



Weekly Newsletter
January 24, 2025

Families,

Dismissal: Parents when parking on State for pick up at dismissal time, please walk over to get your child. The students are not to be crossing by themselves. We are worried about their safety. Thank you for helping and your cooperation.

Saturday Shamrocks: The next Saturday Shamrocks session will be Saturday February 8th from 9-11 a.m. The theme is “Winter Steam.” Saturday Shamrocks is open to grades K-4. Be on the lookout for a registration flier coming home soon. For additional information please contact Stacy McQueen at smcqueen@oss-shamrocks.com or Mrs. Worrell @sworrell@oss-shamrocks.com

Interstate Studio has sent extra copies of the classroom photos. If you are interested in purchasing a copy, please send in \$5.00 with a note stating the purchase, your name, and the class.

Save the date HOUSE NIGHT- January 29th - Come to the Jr. High Volleyball game and wear you HOUSE Colors. Let’s cheer on our girls as they compete against St. Agnes. **Game time is 6:00** – see you there! Go Shamrocks!!

Congratulations to our Elks Hoop Shoot Qualifiers. The following students advanced to the District Hoop Shoot Level. This will be held on Jan. 25 at 3:00pm at the JHS Bowl.

Boys:

10–11-year-old division 3rd place: **Paxton Horabik**

12-13-year-old division 2nd place: **Griffin Mossman**

Girls:

8–9-year-old division 1st place: **Ruthie Schumacher**

10–11-year-old division 1st place: **Aleah Walls**

12-13-year-old division 2nd place: **Kendyl Mudd**

Catholic Schools Week will kick off Sunday Jan.26th at our 10:30 mass! Please join us at mass as we begin a faith-filled and fun week at Our Savior School. Attached you will find the week’s event. Also, don’t forget the chili fundraiser for Routt Catholic on Sunday as well.

Service Hours: For Catholic families, 30 minutes of service hours can now be earned by being a greeter at church during the weekend masses! Please Call Laura Defrain if you need help getting signed up as a greeter. Thank you to those families that have been greeting at church, it is so nice to see your smiles as we walk into church.

Weather –Please remember to send your student(s) with a jacket/coat. We will go outside most days unless it’s raining or the feels – like temperature is 18 degrees. Also, label your items, so we can get them back to the owner if they are misplaced!

Late Start: Once again, Our Saviour School will be utilizing “Late Start” days due to extreme wind chill temperatures or icy road conditions. As we coordinate with Jacksonville School District and Routt Catholic High School, on late start days, school will begin two (2) hours later than usual and buses will run their regular routes unless otherwise noted. Whereas our doors typically open at 7:45 a.m. and the last bell rings at 8:05 a.m., with this “Late Start” option, our doors will open at 9:45 a.m. and the last bell will ring at 10:05 a.m. Those using the Jacksonville bus service in the morning, the bus will pick you up 2 hours later. “Late Start” is an option to allow school districts to continue with school (while starting later) and therefore, eliminating the use of a snow day. The decision for wind chill and ice situations should be made by approximately 5:30 a.m. I will send out a notice via School Messenger as soon as determination has been made. Please note – while we try to coordinate bus schedules with Jacksonville School District, we do NOT necessarily follow their weather-related schedule. We will send a School Messenger if OUR schedule changes.

Lost and Found: Please have your child check the lost and found as sweatshirts and ¾ zips are beginning to pile up. We also have a few water bottles.

JSD 117 Bus Service: Just a reminder that if JSD 117 is not in session and we are, you will need to make other arrangements for your child to get to and from school. We do not necessarily follow their weather-related cancellations, etc. You will be notified via School Messenger on weather-related closings. Also, the local radio and TV stations will be contacted.

Enjoy your weekend,
Mrs. Amy Evans

Dates to Remember:

Jan. 26- 10:30 opening Mass for Catholic Schools Week

Jan 26- Jan 31- Catholic Schools Week

Jan. 29 House Night at Volleyball game 6:00 at OSS Gym

Jan 30- Sports Pictures for Boys Basketball, Cheer, Volleyball, and Chess

Jan31 – Catholic Schools Week mass at 8:20, **dismissal at 11:30** No PM Bus

Feb 5- Leo’s Pack the House for Parent Club.

Feb 6- Student Council Souper Bowl – bring a can of soup and wear your favorite team color/jersey

Feb 7- Teachers attend Faculty Retreat – **No Student Attendance.**

Feb 8th – Saturday Shamrocks

Feb 9 – Parent Sacramental Prep meeting for 2nd grade parents – 11:45 Media Room Routt

Feb 13 – Spelling Bee – No JSD pm Bus Service

Feb. 14 – Red/white/pink Day, 8th grade Routt Placement Test, – **11:30 Dismissal** No JSD pm bus

Feb 17 – No School Presidents Day

Feb 18– **Non – Uniform for a Cause Bring in a \$1 to support The Jacksonville Lion’s Club – specifically childhood cancer**

Feb 24 – Open House for New and Prospective Parents 5:00 Pre-K, 6:00 K- 8th – OSS Gym

Feb 25 - 8th grade recognition for volleyball

Feb 26- WEAR HOUSE SHIRTS – No pm JSD bus

Feb. 28 – Spirit wear

Mar. 2 – Sacramental Prep meeting for 2nd grade parents at 11:45 in Routt Media Room

Mar.5 – Ash Wednesday

Mar 5 – Leo’s “Pack the Place” for Parent Club

Mar.7 – Spirit Wear

Mar. 7 – End of 3rd Quarter