

The Pelican Express

NOVEMBER 3, 2022

CALENDAR

Friday, November 4

• World's Fair, Gym, during school day

November 7 - 11

• PK-sponsored collection for Baton Rouge Children's Hospital, see page 4.

November 8 -16

Novena at Assembly for the Consecration of the School

Tuesday, November 8

- No Buses, Election Day, Carpool Only
- CHS Information Meeting on campus for current 8th grade families, 3-4pm, Library
- Cowboy Chicken Night

Wednesday, November 9

- Kindness Club Meeting, St. Ursula, 7:20am
- Open House, 8:30-12:00

Thursday, November 10

- · Living Rosary, Dress Uniforms, Church, 8:15am
- · Awards: Honor Roll, Piety Award, Church

Friday, November 11

• Fun Run/Spirit Shirt Day - Please refer to the green document that was sent home.

Tuesday, November 15

Progress Reports

Save your receipts and turn in Wednesday November 9th with your children's homeroom on it for a chance to win a class party.

MBS Cowboy Chicken Night





Since Pre-Kindergarten is not a requirement by the State, PreK students are considered "new students" and must APPLY to Kindergarten at MBS. Applications are accepted November 9-30. All prospective Kindergarten students who do not attend MBS currently will be applying at this time also.

Application & Enrollment Schedule

Application & Enrollment					
Process	Date	Fee	Includes		
Online Applicaton	11/9-11/30	\$125 (non-refundable)	Only new students apply. This includes existing PK students at MBS.		
Re-Enrollment	1/9-1/15	\$360 (non-refundable) \$100 late fee	All existing students who will remain at MBS the following year. Tuition is NOT deducted during January. This excludes exisiting PK students.		
Screening	1/9-1/15	NA	All prospective new students (PK-8). Existing PreK students are NOT screened.		
Acceptance Letters	2/20	NA	Letters are emailed to those students who have been accepted.		
Enrollment	2/20-3/3	\$360 (non-refundable)	All newly-accepted students must enroll. This includes existing PK students accepted into K program.		

In-Parish vs Out-of-Parish Tuition

2022-23 TUITION					
	In-Parish	Catholic Out-of-Parish	Non-Catholic		
PreK – 1 st Grade	\$6,315	\$7,150	\$7,540		
2 nd - 8 th Grades	\$5,775	\$6,540	\$6,900		

Tuition subject to increase 3% for the 2023-24 school year.

Will you receive IN-Parish or Out-of-Parish Tuition next year? See next page.



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.
- <u>A minimum amount of \$325.00 will be donated t</u>o the Church to support the stewardship program as an Identified Offertory Giver (IOG). IOGs will receive in-parish tuition. <u>Donations will be verified by December 15</u> 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.

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Children's Hospital - Service Project



Are you aware that undergarments are the most-needed items at our local Children's Hospital?

Help Support our Prekindergarten students as they collect

Socks, Undies, and Undershirts

for ages Preemie through 17 years old

Monday, November 7 - Monday, November 14

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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 <u>childprotection@mbsbr.org</u> 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** <u>here</u> and **Code of Ethics** <u>here</u>. 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.

The Cafeteria has started serving treats for grades 3-8. A couple of examples of treats are ice cream novelties and homemade chocolate chip cookies. It is impossible to provide a list of what is available due to supply issues.

- Students may purchase items if they have money in their My School Bucks account.
- Treats must be eaten in the cafeteria before returning to class and/or going to recess.
- If you do not want your child to purchase treats, please contact Mrs. Rose Woodruff at mbscafe@diobr.org. She can place a hold in their My School Bucks account.

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 for more information.</u>



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REGISTER NO\/!

FUN RUN 2022

The FunRun, MBS School's largest fundraiser has been moved to the FALL. By now, you should have received the FUNRUN instructions from your MBS Student.

- REGISTER here.
- Upload a Photo to create the student video
- Gather pledges per lap (35 laps) from friends & family
- Earn prizes based on the money raised
- Dress your student in Spirit Shirts for FUN RUN DAY, Friday, November 11.
- Parents who come to cheer on their student must report to the Office to get a nametag.

In the years past, we have asked MBS students and families about school needs & wants. This year, our students want their bathrooms renovated. Through your support, we have completed the following projects through the FUNRUN:

New student desks * new lockers grades 4-8 * courtyard redesign * playground movement & redesign * gym floor * surveillance cameras & parking lot lighting

Student

of

the

year

We are excited to announce the MBS Student of the Year candidates:

5th Grade:

- Korinne Aucoin
- Clayton Schexnaildre
- Jocelyn Berault
- Marian Duet

8th Grade:

- Henry Dang
- Emma Painter
- Olivia Sterken
- Claire Wicker

One 5th grader and one 8th grader will be chosen to represent MBS in the Diocesan Student of the Year Program. We are proud of these candidates!



MBS Church Bulletin:

The Church Bulletin has a new publisher, Diocesan. Please excuse the interruption in receiving these via email.



All are invited to 11:30 Mass, and process to the Gym for the final plessing.

Menu provided by Mens Club, Knights of Columbus, Catholic Daughters, & Martha Ministry

YOU'RE INVITED

Consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary



All are invited to bear witness to the Consecration of our school to the pierced hearts of Jesus and Mary. The 9-day Novena



will begin in Assembly on 11/8 and conclude on 11/17 at 9:15am outside the gym doors. Please join us for this very special occasion for our school.

Thursday, November 17



We are in need of 30 EMPTY large Clorox wipe containers. Please send yours to school, attention Penne Leier.

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> MBS Children: Ryan - Alum Luke - 7th grade

Kids eat free Mondays

- all-natural rotisserie chicken
- dry-rubbed chicken
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MBS Children: Flynn - 4th grade, Hayes - 1st grade

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> **MBS Daughter:** Nora Montet, PK



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MBS Children: Carson - Alumnus, Bella Rose - 6th grade

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



MBS Children: Hayes - 1st grade, **Emorie - 7th grade**

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MBS Son: Brady Pitre - 7th grade

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MBS Children: Capri Godso - Kindergarten



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

MBS Children: Tristan - 8th grade, Paisley - PK

MBS Children: Bentley - 5th grade Addison - Alum '22





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