Nazareth School News

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NEW COVID-19 EXTENDED CARE HOURS:

Extended Care Opening at 7:00am Extended Care Closing at 4:30pm.

WEEK AT A GLANCE - October 19-23

SAT 10:00am, 3rd Grade First Communion – Mission San Diego Courtyard

MON TUES

WED
THU End of 1st Quarter

8:30am, Mass at Mission San Diego Courtyard

5th grade class representatives

FRI No School – Staff Professional Development Day

Nazareth School Reopening Plan

Nazareth School Distance Learning Plan

<u>Please sign and return the acknowledgement page to the</u> above plans to the school office at

office@nazarethschool.org as soon as possible. We need to have a copy of signed acknowledgement pages for every family.

ON CAMPUS HEALTH PROTOCALS

The two links below are the lists of Covid-19 symptoms according to the HHSA. Any person experiencing these symptoms must self-isolate for 10 days (stay at home) and may return on day 11. Please contact the office at office@nazarethschool.org if your child is sick.

Covid Testing Locations in San Diego County

Nazareth School On Campus Health Protocols

SD County HHSA & Office of Edu: Fever/COVID 19
Symptom Decision Tree

DROP OFF/PICK UP

Thank you to the parents who continue to use the front driveway entrance, entering from below, on San Diego Mission Road, for both drop off and pick up. We ask that you try and NOT to use the Rancho Mission Road entrance (above the statue of Jesus), as traffic is backing up and causing a dangerous hazard. Please remember that it is one way only up the hill from San Diego Mission Road. The staff is working hard to temperature check your children and get them to and from class safely.

CAR SAFETY

- Parents stay in car
- Load from right side
- Teacher will assist with children

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY

There is no school on Friday, October 23. Diocesan Staff Development Day.

PROGRESS REPORTS

All 1st Quarter Progress Reports need to be signed and returned to your child's teacher. Distance Learners – we are mailing the progress reports that are still here in the school office. Please return them as soon as possible.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES (Gr. K-8)

Parent-Teacher Conferences are scheduled for Thursday, November 12 and Friday, November 13 beginning at 12:45pm both days. Your child's first quarter report card will go home on Friday, October 30 and then at the conference you will be able to discuss your child's progress with the teacher. Please check with your employer to see which day would be best to take off from work to attend this important conference. If you need a specific day, please notify Mrs. Horning in writing through a note or email: adminassist@nazarethschool.org by Tuesday, October 20. Please state early afternoon, late afternoon or after a certain time only. Specific time requests are not guaranteed. If a note is not sent in, a day and time will be scheduled for you.

EMERGENCY CARDS

We are still missing Emergency Cards and Nazareth Release Forms. Please fill out the forms and return this important information to the office.

Nazareth Release Form

STAY HOME IF YOU HAVE THE FOLLOWING SYMPTOMS:

Please contact the Nazareth School office 619-641-7987 or office@nazarethschool.org. According to the HHSA, any person with these symptoms must self-isolate for 10 days (stay at home) and may return on day 11.

- Fever with or without chills/rigors (fever defined as a temperature greater than or equal to 100.0 degrees Fahrenheit that does not resolve within 30 minutes without medication)
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Nasal Congestion or runny nose (rhinorrhea)
- Sore throat
- Nausea, vomiting or diarrhea
- Fatigue
- New loss of taste or smell
- Headache
- · Muscle or body aches
- Poor feeding or poor appetite
- Known close contact with a person who is lab confirmed to have COVID-19

HOT LUNCH

The November Hot Lunch menu is in today's envelope and attached to the Newsletter. Please return your hot lunch orders by Tuesday, October 27.

<u>LAST CHANCE TO ORDER - TURKEY</u> <u>TROT - SHIRT ORDERS DUE MONDAY</u>

All Turkey Trot t-shirt orders are due Monday, October 19. Each student will receive one free tshirt to wear for the event. You may also order additional shirts. Order forms are attached.



