

# The Pelican Express Let Go...Let God

**OCTOBER 6, 2022** 

# **CALENDAR**

Fridau, October 7 Pep Rally, Jersey Day, see page 6

Sunday, October 9 Basketball Registration deadline

October 10 & 11 No Buses - Carpool Only

### October 10

- · Last day to order fair weekend bracelets
- No Buses Carpool Only

Tuesday, October 11-Monday, October 17 Carpool changes to accommodate Fair setup

### Tuesday, October 11

- Reconciliation Preparation begins, 6:00 pm
- No Buses Carpool Onlu

### Wednesday, October 12

- · Picture Retakes, dress uniform for those students only.
- Kindness Club Meeting, 7:20, St. Ursula

### Thursday, October 13

- Fair T-shirt day, students who purchased a Fair Shirt can wear it to school with uniform bottoms
- · Mass, 8:15, Dress uniform
- Pet Blessing, bring unframed picture to church
- AR Testing, last day to AR test for First Quarter

### Friday, October 14

- · Fall Break No School
- MBS Parish Fair

### Saturday, October 15

MBS Parish Fair

### Sunday, October 16

- · MBS Parish Fair
- Groundbreaking Ceremony

# DECADES WEEK

To get ready for our Parish Fair next weekend "Feeling Groovy: Peace, Love, Fair," we invite everyone to dress in their favorite **DECADES** attire next week

# themes

- Monday: 1990's attire
- Tuesday: 1980's attire
- Wednesday: 1970's attire
- Thursday: fair t-shirt day
- Friday: no school

# dress ande

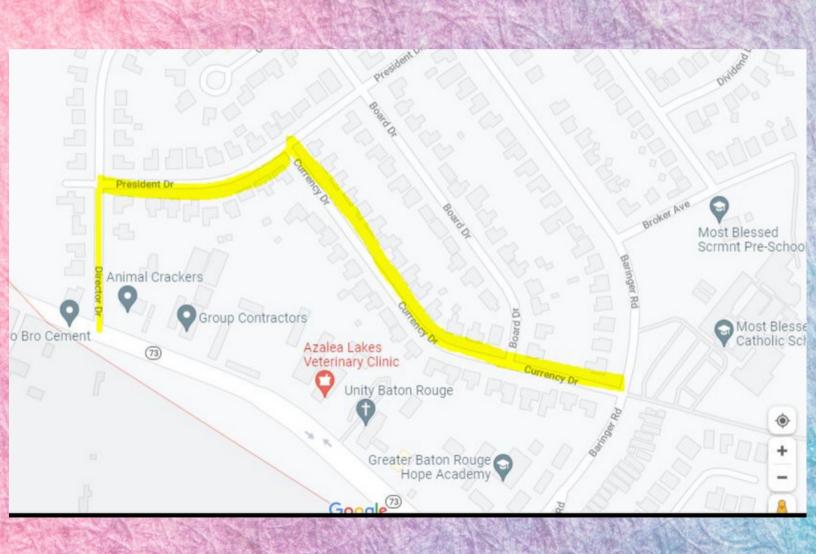
- no shorts without leggings underneath
- no tank tops
- no distracting clothing or accesories



CHANGE CARPOOL PROCEDURES ... SEE **NEXT 3 PAGES** 

Since we will begin setting up the Fairgrounds next week, we must adjust the way our "normal" carpool runs in both the morning and afternoon.

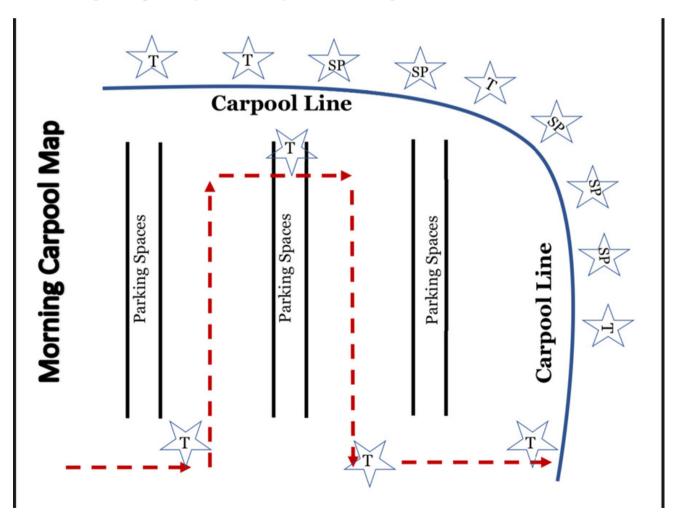
The map below will help you understand the written instructions on the next two pages.



