



St. Rose of Lima School

2021-2022 Blue/Gold MEMO from the Principal's Office

May 3, 2022

Dear School Families:

Congratulations to our First Communicants!

Congratulations to our 2nd graders who (over the past two weekends) have all received their First Holy Communion! They had wonderful weather and we look forward to recognizing them together as a school at our school's May Crowning Mass on May 13. I would also like to send a special thank you to the Director of Religious Education, Deborah Smaldore, and to our 2nd grade teachers Ms. Marconi, and Mrs. Murray. The First Communion preparation process is a long one and they put in long hours, often on weekends, to make sure our students were truly prepared for this beautiful sacrament.

Golf Outing

Thank you also for your support of the Golf Outing yesterday. We had a day packed with golf and fellowship and raised much needed funds for our school. I would like to send a special thank you to all of the hard-working organizers of this event. It was a great day and a huge success! We would like to send a special congratulations to Len Accardi, (parent of Siena in 8th Grade) who had a hole in one yesterday!

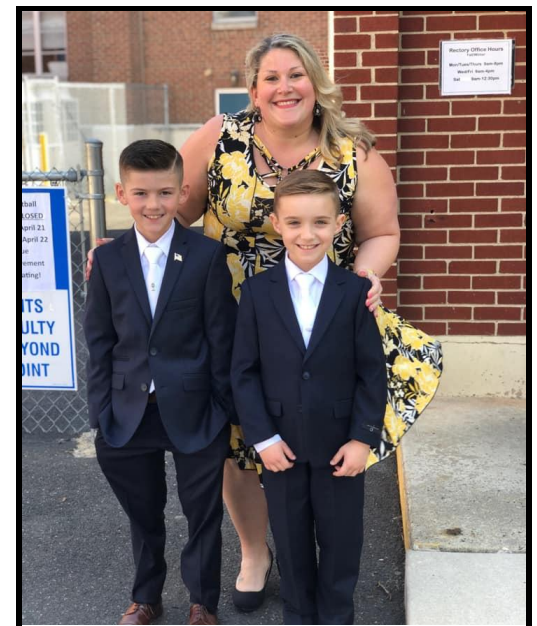
Springtime Slump

It is this time of year that students often become disinterested in school because they see that Summer is so near. Please continue to encourage your students to finish out the year strong and to avoid making careless mistakes because they feel that the year is already over.

Wishing all the mothers, aunts, sisters, and Godmothers out there a wonderful Mother's Day this weekend. Thank you and God Bless.

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-Deacon Joe





Calendar Corrections

It was brought to our attention that the 2022-2023 School Calendar had an incorrect date on it. The Christmas Bazaar is November 11, 2022. It was incorrectly listed as November 4, 2022. Please use [this updated calendar](#) for your planning purposes.



8th Grade Graduation Pictures

Due to unforeseen circumstances, 8th Grade Graduation pictures have been moved to **Thursday, May 12.**

April Students of the Month

April's Virtue was Prayerfulness. The April Students of the Month will be announced soon. If your child was chosen, you will receive an email before the school wide announcement. **May's Virtue is: Respect.** If you would like a printable page about Respect to hang at home to reinforce this month's virtue, [please click here.](#)



ExtraCare

April statements are being sent home this week. This month's weekly attendance forms are [available here.](#)

Recess Duty: May and June

Thank you to those of you who have volunteered for recess duty. There are still many dates in need of volunteers for May and June. Please see below for the schedule and



the SignUp Genius to volunteer. Thank you for supporting this program!

May - June Recess Schedule:

[Click Here for Recess Duty Schedule for May - June](#)

SignUp Genius to Volunteer:

[Click here for SignUp Genius for May through June](#)

Reading Incentive Program



Our 34th Annual Reading Incentive Program is ready to begin. The program will run for four weeks and will begin May 6th with all reading slips due by Friday, June 3rd, 2022. As we are getting so close to the end of the school year, our theme this year will be “Diving into Summer Reading!” Please read over the materials [attached here](#) for all the details.

Student Council Diaper Drive

May 16 - May 27, 2022

Guadalupe House is a family services organization located in Camden that is run by its founder Sister Helen Cole. We are asking the Saint Rose community to help Sister Helen in her mission and to support these families with diaper and baby wipe donations.

[Please click here for a flyer with more information.](#)



Thank you for your support!

National Junior Honor Society

The NJHS's third and final Community Cleanup will take place next **Monday, May 9th at 3:30pm at Newton Lake Park**. All members should wear the t-shirts they received earlier this year and make every effort to attend this final cleanup. We will be meeting at the same parking lot off the White Horse Pike as with previous cleanups. If there are any parents that would be willing to chaperone this event please email Ms. Crowell at pcrowell@strosenj.com.