NAZARETH SCHOOL LOGO FACE MASKS

All Nazareth School students received a free Nazareth School face mask. Parents, relatives, and friends are welcome to purchase a mask too! Cost is \$10 per mask. Please see the website form link below to order. Show your Nazareth School pride and order your mask today!

Nazareth School Logo Face Masks

OFFICE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Parents are needed to pack the Friday family envelopes each week. We also need 2 parents to "unpack" the family envelope on Mondays. If you are able to help, please email Mrs. Coito at office@nazarethschool.org.

PTG FAMILY FUN NIGHT!

Mark your calendars:

PTG is planning a family night of games, fun and laughter with our Nazareth School Families on Tuesday, November 10 from 6:00-6:45. More info to come!

GROOMING REMINDER

From Parent-Student Handbook:

The school considers grooming to be a matter of parental responsibility and urges all parents to keep their children's hair well groomed. In exceptional cases, the Principal will inform parents as to the necessity of proper hairstyle. **Extreme fad haircuts are not acceptable at school.** This shall include, but not be limited to, shaved designs, and tinted, bleached, or dyed hair. Boys' hair must be cut above the ears and above the collar. Boys must be clean shaven.

Girls may wear only clear nail polish. No artificial nails may be worn. Nails should be kept short and neatly trimmed. No make-up may be worn at school.

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

- 10/19 Turkey Trot T-shirt orders are due
- 10/22 1st Quarter Ends
- 10/23 No School for Students Staff Professional Development Day
- 10/29 Turkey Trot Kick-off Assembly
- 10/30 Report Cards sent home
- 10/30 Halloween Carnival Drive thru
- 11/10 PTG Family Fun Night
- 11/11 Veterans Day Holiday
- 11/12 & 11/13 1st Quarter Parent-Teacher Conferences
- 11/19 & 20 Turkey Trot

HALLOWEEN COSTUMES - OCTOBER 30

Students will be permitted to wear their Halloween costumes to school on Friday, October 30. Please no costume masks, blow-up costumes, no weapons, and all face make-up must be appropriate and bloody or gruesome. Costumes must be comfortable for the students to wear during the school day.

HALLOWEEN TRUNK OR TREAT

The Nazareth School Trunk or Treat drive thru Carnival is Friday, October 30 from 6-8:00pm! See below for the schedule for the drive thru:



6:00-6:15pm - A-B

6:15-6:30pm - C-D

6:30-6:45pm - E-J

6:45-7:00pm - M

7:00-7:15pm - N-P

7:15-7:30pm - R-T

7:30-7:45 - V-Z

7:45-8:00 - 8th grade students

Attached please find info flyers for the Pumpkin Carving and Costume Contests. If you would like to volunteer for this event, please email Melissa Hubbard at melissa.hubbard84@yahoo.com.

Every class needs donations of decorations and candy, please help!

CATCH OF THE WEEK



Congratulations to Gianna Perkins (Kg), Carly Lozano (1st), Taylor Spenla (2nd), Faith Sorman (3rd), Brady Sipper (4th), Asher McDonald (5th), Jaden Burchell (6th), Nathan McDonald (7th), and Gabriela Alfaro (8th) who were caught doing a good deed this week.

FIRST COMMUNION

Our Nazareth School Third Graders will be making their First Communion on Saturday, October 17 at 10am on the Mission Courtyard. We offer them our prayers and congratulations as they take this important step in their faith journey.



MONTH OF THE ROSARY

October is the month of the Holy Rosary. At morning assembly during the month of October, the school will pray a decade of the rosary.



SCHOOL MASS – OCTOBER 22

Nazareth School 5th Grade students will be leading the Mass on Thursday, October 22 at 8:30am on the Mission San Diego Courtyard. No parents or siblings permitted at Mass for the short term.

NAZARETH SCHOOL PRAYER REQUESTS

This week we are praying for: Simon and Chloe Noonan in the loss of their Aunt/Godmother-Mrs. Noonan's sister.





2nd Annual Halloween Costume Contest!

