

The Pelican Express

MARCH 4,2021

DATES FOR YOUR PLANNER

March 5 - FUN RUN / Pep Rally

March 8 - Last Day to test AR / Youth Legislature 8th grade

March 10 - Spring Pictures

March 11 - Mass / Dress Uniform / Food Bank Guest Speaker

March 12 - 4th Grade Parade of States / End of 3rd Nine Weeks / Spirit Shirt Day

March 15 - AR Free Dress Day

March 16 - Report Cards Available online

COLOR RUN is TOMORROW!

Students may wear Spirit Shirts or white shirts with class color accessories. Uniform bottoms or MBS PE Shorts. This event is still a closed event to parents.

Spring Casual Portraits

Wednesday, March 10th

Parents! Picture Packages will only be produced for children who hae pre-paid.

Picture packages will go home tomorrow.

ONLINE ORDERING SERVICE IS ALSO AVAILABLE &

WILL EXPIRE 48 HOURS PRIOR TO SPRING PICTURE DAY

TO PURCHASE ONLINE:

Barberitophotographers.com

click on "Ordering"

Enter your event code (MBSSPR21) and email address

Students are allowed to wear Sunday's best for pictures.

As of 4:30, here is our leader board for the Fun Run:

James Davis - 2nd Garrett 1st: 2nd: **Beau Henderson – 4th Cox** 3rd: Layla Brown - 6th Quinterro 4th: Cassie Zecchel – 5th Leger Logan Bourgeois - K Rinaudo 5th: 6th: Madison Clement - 6th Millet 7th: Gabriel Lynch - PK Sulfsted **Charlee Oliver - PK Ross** 8th: James Kidd – 1st Fairchild 9th:

Jack McLemore - K Stevens

10th:

As a reminder, here are the big prizes and those categories. Let's see how it shakes out tomorrow!

Student with the highest dollar amount raised in grades PK-1 = Kidzone DIY Racer

Student with the highest dollar amount raised in grades 2&3 = Hoverboard + GoKart

Student with the highest dollar amount raised in grades 4&5 = Folding Electric Bike

Student with the highest dollar amount raised in grades 6-8 = Custom Nike Shoes

Student with the highest dollar amount raised in whole school = PlayStation 5

Parents of the students who end up winning will be notified tomorrow to pick up prizes in the office after dismissal.



Registration for Cheering Tryouts is required.

Click here to complete the form.

Extra tryout packets will be available in the office for anyone who is interested, but didn't sign-up before

Monday

All Students are
invited
to wear GREEN shirts
with uniform bottoms
in honor of
ST. PATRICK'S DAY
on
Wednesday, March 17.



Registration for Dance Tryouts is required. Click <u>here</u> to complete the form.

St. Michael will be offering Boys
Basketball Camps and Developmental
Summer Leagues this summer. More
information on the rest of the camps
we have to offer located at: Summer
Camps - St Michael (smhsbr.org)





- Should anyone (not just students) in your family have fever, cough, congestion, headache, sneezing, loss of taste/smell, or any other COVID symptom, please keep EVERYONE home and contact Nurse Frances at FAvery@mbsbr.org.
- If you or a family member has been exposed to or diagnosed with COVID, keep everyone home and contact Nurse Frances at FAvery@mbsbr.org
- If you or anyone in your family has been tested for COVID and are awaiting results, keep everyone home and contact Nurse Frances at FAvery@mbsbr.org
- Nurse Frances will walk you through what needs to be done. If that means your student(s) must quarantine, we will allow them to participate in Virtual Learning for the specified time.

For Covid Guidelines, CLICK <u>HERE</u>



OFFICE OF CHILD PROTECTION

According to the Safe Environment Policy mandated by the Diocese of Baton Rouge, all parish and school ministry volunteers/chaperones must complete a mandatory background check and Baton Rouge Diocesan child protection training.

Child Protection credentials allow the holder of these credentials the opportunity to chaperone/volunteer at MBS School. All credentialed adults must abide by the sign-up and confirmation process for each event.

Please be aware that many files have been closed due to inactivity, and/or files not being updated.

For assistance with child protection credentials, please contact Mrs. R Landry at 225-753-5526 or childprotection@mbsbr.org



Congratulations and thank you to Vivienne Noto for creating our Lenten poster for the Church & School campuses.



MBS LENTEN DINNERS

EACH FRIDAY Feb 26 - Mar 26 5:00 - 7:00

NEW FOR 2021

ONLY FISH DINNERS & CRAWFISH PIES

DRIVE-THROUGH PICK-UP ONLY

FISH DINNER \$8 CRAWFISH PIE \$3 To comply with safety protocols, we will have a limited number of men cooking. Each week, we will cook 500 fish dinners and 250 crawfish pies.

DRIVE-THROUGH

- Enter through the church driveway on Jefferson
- Drive to the back of the church by the football field
- Pick-up will be next to the old playground
- You will exit through the school lot to Barringer

Covid-19 Vaccines Available at M.B.S.

Most Blessed Sacrament parish has joined with Albertson's Pharmacy to offer the Moderna Covid-19 vaccine injections this Tuesday, March 9th beginning at 10:00 a.m. in the St. John Room of the Church Office building.

There will be multiple forms to fill out with electronic links to route you through the registration process.

To see if you qualify, please visit https://ldh.la.gov/covidvaccine/

To reserve your vaccine, please contact Penne Leier through email at PLeier@mbsbr.org or cell phone at (225) 266-2162

Kindness Club Meeting Dates:

March 24 April 21 May 5



TIME & TALENT LOG

Log your Service Hours into FACTS.

Go to Family > Family Home. You will see "Service Hours" in the middle of the screen. Click "add" to add the hours. You must type in a description. Select "type a custom value," and then type your description.

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Virtual Book
Fair. We know it was challenging to have the fair online, as it's everyone's favorite event to "shop."
With the sales of the books, we were able to purchase some new release books and graphic novels for our young readers!

"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go" (Dr. Seuss).

COUNSELOR'S

Last Day to Test for Accelerated Reading: Monday, March 8

Visit the Library <u>website</u> to see all of the resources they have for you to help your student with AR!

Information includes

- AR Book Finder check if a book has an AR test
- Home Connect check your child's AR points at home, set up AR email notifications
- AR Quarterly Goals

Receiving Notifications

After enrollment, parents began receiving notifications regarding your child's grades from "RenWeb Support."

Do you want to change the frequency of these notifications? From your desktop, login to FACTS, then go to:

- Family Home
- Online Filing Cabinet
- Custodial Parent Form
- Parent Preferences
- Auto Email Gradebook Progress Report Select: Daily, Weekly, Never

NOTE: the RENWEB app is not the same program as the desktop version we use. It looks similar, but the functions are not the same.



This is a 3-minute video made by a 9th grade girl about the effects of quarantine and virtual learning.

It's powerful stuff.

<u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?</u>
<u>app=desktop&fbclid=IwAR13ZcQSiS9ogLolfJL6zecXuwJ</u>
<u>f3iH1j1YUmlzqXHryMzoJe4eOBm1V53A&v=iSkbd6hRk</u>

<u>Xo&feature=youtu.be</u>

CORNER



Send your child to the office to claim his/her item(s).