

We are a Catholic community dedicated to challenging the mind, strengthening the heart, and nourishing the spirit of every student.

Sept 25, 2020

Oct 1 Oct 10	School Board Meeting 6:30 PM Fall Harvest BAZAAR 9:00 - 2:00 (Stay tuned for more information)
Oct 15/16	No School - Teacher Inservice
Oct 21	No PM transportation
Oct 23	End of the First Quarter
Oct 30	Trunk or Treat 1:30 - 2:30 (see page 2)

MAP Testing: Students in grades 1-8 have begun MAP testing over the last couple weeks. Once we have completed all of the testing, teachers will send home individual reports. We generally test 2-3 times a year. Fall scores provide us with a baseline, winter scores allow us to check on progress, and spring scores will give us annual growth. Once you receive your child's report, please take some time to review their scores. Let us know if you have any questions.

Fall conferences are just around the corner. For this round of conferences, teachers will provide all parents with a student progress report and contact those parents who they feel they need to meet with virtually. Normally, we like to meet with all parents during the fall conferences but with COVID restrictions we are not able. Thank you for your understanding. As always, if you have any questions please feel free to contact your child's teacher.

Infinite Campus (IC): As we get closer to the end of the third quarter, parents will want to make sure their Infinite Campus accounts are set up completely. Report cards will only be available to view through the IC parent portal. If you have not received your activation code and instructions, please contact Mrs. Stroven at nstroven@olcschoolrockford.org. Please make sure to update her email in your contacts. Thank you!

The Cougar Den web-store is now open for sweatshirt orders. <u>CLICK HERE</u> to shop! Please remember that hooded sweatshirts are no longer allowed as part of the dress code. They are acceptable for color days. Long oversized cardigan sweaters are not allowed as well.

Thank you to everyone for donated their cans to the OLCEF Can Drive earlier this year! We will be partnering with a beverage distributing company to help recycle the cans, but they do not take bags of mixed materials. Now we need your help to sort them! We are asking that you help assist us to manage and sort this awesome amount of cans that you donated. Both youth and parents are encouraged to volunteer!

Opportunities to help sort: Wednesday (9/30) from 3:30 - 5 pm Thursday (10/1) from 3:30 - 5 pm Saturday (10/3) from 10 am - 2 pm Fr. Tony will be joining us to volunteer this day!

If you would like to help please bring your own gloves.

If you have any questions, please contact Luke Grant in the Faith Formation Office at 616-866-2577 or lgrant@olcparish.net

During this time of craziness, please take a minute each day to thank God for your blessings and to pray for the rest of us! Image what could happen if we all tried this.

Have a great weekend! Mr. Varner