Nazareth students are allowed to wear costumes to school!

When: Friday, October 30th

Winners from the lower and upper grades will be chosen in the following categories:

Best Group Costume

Funniest Costume

Scariest Costume

Most Creative Costume

Best Couples Costume

Best Overall Costume

A few rules to remember:

- Catholic School appropriate
- No fake gooey blood
- No blow-up costumes
- No weapons
- You must wear your Covid facemask
- No costume masks allowed
- You must be able to sit in your costume and learn

LASTLY-the teachers & staff have the final say!

^{*}Please note: a group picture of the winners will be posted on our social media accounts. If you do not want your student(s) in this picture, please send a note letting their teacher know.



October 16, 2020

Dear Wonderful Nazareth Families.

We have created a Nazareth School Technology Use Policy and Digital Citizenship Pledge in anticipation of becoming a one-to-one device school. The new policy and pledge will be going home in today's Nazareth Family Envelope. As a school, each teacher will discuss the Nazareth School Technology Use Policy and Digital Citizenship Pledge in age appropriate language.

As a parent and a mother, I strongly encourage you to review the Nazareth School Technology Acceptable Use Policy and the Student Digital Citizenship Pledge with your child. Please discuss with your child(ren) the importance of cyber safety and help them understand the implications that social media has in this new digital world. The goal of our new Nazareth School Technology Use Policy and Digital Citizenship Pledge is to keep our students safe from the pitfalls that accompany the use of technology including potential bullying and improper conduct. Thank you for partnering with Nazareth to keep our core values of love, hospitality, respect, compassion, patience and justice in all aspects of our lives, including technology.

I wanted to extend my great appreciation to the 6th Grade and Mr. Knight for their reading of the Institution of the Eucharist during Thursday's Rosary and their excellent job participating in Mass today. Please keep Third Grade in your prayers this weekend, as they continue their faith journey by receiving the Sacrament of First Communion this Saturday. Next week, we will have 5th grade participating in the Mass. We encourage the class specific distance learners to join us for Mass, but ask parent's to remain in the car, as we are adhering to the Covid-19 state guidelines.

Please read the entire Nazareth News for all of the fun upcoming events! Especially the PTG Family Fun Zoom Night on Tuesday, November 10th, it will be a great time to relax with our Nazareth Community.

God watch over our students, God watch over our parents, God watch over our teachers and staff!

God Bless,

Mrs. René Coons Principal Nazareth School





Nazareth Families - Please send a picture of your carved pumpkin and include your family name to marketing@nazarethschool.org by Tuesday, October 27th. Pictures will be posted on our website and a winner will be announced on October 29th at our school assembly.

Carving designs must be original (not from a purchased template). Only one submission per family please.



Turkey Trot 2020 T-Shirt Order Form



Each student will receive one free T-Shirt to wear on the day of the event. If you wish to order additional shirts, **please return your order form to the office**

with a check no later than FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16TH.

Price of <u>additional</u> shirts: \$10.00 or \$15 for Ladies scoop neck

Please make check payable to: "Nazareth School," Memo: Turkey Trot FREE STUDENT PARTICIPANT T-SHIRT Please return this order form to the office with sizes for your student(s) no later than FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16TH. (Circle size for each child's FREE shirt) Student name: Grade Shirt Size: YS YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL Student name: Grade Shirt Size: YS YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL Student name: Grade Shirt Size: YS YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL Student name: Grade Shirt Size: YS YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL ADDITIONAL T-SHIRT ORDER \$10.00 EACH Please turn in your order form & payment to the office no later than FRIDAY, OCT. 16TH. Eldest Student Name: Grade: Total @ \$10.00 Youth S М L XL Shirts each QTY @ 10.00 Total Adult XL 2XL 3XL S M L Shirts each QTY *** NEW THIS YEAR. *** Ladies Total @ 15.00 Scoop S L XL 2XL 3XL М Shirts each Neck QTY

TOTAL \$ ENCLOSED _____