

# OUR LADY OF SORROWS SCHOOL



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## APRIL 17, 2024 WEEKLY E-LETTER

### **MCCARTHY UNIFORMS BUNDLE SAVINGS**

Every year McCarthy Uniforms offers bundle saving to our school community. These bundles offer an additional coupon incentive that can be used later in the year to top up student's uniforms. Please see the [attached](#) bundle flyer for further details. Uniforms should be examined and replaced as needed due to children outgrowing them or regular wear and tear.

### **GR. 7 FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE NEWS**

#### **MAY 1, 2024 - NEUFELD FARMS ORDER FORMS DUE**

The Gr. 7 Fundraising Committee will once again be having a Neufeld Farms product sale. Orders are due by **Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup>** and pick up is on **Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup> between 2:30-3:30**. Please click [here](#) to view the flyer and or click on the link to order.

<https://app.neufeldfarms.ca/fundraising/2024-our-lady-of-sorrows-school/ref/em>

### **APRIL 17 AND 18, 2024 – LICE CHECKS**

The next school-wide lice checks are being conducted today and on **Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup>**. Thank you to Mrs. Kraljevic for doing this once again.

### **APRIL 18, 25 AND 29, 2024 – TRACK MEETS**

On **Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>**, **all Gr. 3 and 4 students** will take part in a Track Meet at Empire Track.

Friar's Track Meet is being held **Monday, April 29<sup>th</sup>**, for **Gr. 3-7 track athletes only** at SFU. If your child is in Track & Field, please refer to the notice being sent home for details.

### **APRIL 22 – 26<sup>TH</sup> – EARTH WEEK EVENTS**

**Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> to Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup>** is EARTH WEEK at OLS! Each day next week will have a different theme to help our community become "protectors of God's handiwork". Please see the [attached](#) schedule and poster for details of the daily themes.

*"Living our vocation to be protectors of God's handiwork is essential to a life of virtue; it is not an optional or a secondary aspect of our Christian experience."*

— Pope Francis

**APRIL 22, 2024 – EARTH DAY – COLOUR DAY**

Dress down in earth colour tones on **Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>**. Those children having gym class on this day are still required to wear gym strip under their clothes. There is **NO CHARGE** for this Colour Day!

**APRIL 22, 2024 – GRADE 7 ANNUAL BAKE SALE**

The Annual Grade 7 Bake Sale will take place on **Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>**. Please see the [attached](#) flyer for further details.

**APRIL 24, 2024 – WALK AND ROLL TO SCHOOL DAY**

**Wednesday, April 24<sup>th</sup>** is Walk and Roll to School Day! Please see the [attached](#) flyer for all the details.

**APRIL 24, 2024 – IN-HOUSE SPELLING BEE – NEW DATE**

Our annual In-house Spelling Bee for Grades 4-7 will be held on **Wednesday, April 24<sup>th</sup>** at 1:00 p.m. in the Gym.

**APRIL 26, 2024 – CLOTHING DRIVE**

It's time to clean out your closet because the OLS leadership council is having a Clothing Drive! We take donations that are clean and gently used. Please see the [attached](#) flyer for further details. You can drop off your donations in Father Rosemond's garage on the following dates:

Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 - 8:45 a.m. and 3:00 - 3:30 p.m.

**APRIL 27, 2024 – FIRST COMMUNION RETREAT**

The Grade Two First Communion Retreat will be held on **Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup>**. Please refer to the information sent home by the Grade Two teacher.

**APRIL 28, 2024 – FAMILY MASS**

The Family Mass will be hosted by our Grade 4 class and will held be on **Sunday, April 28<sup>th</sup>** at 11:30 a.m. We invite all families from OLS to celebrate the Family Mass. This is a wonderful way for our families to attend and participate in the **required** Sunday liturgy.

**APRIL 2024 HOT LUNCH DATES**

Thursday, April 18 <sup>th</sup>	Blowfish Sushi
Thursday, April 25 <sup>th</sup>	Subway Sandwiches

## REMINDERS

**JULY 2 – 12, 2024 – OLS SUMMER CAMP**

If your child(ren) is interested in attending, please complete the [attached](#) registration form (a copy was also sent home with each child) to guarantee a spot for the summer camps. We have limited space, and this camp does sell out, so please return your registration form as soon as possible.

**LENTEN BOXES**

We ask that all boxes be returned as soon as possible. Please ensure that **ALL** students label their box with their name and house colour and print the amount collected on the box.

**ONGOING BOTTLE DRIVE – RETURN-IT EXPRESS**

The Grade 7 Fundraising Committee is collecting bottles again this year. It's easy! Simply place your empties in clear bags and drop them off at any "Return-It Express" depot (link to locations [here](#)). The school's account is under our main phone number - 604-253-2434.