# AM & PM Carpool Instructions for Tuesday, October 11-Monday, October 17

# **Morning Carpool**

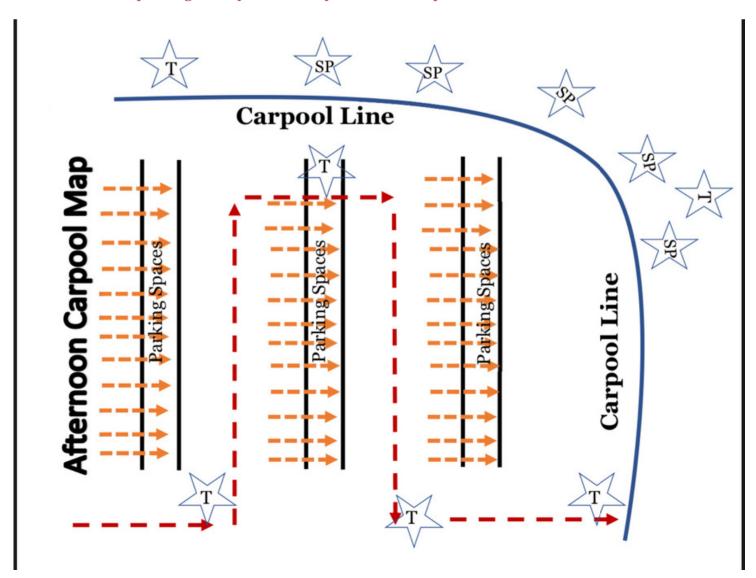
- From Jefferson Hwy, turn onto **Director** by Animal Crackers Learning Center. *DO NOT Turn into the Church Parking lot*.
- Continue on Director and turn right on President.
- Turn right onto **Currency**. This road will feed directly into the school parking lot entrance.
- Cross **Baringer Rd** and enter the school parking lot. (Please be sure to wait on Currency if the lot is full. We do not want to block Baringer from the buses or those exiting carpool.)
- Enter the second row of the parking lot and begin following the cones to snake through the parking lot. Faculty will be there to direct you.
- At the last set of parking spaces, you will enter the carpool line.
- Please be sure that your child is unbuckled and ready to exit the vehicle when you reach the Teacher or Safety Patrol student.
- Exit the school parking lot as you normally would for carpool.



# AM & PM Carpool Instructions for Tuesday, October 11-Monday, October 17

# Afternoon Carpool

- From Jefferson Hwy, turn onto **Director** by Animal Crackers Learning Center. *DO NOT Turn into the Church Parking lot*.
- Continue on Director and turn right on **President**.
- Turn right onto **Currency**. This road will feed directly into the school parking lot entrance.
- Cross **Baringer Rd** and enter the school parking lot. (Please be sure to wait on Currency if the lot is full. We do not want to block Baringer from the buses or those exiting carpool.)
- Follow the cones through the parking lot and follow the teacher's directions to enter the parking spaces.
- Pull in to the parking spot so that you are facing the carpool line and can drive forward to enter the line.
- A teacher will then enter your Car Rider Pro tag number. All tags should be displayed on the rearview mirror and visible for the teacher to see.
- On the teacher's motion enter the carpool line and proceed as normal.
- Exit the school parking lot as you normally would for carpool.





\$20 BUY IN FOR 10 GAMES - Cash only -Cash prizes!

# **Click <u>here</u> to view the fair program**

# Click <u>here</u> to order Ride Bracelets. Last day to order is 10/10.

Weekend Ride Bracelets are now on sale and are only available for purchase on the fair's website (mbsparishfair.com). Weekend Ride Bracelets must be purchased by Monday. Each bracelet allows unlimited rides all 3 days of the fair. Individual ride tickets and Session Time Bracelets will be available from purchase at the fair. For session time info, see the fair program.

If you purchase a Weekend Ride Bracelet, a voucher will be sent home with your kids. Vouchers are redeemed for a bracelet at the ride company's ticket booth. If you do not have kids to take home the vouchers, vouchers will be available for pick up at Will Call.

