

KNIGHTLINE

February 1, 2021

News and Announcements

LAST CALL TO SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS with the Diocese of Richmond Catholic Schools. Please complete [this brief survey](#). This is an anonymous survey and all responses will be aggregated for review purposes and will remain confidential. The survey will close on Friday, February 5.



Since 1974, **National Catholic Schools Week** is the annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. The theme for National Catholic Schools Week 2021 is "Catholic Schools: Faith. Excellence. Service." This week focuses on the value Catholic education provides to young people and its contributions to our church, our communities, and our nation.

Please watch this [message from Bishop Knestout](#). (Watch all the way to the end to see one of our classes!)

Each day has a corresponding theme. Here is what PCHS is doing to celebrate Catholic Schools Week.

- **Monday's theme is celebrating the Community.** PCHS partners with St. Kateri of Tekakwitha and St. Michael Parish in Boucan-Carre in the Diocese of Hinche in Haiti. Our donations this week will help students in the St. Michel community to attend either the primary school operated by the Little Sisters of St. Therese or the high school, managed by Fr. Michelet Lamarre. The more money we raise, the more Haitian students can receive a Catholic education that they would not otherwise be able to afford. Please feel free to support this school-wide fundraiser by sending in a donation with your student.
- **Tuesday is Celebrating Students.** We will have a free tag day and will continue to ask for donations for the Haiti project. There might also be a little treat for students that day.
- **Wednesday is Celebrating Vocations** and we will get a chance to thank Father Paul at Mass that day!
- **Thursday is Celebrating Our Nation** and all those who serve our country. Looks like a great day for a red, white, and blue tag day! \$1 and all donations will go to our school-wide fundraiser for students in Haiti.
- **Friday is Celebrating Faculty, Staff, and Volunteers:** The parents of Home and School will be providing a delicious lunch and students can do their part by honoring them for their dedication. We will also take a moment to thank all our volunteers.
- **Finally, Saturday is Celebrating Families.** Students are encouraged to plan a date with their family and remember to thank you for the sacrifices you make to send them



Are you ready for Spirit Week?



Secure Your Space for 21-22 Re-Enroll Today! A little over **ONE MONTH** left before the registration fee goes up to \$150. Re-Enroll for the 21-22 school year by Monday, March 15, and be entered to win a \$1,000 tuition credit! Please read the [Registration Letter](#) from Mrs. Franklin.

Need assistance with online re-enrollment? Appointments are available by phone, Zoom, or in-person. Contact [Alyson LeMaster](#) to schedule.

Flexible Tuition Applications are being accepted for the 21-22 school year.
Apply [here](#)

IMPORTANT DATES

FACTS Application Submission Date

On or before March 1, 2021

On or before April 1, 2021

On or before May 1, 2021

After May 1, 2021

Award Notification

By April 15, 2021

By May 15, 2021

By June 15, 2021

Within 2 weeks



All fall sports start practice on Thursday, February 25. Boys soccer, Girls tennis, all volleyball and cross country.



Service Hour Reminder: service hours were reduced for this school year (2020-2021) only. 10 hours for two-parent households; 5 hours for a single-parent household. Donations of purchased goods can fulfill service hours for the 20-21 school year only. Purchasing \$5 or more of goods per event is equivalent to 1 service hour. Any hours not served by Monday, May 31, 2021, will be assessed \$15 per hour for uncompleted time. An outstanding balance will preclude the release of report cards, transcripts, and/or diplomas. Parents

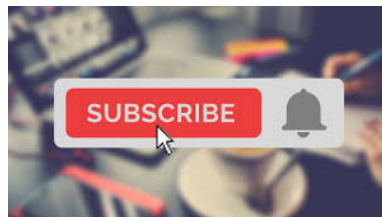
are responsible for entering their own service hours in FACTS Family online. If you are unsure of [How to enter Parent Service hours](#) the instructions can be found on the parents' page on [our website](#). You will see [Parents Service Hours](#) on the right-hand side.

Substitute Teachers Needed! Since teachers are asked to stay home at the slightest symptoms and with regular cold and flu season here, we would like to have a few more subs to call on. If you are interested in substitute teaching either for pay or volunteer hours, please contact [Mrs. Strickland](#).



To kick off Catholic Schools Week everything in the Spirit Shop will be 25% - 50% off. Help us make room for new styles and designs. The Spirit Shop is conveniently located in room 131. Click [here](#) for more details. Questions? Contact [Mr. Wiley](#).

If we can get more subscribers on our YouTube Channel, we will be able to stream more events so you can see them from home. We currently have 240 subscribers. Have you taken a moment to subscribe to the [PCHS YouTube Channel](#)? Feel free to subscribe to any and all of your email addresses. Thanks for your help!



KNIGHTS *Round Table*

Student newsletter: Knights Round Table was sent to all students on Friday, January 29. Check out the latest [issue](#) with news on athletics and student activities.

Auction News

Wow! We cannot thank Home & School enough for assisting with our Annual Benefit Auction. The support received is overwhelming. We are so excited to reveal the packages being assembled for each grade!

Do you have a skill or hobby you would like to offer to be part of our auction? Items, experiences, goods, and services are still being collected for our March 20-27 Virtual Auction.

Contact [Renee Minella](#) or [Tammy Wartell](#) for more details!

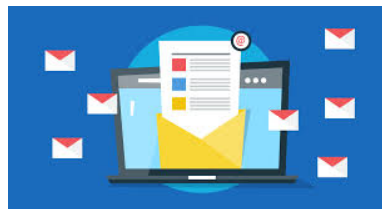


Parent Organizations



Calling All Used Uniforms. Parents, it is a new year and that means Spring Cleaning is right around the corner. If your child has outgrown their uniforms, please consider donating them to Home & School to be used for our Annual Used Uniform Sale. We will gladly accept uniforms at any time of the year. Clothing may be dropped off in the Main Office. Thank you for your support of PC and Home and School.

Home & School Email List: If you would like to be on the direct email list for Home & School (for information on service hour opportunities that may come up between meetings as well as occasional updates), please enter your information in this [form](#).



Volunteer Opportunities



Bingo Volunteers are Needed! The Knights of Columbus Council 5480 is in need of adults who are comfortable working with the public under the current social distancing guidelines.

- Masks and gloves will be mandatory for volunteers.
- Volunteers are needed from **5:30 pm - 10:30 pm on Thursdays.**
- It is a NON-smoking environment.
- Students are NOT permitted to volunteer at this time.

Help us support The Knights of Columbus who make a significant investment in Peninsula Catholic each year, allowing us to keep tuition affordable. If you can volunteer for bingo on a

Thursday in the future, please contact [Patrick McFadden](#) to secure your spot. It is a great way to satisfy your family's volunteer hours. Thank you for your support.

Please Note
Some pictures were taken prior to March 13, 2020.

