



# St. Rose of Lima School

2022-2023 Blue/Gold MEMO from the Principal's Office

April 3, 2023

Dear School Families:

I hope that everyone is having a blessed Lent. We have less than 2 days left before Easter break. Please see the Holy Week Schedule for St. Rose of Lima Parish on the right. I encourage you to bring your family to these beautiful services and Masses.

Congratulations to all of the people who planned or participated in the production of Frozen Jr. I know that it takes hours and hours of hard work to produce something of that spectacular quality. I also know that there are so many behind the scenes tasks that go unnoticed. You should all be commended on a job well done. Our Arts Program is as special as it is, because of you. Thank you for giving our children this gift.

**Reminder: Spring Uniforms Start April 17**  
Spring Uniforms will begin when we return from Easter Break on Monday, April 17. [Please refer to the student handbook here for uniform requirements.](#)

The year starts to feel like it begins to move twice as fast once Easter break is over. I look forward to celebrating all of our accomplishments this year as we finish the year strong.

Finally, I would like to thank everyone for the prayers and support for my brother Jim. Every prayer and word of encouragement has been a great help.

Thank you and God Bless.

*-Deacon Joe*



## HOLY WEEK

at St. Rose of Lima

**Palm Sunday- April 2**  
Saturday 4/1 Vigil at 5:30pm  
Sunday 4/2 Masses at 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 5:30pm

*There are NO MORNING MASSES during the Triduum, Thursday 4/6– Saturday 4/8*  
*Join us for MORNING PRAYER in the Chapel at 8:30am*

**Holy Thursday- April 6**  
Parish Office closes at 12 noon  
8:30am Morning Prayer–chapel  
7:00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper  
followed by Adoration until 10:00pm in the chapel

**Good Friday, April 7**  
Parish Offices closed  
8:30am Morning Prayer–chapel  
3:00pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion

**Holy Saturday, April 8**  
8:30am Morning Prayer–chapel  
12:00pm Blessing of Easter Food Baskets in Church  
8:00pm Easter Vigil Mass

**Easter Sunday, April 9**  
8:00am Mass  
9:30am Mass  
11:00am Mass  
12:30pm Mass  
*(note there is NO 5:30pm Evening Mass on Easter Day)*

## Winter Sports Night: 6:30 pm in Gym TOMORROW (Tuesday)

Reminder: Tomorrow is Winter Sports Night in our gym. This event is for athletes in 3rd - 8th grade. There will be pretzels and cookies and water for the students. (No dinner.)

It is a fun night! **Please note that the original time was 6:00 p.m. but it has been changed to 6:30.**

## Message from the Nurses

Please reinforce for your children that they are not permitted to text or call their parents from their personal phones when they do not feel well. Children who are feeling under the weather must first be examined by the nurse. The nurse will reach out to the parents to pick the children up when it is necessary. Children have been texting their parents to pick them up without the nurse's knowledge and this has become much more frequent.



## Third Quarter Report Cards

Third Quarter report cards will be posted in the Parent Portal on **Monday, April 17, 2023**. Please log in to RenWeb to see your child/children's report card.

## Registration Packets

Please remember to turn in your re-registration packets that were sent home (with the youngest or only child in each family) by no later than **April 28, 2023**



## AfterCare News:

[The April Aftercare form is available here](#). March aftercare bills will be going out soon. On Wednesday, April 5, there is 12:00 dismissal, and **NO AFTERCARE**. Have a wonderful Easter holiday with your family and friends!

## Student Lateness

We are noticing an increase in chronic student lateness to school. Students are considered late after the 8:10 bell. We understand that sometimes being late is unavoidable, but please make it a priority to get your child to school on time as it does disrupt the class and your child's morning. Thank you for your understanding.