- School = voucher for Ride Bracelet
- Ride Ticket Booth = exchange voucher for bracelet on wrist
- Will Call = MBS Money Tent

# FAIR PERFORMANCES

	Line Up Backstage	
Kindergarten		
The Loco-Motion	9:50	10:00
1st Grade		
Boogie Shoes	10:05	10:15
2nd Grade		
ABC	10:20	10:30
3rd Grade		
YMVA	10:35	10:45
4th Grade		
Superstition	10:50	11:00
5th Grade		
We will Rock You	11:05	11:15
Choir		
Lean on Me	11:20	11:30
Surprise		
Band		
YMCA	11:30	11:50
Lean on Me		
Barbara Ann		
Jazz Band		
TBD	12:00	12:20
Pep Squad		
	12:20	12:45

- <u>Friday, October 14</u> The Cheer & Dance Teams will perform in front of the Band Stage, beginning at 6:30.
- <u>Saturday, October 15</u> Each class level (K-5) will perform on the Band Stage, beginning at 10:00am. See the schedule to left. We will have Volunteers to organize and monitor kids backstage.

Any student who performs in a Class-level performance has a FREE DRESS on Tuesday, October 18.

Those students performing on Saturday should wear their Spirit Shirts with any shorts.

Click <u>here</u> to donate music items for student performances.



There will be
NO BUSES
on
Monday, October 10 &
Tuesday, October 11.
Carpool ONLY.



MIDDLE SCHOOL HALLOWEEN

DANCE TICKETS PURCHASE HERE.

TO HELP, CLICK HERE.



**Jersey Day - October 7** 

Student Council is sponsoring "Jersey Day" tomorrow, October 7. Pick **one** option:

- Bring in \$1 or more donation and wear any Jersey (NFL, College, NBA, etc) of your choice.
- Wear any MBS jersey for free.
- Wear your uniform for free.

Donations support Student Council, their shirts, field trips, and social outreach project.



# Reconciliation Preparation

Reconciliation Preparation begins Tuesday, October 11 at 6:00 pm. Children should be dropped

off in St. Ursula Hall on the MBS school campus; parents will meet in the MBS school cafeteria



It is time for the MBS 4-H club sign up! All students in 3rd to 8th grade are welcome. Meetings will be moderated by Mr. Mike Albano and will be held on the second Monday of each month immediately following school dismissal until 4:15 pm. Our first meeting will be November 7. To sign up please fill out the enrollment form.

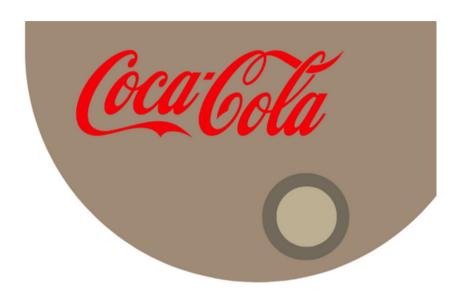
The deadline to join is October 14.

Membership and annual club fee are \$25.

Need more information? Email Mr. Mike Albano



# Collect for MBS



Please collect and bring in your Coke labels and Community Coffee labels by **October 18**.



Please collect the Coca Cola bottle tops, plastic, or paper packaging that has a Coke product code. We will have volunteers scan the codes at a later date.



Please collect the Community Coffee Labels from the small bags and even the large bulk boxes.



more information
mbsbr.org/parents/home-school

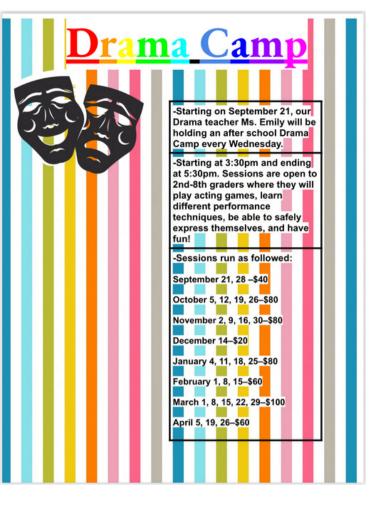
# coke products

- · Bottle caps
- srink wrap
- · fridge packs
- NO UPCS

# community products

- "proof of purchase" from any community coffee item
- this DOES include UPCS







Is your child interested in character work, monologues, auditioning for film and stage, acting in all capacities, or need any extra help strengthening their performance skills?

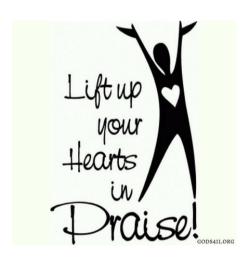
Our Drama teacher Ms. Emily is now offering one-on-one acting lessons after school!

Each session will be 2 hours on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 3:30-5:30pm and 5:30-7:30pm.