Our application process for the National Junior Honor Society has begun for current 6th and 7th graders with a GPA of 3.5 (90%). [Click here](#) for more information on eligibility requirements. [Applications](#) must be submitted by Tuesday, May 10th, 2022 (no exceptions). An induction and an 8th Grade recognition ceremony will be held later this month or early June.



[Click here to view Episode two of The Falcon's Eye View Talk Show](#) where NJHS's guests take a look at SRS past and present! Coming up next will be a show that highlights St. Rose Performing Arts.

The Lion King Jr. Tickets

<p>St. Rose of Lima School is presenting...</p>  <p>May 12, 13 & 14</p>	<p>TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE!</p> <p>CLICK HERE TO PURCHASE!</p> <p>Join us as the Theater Arts come ROARING back!</p>
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Tickets for St. Rose of Lima's Performance of The Lion King Jr. are now available for purchase! [Click here to purchase tickets!](#) Please note:

- All seats are numbered and reserved (even bleacher seats)
- All tickets are \$12
- If you want to purchase tickets for multiple nights, the system will require you to make a separate purchase for each night.



Chick-fil-A Dine and Donate

To benefit the 8th Grade Dance

Monday, May 16, 2022

Barrington Location from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Please mention St. Rose when ordering. Orders can be placed in the drive through or at the counter, but the dine and donate is not applicable to mobile orders.



Dine & Donate

To benefit the 8th grade dance

**Monday, May 16th
Barrington Location
5-8pm**



Ladies' Choice Dance:

“Enchanted Evening”

Saturday, May 21

6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Bring your father or another special person in your life!

[Click here for tickets and more information!](#)

Mother/Son Event: Phillies vs. Dodgers

Sunday, May 22

Game: 1:05 PM

[Click here for more information and to purchase tickets.](#)



Falcon 5K Run

It's Back!! Falcon 5k Run or 1 Mile Walk*

[Click here for more information!](#)

Saturday May 28th

Rain or Shine @ 9 am

Refreshments provided by:



Will you be away for Memorial Day Weekend and still want to participate & get the cool tech t-shirt?! You can register to run/walk virtually! Yes, you can participate wherever you will be on Saturday 5/28!

***Awards for Top Finishers & Alumni
Age Group Awards & Door Prizes!!***



Laps for Learning 2022

Donations have started coming in for our Laps for Learning Event! Thank you to everyone who provided addresses. Currently the 2nd, 3rd, and 6th Grades are in the lead with donations, but every class is doing great. Keep up the good work talking about our event. We look forward to a GREAT day on May 20. Donations can be sent into the school or made [via PayPal here](#).



May & June Youth Ministry Events

Please [click here for important dates](#) coming up in April for St. Rose of Lima Youth Ministry.

St. Rose Basketball Camp

June 27 - 30, 2022

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Camp is open to all Boys and Girls entering grades 1-8 in Fall 2022! [Please click here for a flyer and to register.](#)



Community Summer Programs

Check out these Summer programs being offered at:

- [Camden Catholic High School Summer Programs](#)
- [Paul VI High School Summer Programs](#)
- Camden County Technical Schools
 - [CCTS Summer Programs Overview](#)
 - [CCTS List of Middle School Camp Offerings](#)



Important Upcoming Dates in May

Dates are subject to change and we will keep you updated if changes occur.

Date	Event
May 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Half Day 12:00 Dismissal/ 11:50 for Kindergarten ● Hoagie Pick up at Dismissal in Rose Garden (Prior purchase required.) ● Reading Incentive Program begins
May 9	NJHS Community Cleanup 3:30 p.m. Newton Lake Park
May 10	NJHS Applications due. (No exceptions) Open to current 6th and 7th Graders. See eligibility requirements here .
May 12	8th Grade Pictures (Note: this is rescheduled from May 6)
May 13	May Crowning at 8:30 Mass
May 12, 13 & 14	The Lion King Jr. Performances at 7:00 p.m. Purchase tickets here.
May 16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Beginning of Diaper Drive for Guadalupe House ● Chick-fil-A Dine & Donate to benefit the 8th Grade Dance
May 18	Ticket Deadline for Father Daughter/Ladies' Choice Dance
May 20	Laps for Learning: You can Donate Here! More details/schedules coming soon
May 21	Father Daughter/ Ladies' Choice Dance: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.
May 22	Mother/Son Event: Phillies vs. Dodgers. Get Tickets Here!
May 27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● End of Diaper Drive ● No School - Happy Memorial Day!
May 28	Falcon 5K Run/1 Mile Walk
May 30	No School - Happy Memorial Day!
May 31	NJHS Induction Ceremony - St. Rose of Lima Church at 6:30 pm