## Rose Garden

If you are visiting the Rose Garden, please be mindful of our rose bushes and rocks in the garden. If your children are visiting the garden, please keep them away from the bushes. We appreciate all our volunteers that help keep the Rose Garden beautiful and we want to help them keep the roses blooming for all to enjoy. Thank you so much

## Scholarship Information

- **Joann Hoke Scholarship (open to students entering grade 5)**  
Please [click here for application](#). **Due: Monday, May 1, 2023**
- **Frank S. and Agnes V. Batavick Family Scholarships:** This will be the 3rd year of the Batavick Family Scholarships, a [Scholarship Fund in memory of their parents](#). The scholarship fund will provide tuition assistance to families in need. There will be no application process this year and the funds will be used as part of our tuition assistance program. We are very grateful to the Batavick Family and look forward to continuing to work with them on this scholarship fund!



## **Congratulations to our March Students of the Month**

March's Virtue was Obedience. We will be announcing our students of the month at Mass this Wednesday morning. We look forward to sharing the winners soon! **April's Virtue is: Prayerfulness.** If you would like a printable page about Prayerfulness to hang at home to reinforce this month's virtue, [please click here](#).

**Students OF THE MONTH** Role Models in the virtue of: **OBEDIENCE**

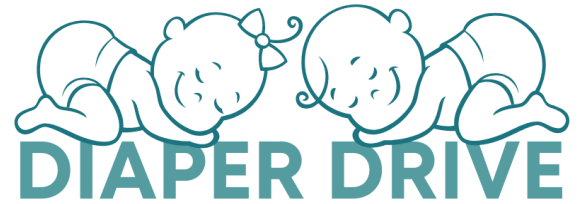
*Congratulations!*  
March 2023 Students of the Month

Kindergarten: \_\_\_\_\_ 5th Grade: \_\_\_\_\_  
1st Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ 6th Grade: \_\_\_\_\_  
2nd Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ 7th Grade: \_\_\_\_\_  
3rd Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ 8th Grade: \_\_\_\_\_  
4th Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Specials: \_\_\_\_\_

**TOP SECRET**

## Student Council Diaper Drive

The Student Council is planning a Diaper Drive to benefit the Guadalupe House that will run from **April 17 through May 5**. **Size 5 and 6 diapers are the most needed.** [Click here for more information.](#)



## Game Over!!!



**Congratulations** to our All-Star readers in this year's World Series Reading Incentive Program. A special thank you to all the teachers and parents who have donated so generously to this program! Our prize drawing will take place after spring break.

## St. Rose Children's Choir

A new session of the St. Rose Children's Choir will be starting soon!

See the [attached flyer](#) for more details



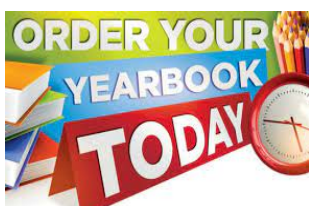
## National Junior Honor Society

Thank you to all those who donated to our Pretzel for a Purpose collection for Catholic Relief Services for the families devastated by the earthquakes in Syria and Turkey. Our next Pretzel for a Purpose will be April 28th.

Our application process for the National Junior Honor Society will be starting soon. Current 6th and 7th graders with a GPA of 3.5 (90%) will be invited to apply for next year. [Click here](#) for more information on eligibility requirements.



## Last Call for 2022-2023 Yearbooks



Yearbooks are on sale now for \$30, with two options for ordering. Please make checks payable to:  
St. Rose of Lima School [OR order online here.](#)

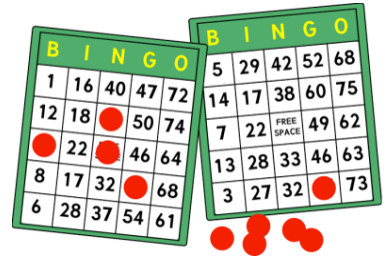
Orders due NOW!

# CANDY BINGO

Grandparents Club Candy Bingo

April 29 @ 6:30 pm.

[Click here for a registration flyer.](#) This is a great event for the whole family to attend with Grandparents and other relatives. There are limited spots available and this event will be happening soon after we return from Easter Break. Register as soon as possible!



## Save the Date - BAG BINGO!

**May 13, 2023 - 6:30 pm**

\$40 ticket cost includes dinner and Bingo Card for 10 Bingo Games, plus a ticket for door prizes. There will be door prizes, a separate basket raffle, a 50/50 and more!