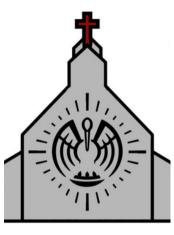
Y<mark>ou ca</mark>n schedule your sessions directly with Ms. Emily by email-emuller@mbsbr.org

The cost of each session is \$50 and a check made out to MBS is preferred. Thank you!

Drama Teacher Ms. Emily Muller will be holding after school Drama Camp every Wednesday. Starting 3:30 pm and ending at 5:30pm. Sessions are open to 2nd - 8th graders where they will play acting games, learn different performance techniques, be able to safely express themselves, and have fun! For the payment form, click here.



Priase & Worship tshirt orders are due October 14. Click <u>here</u> to order.





# The Feast of St. Francis of Assisi

MBS will celebrate The Feast of St. Francis of Assisi on **Thursday, October 13th**. We will take this opportunity to acknowledge the importance of pets in the lives of our families. To show our love for our pets, we will have a **'pet blessing'** after our school liturgy.

While it would be exciting to bring our pets to school, live pets will not be allowed at school for the blessing. Instead, we invite you to send an UNFRAMED photo or photocopy of your family pet/pets for Father to bless after Mass. NO PHOTOS LARGER THAN 8X10, please.

Students may bring the photos to school between October 10th - October 13th

# **Book of Life**

On Tuesday, November 1st, we will continue the tradition of remembering our loved ones in a special way, in celebrating the Feast of All Saints and All Souls.

Our Book of Life will be displayed during School Mass. This book has been a special tradition here at MBS School and contains all the names of our deceased relatives and friends submitted over the last sixteen years.

If you have lost a loved one since November 2021, fill in the form below and we will add it to the Book of Life for this year. In order to have the Book of Life ready for Mass, we will need to have ALL names submitted by **Tuesday, October 25th**. Have your child return the form to their homeroom teacher, and it will be forwarded to my office.

The Book of Life contains all of the names previously submitted over the years. Please do not send names that already have been placed into the Book of Life. If you have any questions, please call the Office of Christian Formation at 751-5867.

Christian Formation

### OFFICE OF CHILD PROTECTION



According to the Safe Environment Policy promulgated by the USCCB and the Diocese of Baton Rouge, all parish and school ministry volunteers/chaperones must complete a mandatory background check and child protection training. Please note that MBS School child protection requirements are not the same as MBS Church Parish. Therefore, if you are compliant for one, you are not automatically compliant for the other. Please email Mrs. Landry at <a href="mailto:childprotection@mbsbr.org">childprotection@mbsbr.org</a> to check the status of your file and/or receive the required paperwork to activate your file.

# 2022-2023 Chaperone and Volunteer Agreement

All volunteers with active files must complete and submit this school year's Chaperone and Volunteer Requirements Agreement and the Code of Ethics Acknowledgement Form (page 5 of CoE document). Please find the agreement here and Code of Ethics here. Please scan/email the completed paperwork to childprotection@mbsbr.org. One service hour may be counted in FACTS for updating the agreement and CoE.

**New Volunteer Applications** are being accepted at this time. Anyone that has not completed the child protection process for MBS School previously, please email your volunteer request to childprotection@mbsbr.org. Please note that five hours may be entered in FACTS for "Time and Talent" service hours once the child protection process is completed.



# Do you shop on Amazon?

By adding Most Blessed Sacrament as your "Charity of Choice," a portion of your shopping total goes to MBS.

- Go to <u>https://smile.amazon.com/</u>
- Save ^^^ that link as the URL to shop on
- Items with AmazonSmile Logo qualify.
- Your prices don't change and 0.5% of your price goes to MBS
- \$2882 has been donated to MBS through September 2022.
- Click <u>here</u> for more information.

# "It will be one of the most eye opening experiences you will ever have."

- Dwayne Peace - Retired Police Officer, V.P. of Dare to Care Inc.

# **Public & Permanent:**

Motivate Responsible Use of Technology & Prevent Digital Abuse!

Date: Nov. 9, 2022 Time: 6:00 – 7:30 PM

# WHO:

All St. Michael High School Parents & Parents of 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Graders

# WHERE:

St. Michael the Archangel High School

### SPONSORED BY:

St. Michael High School Home & School Association

Are Your Kids Gaming Online?

Think Privacy Settings Keep you Private?

Do You Overshare?

What Will Your Digital Footprint & Legacy Be?

# KEEPING YOU SAFE ONLINE: WHAT EVERY PERSON SHOULD KNOW

All attendees will obtain information about:

- Preventing Cyber Cruelty
- Safe Communication in Gaming
- Social Media Mindfulness & Safety
- Emerging Tech & the Need for Empathy
- Understanding & Teaching Legacy
- Many Other Current & Future Cyber Issues

This multi-award-winning program will eliminate the myths that Anonymity, Social Privacy and Disappearing Digital Content is possible with digital tools & apps.

