for both St. Pascal and Our Lady of Victory parishes. To qualify, these hours must be approved through the parish office of either church.

We have several volunteer needs available right now:

### Lunch/Recess Volunteers

1 hour each day; 3 volunteers are needed from 11:30-12:30.

These volunteers must commit to 2 week blocks at a time. Must also be Virtus trained. Contact Linda Garrett at [lgarrett@pfgacademy.org](mailto:lgarrett@pfgacademy.org).

### Raffle Ticket Sorting

Wednesday, September 2 from 8-11 in Room 100. Must enter through the designated Room 100 exterior door.

3 volunteers needed. Virtus training is needed.

Contact Linda Garrett at [lgarrett@pfgacademy.org](mailto:lgarrett@pfgacademy.org).

### Lou Malnati's Frozen Pizza Fundraiser Point Person

Mostly an administrative type job organizing, sorting and stuffing envelopes.

Contact Jodi Thyen at [jthyen@pfgacademy.org](mailto:jthyen@pfgacademy.org).

## **RAFFLE TICKETS**

Raffle tickets will be sent home in NEXT WEEK'S Thursday folders/backpacks to those who have completed their fee billing by that date. If you enrolled later and your FEE bill has not yet been processed, you can arrange to pick up your tickets once payment is complete in September.

## **PROTECT THE PACK T-SHIRTS AVAILABLE ON-DEMAND**

The vendor for the PROTECT THE PACK T-shirts the teachers wore on the first day of school is available now to order in sizes Youth Small through Adult 3XL. Please use this order form and send cash or check with your student by Friday, September 4th. Shirts will be sent home via the students on Friday, September 11th.

## PARENTING IN A WORLD OF TECHNOLOGY

[Real-World Reasons Parents Should Care About Kids And On-Line Privacy](#)

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### PARISH NEWS

#### **RENEW MY CHURCH OPEN MEETING TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1 AT 7 PM IN ST. PASCAL CHURCH**

The Renew My Church process for the St. Pascal, OLV, SRB, and St. Constance Grouping is in full swing. There will be an open meeting tomorrow night for stakeholders of each parish to participate in a discussion leading up to the official release of the various re-organization scenarios to be considered which will be released on Saturday through the parishes. If you can attend the meeting in person, it is encouraged. If not in person, you can also join via an online platform. RSVP to attend or ask questions of the committee by emailing [rmcst.pascal@gmail.com](mailto:rmcst.pascal@gmail.com)

If you are not able to attend the meeting, it will be live-streamed. The meeting can be viewed at a later date on YouTube. Questions submitted after the meeting will be answered by a team member.

[Our Lady of Victory](#)  
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*Please send all submissions to the Howler by Tuesdays at 12:00PM to [lgarrett@pfgacademy.org](mailto:lgarrett@pfgacademy.org)*

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