This event is open to the public. Registration coming soon! (We are not permitted to sell tickets until our license comes through. Stay tuned!)



REGISTER NOW!



**SAINT ROSE of LIMA**  
PARISH

# GOLF

# OUTING

MONDAY, JUNE 5, 2023



3800 Haddonfield Rd.  
Pennsauken, NJ

Time	Event
11:00	Registration
12:00	Lunch
1:00	Shotgun Start
6:00	Dinner and Awards

\$175

PER PERSON

Register via PayPal at [www.stroseoflimaschoolnj.com](http://www.stroseoflimaschoolnj.com)

## Golf Outing

### NEW DATE & NEW LOCATION

The Annual St. Rose of Lima Golf Outing will be held on June 5, 2023 this year. This is a really fun event that benefits the school! [Please click here for more information or to register for the event.](#)

### **Sponsors Needed!**

Interested in being a sponsor for the Golf Outing? You can reach out to [joshua.c.haas@gmail.com](mailto:joshua.c.haas@gmail.com) for more information.

#### **REGISTRATION & SPONSORSHIP INFORMATION:**

For more information, e-mail [joshua.c.haas@gmail.com](mailto:joshua.c.haas@gmail.com)

**Mother/Son Event: Philles vs. Dodgers**

**Friday, June 9**

**Game: 7:05 PM**

[Please click here for the info page with more information.](#)



**Basketball Camps this Summer:**

**St. Rose Basketball Camp:**

For Boys and Girls entering grades 1-8

June 26-29: 9 AM – 12PM

[Click here for registration flyer.](#)

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**BASKETBALL  
CAMP**

**[Tim Lenahan Basketball Camp:](#)**

For Boys and Girls entering grades 1-11

Dribbling Camp: July 31-Aug 3 (9AM – 12PM)

Shooting Camp: Aug 7 – 10 (9AM – 12 PM)

[Register Here](#)

**Summer Programs/Community Bulletin Board**

Visit our [Community Bulletin Board here](#) for information on the following programs and camps this summer:

- eClose Institute Summer Science Program
- Camden Catholic High School Summer Programs
- Paul VI High School Summer Programs
- Haddon Heights Field Hockey



## Important Upcoming Dates

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

Date	Event
April 4	Winter Sports Night: 6:30 p.m.
April 5	<b>Half Day</b> - 12:00 Dismissal ( <b>NO AFTERCARE</b> )
April 6 -16	Easter Recess. School resumes on <b>April 17, 2023</b>
April 17	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Spring Uniform Start Date</li> <li>2. Report cards posted in RenWeb</li> <li>3. Student Council <a href="#">Diaper Drive</a> Begins</li> </ol>
April 28	Falcon Friday & Re-Registration Packets Due
April 29	<a href="#">Grandparent's Club Candy Bingo</a> 6:30 p.m. More information & Registration coming soon!
April 30	iRace for Vocations: <a href="#">More info here</a> .
May 1 (Deadline Extended)	<a href="#">Joann Hoke Memorial Scholarship</a> (for 5th graders) due
May 5	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. 8th Grade Graduation Pictures</li> <li>2. Deadline for Student Council <a href="#">Diaper Drive</a></li> <li>3. <b>HALF DAY - NOON Dismissal</b></li> </ol>
May 6 & 7	First Holy Communion Services
May 13	<i>Save the Date:</i> Boy Band Bag Bingo @ 6:30 pm
May 19	Laps for Learning
June 2	<b>Half Day</b> and 8:30 Mass
June 5	<a href="#">Golf Outing</a> : <b>NEW DATE!</b>
June 9	Mother Son Event
June 12	8th Grade Dinner Dance 6:00 p.m.
June 14	<b>Half Day</b> Dismissal & 8th Grade Graduation (2:00 p.m.)
June 15	Kindergarten Graduation - 1:00 p.m.
June 16	Falcon Friday
June 19, 20, 21	Emergency Make-Up Days
June 21	Tentative Last Day - Mass at 8:30 a.m.

**June 26-29**

**[St. Rose Basketball Camp](#)**