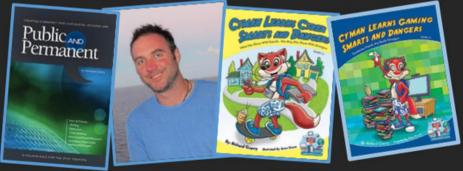
The audience will gain knowledge to promote responsible use of digital tools while also obtaining the wisdom to prevent negative, irresponsible, and malicious digital behaviors and trends.

Richard Guerry is the author of multiple cyber safety books and has been a featured speaker at numerous national & international conferences. He has also appeared as an expert on Radio Disney, CNN, FOX, CBS, MTV's Thin Line Campaign, as well as in Parade Magazine and many local, regional, and international publications.

### This Program Received the School Safety Advocacy Council's

- Exemplary School Safety Program Award
- Exemplary School Safety Initiative Award
- National Anti-Bullying Award

Richard's books online for a donation to his nonprofit at iroc2.org



Learn more at www.IROC2.org

# Time & Talent (Service Hours

**Parent's Commitment to Church and School** One of the requirements for enrollment and/or retention at Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic School is a commitment to the following agreement.

- In addition to daily prayer at home, the Catholic members of our family will attend Mass every weekend and on Holy Days of Obligation.
- Twenty (20) hours of Time and Talent will be given to the school and/or Church each year. Hours must be completed between January 1 and December 31 to receive the in-parish tuition rate. These hours are reviewed each year.
- A minimum amount of \$325.00 will be donated to the Church to support the stewardship program as an Identified Offertory Giver (IOG). IOGs will receive in-parish tuition. Donations will be verified by December 15 unless otherwise authorized by the Pastor. Any offerings thereafter will count towards the following school year.

### Definition of an Hour

One (1) hour is defined as an actual hour of volunteer work or donation purchases of \$10.

### **New Students Clause**

Time and Talent hours are prorated for new students. However, new families must still meet the IOG requirement of \$325.00 to receive in-parish tuition.

# 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.

# **Sending Items to School**

Please label your items that you send to school from a SignUp Genius:

- Parent Name (signed up on the SUG)
- Name of item
- Title of Sign Up (ex: 5th Grade Auction Basket)

This helps us match your hours in FACTS.

# **MBS Yellow Pages**



# BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY

HomeServices United Properties

Real Estate Sales & Services, Leases, Investments,

Appraisals, & Consulting

Chase.SoldByUnited.com

Contact Chase Muller 225.615.8055

MBS Children: Melody - 2nd grade, Margo - PK4



MBS Children:

Hayes - 1st grade, Emorie - 7th grade

prairievilleanimalhospital.com



https://riverparishpt.com/

MBS Son: Brady Pitre - 7th grade



Clayton - 5th grade Marilyn - 3rd grade Gwendolyn - K





# CHELSEA MENG



CELL: 337-849-5121
EMAIL: CMENG@LATTERBLUM.COM
WWW.HOMESINBR.COM

LATTER & BLUM 7414 PERKINS RD SUITE 200 BATON ROUGE, LA 70808





MBS Children: Olivia Ostrander PK4 Kylie Ostrander ALUM Jerry Ostrander ALUM

https://www.welshscleaners.com/

# **MBS Yellow Pages**



6555 Siegen Ln, Baton Rouge, LA 70809

**MBS Children:** 

Ryan - Alum

Luke - 7th grade

# Kids eat free Mondays

- all-natural rotisserie chicken
- dry-rubbed chicken
- fresh, never frozen
- slow-roasted over real wood
- salads & sandwiches
- family meals & catering
- order through app for rewards, discounts, and other deals

dine-in, carryout, or delivery



MBS Children: Flynn - 4th grade, Hayes - 1st grade

Want to see your business in our newsletter?

PLeier@mbsbr.org



monogram \* appliqué vinyl \* embroidery customize designs and logos

# **Facebook**

Angela, 241-7191

**MBS Children:** 

Carson - Alumnus,

Bella Rose - 6th grade

# **MBS Yellow Pages**



### MBS Children:

Tristan - 8th grade, Paisley - PK



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MBS Children:

Bentley - 5th grade, Addison - Alum '22





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MBS Daughter: Nora Montet, PK



MBS Children:

Parker- 2nd grade

Riley - 1st grade