

## The Pelican Express

#### JANUARY 5, 2023

## CALENDAR

#### Friday, January 6

- AR Free Dress for those who met their AR goal.
- Cookies & Hot Chocolate for students who met their AR goal.

#### Monday, January 9

- Re-Enrollment for Returning K-7 Students
- Kindergarten Hearing Screenings

#### Tuesday, January 10

- Report Cards emailed
- Science Fair setup

#### Wednesday, January 11

- Science Fair
- Kindness Club, 7:20, Library

#### Thursday, January 12

- Mass, 8:15am, Dress Uniforms
- 2nd Quarter Awards after Mass

#### Friday, January 13

Activities Shirt Day

#### Sunday, January 15

• Last day for Re-Enrollment for Returning K-7 Students

#### Monday, January 16

**Days** are

coming!

Professional

**Development** 

• No School - Martin Luther King Holiday

## Re-Enrollment January 9-15 page 2

Jan 17 - PRO Development for MS MS Does NOT attend school PK-5 attends school

<u>Jan 18 - PRO Development for PK-5</u> PK-5 Does NOT attend school MS attends school

## **Re-Enrollment for 2023-24**

## Kindergarten-7th Grade Students

- All existing students (K-7) who will remain at MBS for 2023-24 school year MUST RE-ENROLL through FACTS.
- Re-Enrollment takes place 1/9-1/15. The fee is \$360. <u>After the 15th, a \$100</u>
   <u>Late Fee will be added.</u> The re-enrollment fee is non-refundable.
- Tuition is not deducted in January due to this Re-Enrollment fee.
- If your student will not return, please UNENROLL.

## **Existing PK students**

- PK Students who applied to Kindergarten in November will be notified of acceptance on February 20.
- February 20-March 3, accepted students will be asked to "Enroll" in FACTS at that time. Enrollment fee is \$360 and is non-refundable.

## How to Enroll, Jan 9-15

All existing K-7 students who will attend school for the 2023-24 school year must RE-ENROLL this month.

If your student will NOT return, please login and "Unenroll" during this time.

- Please have your FACTS login information. Reminder: District Code is MBS-LA.
- Between January 9–15, parents must login to FACTS Family Portal.
- Click "Apply/Enroll"> "Enrollment/Re-Enrollment," and begin the Re-Enrollment process.
- There is a Re-Enrollment Fee of \$360 to be paid at the time of Re-enrollment.
- Those who miss the re-enrollment deadline of the 15th will be charged a \$100 late fee, for a total of \$460.
- There is no tuition withdrawal in January.

Spirit Shirts Sizes are communicated for the upcoming year during Re-Enrollment.

## Forward in Faith



### Saturday, February 4, 2023

Goodwood Library 7711 Goodwood Blvd, Baton Rouge, LA 70806

### 7:00-10:00 pm

Semi-formal attire preferred

#### The Evening Will Include: Open Bar Heavy Hors d'oeuvres Silent & Live Auctions Live Music by



For tickets, visit www.mbsauction.com

\*Tickets are available to purchase now!

\*Our Silent Auction will be showcased on Qtego again this year.

\*We will have two items to raffle!

\*Visit our AUCTION <u>site</u> for all of the details.

## **2023 LEGO Robotics After-School Enrichment**

Students in grades 1-5 build new projects each week as they learn different and exciting lessons that involve gears, (10) wheels, and axles, levers and pulleys.

DATE: Thursdays, from January 12 through February 16

WHERE: MBS School, Classroom TBD

TIME: 3:00pm-4:00pm

**INSTRUCTOR**: Mr. Rodney Wilson

**COST**: \$120

registration cutoff 1/9/23

## payment via facts

## RED CROSS BABYSITTER CERTIFICATION AGES 11-18 YEARS

#### 6 HOUR COURSE INCLUDES

- Certification in infant CPR/AED/Choking
- · Education and information on child development
- · Safety, business, and life skills
- · Certified RN with 20+ years of experience

## \$250 PER PERSON

#### FRIDAY, MARCH 3RD 4:00PM-6:00PM AND Saturday, March 4th 9:00AM-1:00PM

SATURDAY, MARCH 4TH 9:00AM-1:00PM 🔗

FOR REGISTRATION AND MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT HTTPS://PAYIT.NELNET.NET/FORM/EOUXXG64

## Register <u>here</u>



**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.

# Calendar Changes

## **Activities Shirt Days**

- Activities Shirt Days have been added to the calendar.
- On these days, please wear ANY MBS
- Club, Extra-Curricular, or Sports T-shirt
- with uniform bottoms, socks, & shoes.

## <u>Spring Updates</u>

The Administrative Team met over Christmas and updated the rest of the year activities. Please compare your personal calendar to the school calendar to note the changes.

#### **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.

## 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 https://smile.amazon.com/
- 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
- **\$3150** has been donated to MBS through November 2022.
- Click <u>here for more information</u>.

## January Menu click <u>here</u>

Cafeteria Menus are posted on our website as soon as our Cafeteria communicates to us..



## Cafeteria NEWS Cafe Help click <u>here</u>

## Primary Care **Plus<sup>♥</sup>**

4710 O'Neal Lane 225.926.7200 www.primarycareplus.com

Family Medicine Accepting New Patients Early Appointments Available

MBS kids: Arden 6th grade, Ryker 7th grade





MBS Children: James Davis, 4th grade



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## MBS Children: Luke - 2nd grade; Drew - ELC, 3YO



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



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

prairievilleanimalhospital.com



MBS Son: Brady Pitre - 7th grade

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MBS Children: Clayton - 5th grade Marilyn - 3rd grade Gwendolyn - K



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godsomotorsports.com 225 - 806 - 5817 MBS Children: Capri Godso - Kindergarten



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



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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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## **Facebook**

Angela, 241-7191

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



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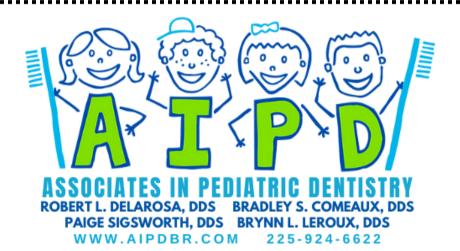


https://www.welshscleaners.com/

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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#### Where the Primary Focus Is You

#### George Branigan

Branch Manager NMLS# 1152078 MBS Children: Parker- 2nd grade Riley - 1st grade

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