

SMA Daily Bulletin October 12, 2018 Day 5



What's' the **GOOD NEWS...I**t's all about how we treat one another – it's all about the relationship. This weekend, on Thanksgiving, though the Gospel was a bit odd as it shared the Pharisees trying to catch Jesus and so they ask him about divorce. Jesus, once again reminds them, and us, to think about how we treat people. Do we use them and then when we have what we want or someone better comes along, we toss them away? The bar to discipleship is higher than that. We are called to ponder the relationships we get into and ask ourselves, does this person bring out the best in me and make me a better person? Can I be myself with them or am I always pretending to be someone I am not? The law of love that Jesus is challenging us to is to treat others with respect and dignity and that begins with ourselves.

**CHARISM CORNER...** Well, a big THANK YOU to everyone who participated in MMR week – by joining the activities, teaching lessons, celebrating together at Mass or meeting your prayer pals. Speaking of Prayer Pals...Everyone in the school has an SNJM prayer pal. AND the SNJM have SMA praying for them, too! SO, if your reps have not shared the prayer pal card with your class, please ask then about it and start to connect with your prayer pal through email, remembering her in your class prayer, sending a picture of your class to her, inviting her in for a visit or arranging a video call. Let's keep the spirit alive!

# FROM THE SCHOOL:

## Campus Ministry Breakfast Club: what is it?

Food, Faith, Friends and Fun! Calling all Campus Ministry reps, and anyone who would like to learn more and get involved. Please join us for CM Breakfast Club this Friday, October 12 at 7:50 am, in the Old Aud. Don't forget to bring a snack to share!

## 2018 Archdiocesan Family Day:

On October 27, 2018, the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry are co -hosting a Family Festival for the entire archdiocesan community. The theme is, "One Grace, One Family, One Mission" (John 17: 21).

The OYYAM would like to extend an invitation to the all the youth of the community to join them for this special event.

Come join us

- To celebrate our faith and God's universal grace as a family that is united regardless of cultural and ethnic differences
- To deepen our understanding and appreciation of our role as family members in the parish and the Archdiocese
- To empower each member of the family to live out the mission that God has bestowed upon us to be missionary disciples in the new millennium
- To share our Time, Talents, and Treasures, leading us to spiritual growth and maturity of faith

More information and registration forms are available on the Campus Ministry Board outside Mrs. Steeves Office or go to: <a href="https://www.bit.ly/archwpgfamilyfest2018">www.bit.ly/archwpgfamilyfest2018</a>





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## D.E.A.R. - Drop Everything and Read

Monday, Oct. 15, 2018 -- We will be celebrating "Manitoba School Library Day" on Monday, Oct. 15. We'd like to invite everyone to join us for "Drop everything and read" from 11:10 to 11:30 a.m.

All are welcome to come to the library to get a book, including graphic novels or a magazine before or at 10:30 break.

### **GREEN TEAM:**

Just a reminder that GREEN TEAM meets every day 1 at 1:05 in Room 304. Sister Josephine will be coming to speak about WATER at our next meeting on MONDAY, OCTOBER 15th at 1:05. All students and staff are welcome!

## **3D PRINTING AND DESIGN CLUB:**

Attention all students grades 7-12 - are you interested in 3D printing and design? Would you like to print your own customized designs? Do you just want to know how this all works? Come join the 3D printing club! We will have a brief info meeting on Monday, October 15 at 1:05 in B-04. If you cannot get to the meeting please see Mr. Villa.

#### ATTENTION ALL OOMPA LOOMPAS:

Oompa loompa chorus 4: Fri. Oct 12 Please bring your lunch and go to room 401 at 12:35pm to begin making your costume. **IMPORTANT: Please wear knee socks on your meeting day.** 

Featured oompa loompas please come during a free lunch hour next week. Please contact Ms Falconer (room 401 or <u>sfalconer@smamb.ca</u>) with any other questions.

#### WILLY WONKA:

Attention children's chorus and cooks chorus. Please come to an important meeting on Monday, Oct. 15 at 1:05pm in room 401. Please see Ms. Falconer if you can't make it.

#### WILLY WONKA ORNAMENTS & PRODUCTION DONATIONS:

You can now purchase your 2018 SMA Musical Production keepsakes  $\bigcirc$ ! Please pick up a form in the Drama Lab (from the table by the whiteboard) and return it with your cheque for \$10. If you would like to purchase Ad space in our program, or have your family name printed in our program as a donor, then those forms can be picked up in the same location. Please contact Ms. MacKinnon (<u>mmackinnon@smamb.ca</u>) if you have questions.



#### CAREERS:

**October 16 (1:00-1:30 pm)** Stop by Junior Achievement @ SMA outside the cafeteria An exciting hands-on afterschool program that gives you the opportunity to join a group of peers to design, organize and operate a real company....

### October 17 (1:05 – 2:00 PM) Old Aud.

Mr. Chell and Ms. Fennell's University Athletics Presentation All interested in becoming a college level student-athlete are welcome

## October 18th (9:00 - 10:00 AM) Atrium

U.S. College Expo @SMA All interested students grade 9-12 welcome

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**Grades 9-12** students and families have a chance to win a \$500 USCE Scholarship when registering and referring a friend (admission is free). Register@ <u>https://uscereg.com/schooltours/reg/reg1\_start.asp?loc=7</u>

**Grades 11 & 12** planning to attend post-secondary out-of-province **ONLY** 40 Canadian Universities will be present @ FRC Thurs, **Nov 8th**, 9:30 - 11:00 AM See Ms. Fennell for a permission form.

## JUNIOR DANCE:

Christ the King School is hosting a Halloween dance! The dance will be on Thursday, October 18th from 7:00 - 10:00pm and admission is \$5. Costumes are strongly encouraged, but please make sure they are school appropriate with no masks. Bring your school ID and \$5 with you to the dance as well as money for the canteen. Signup sheets are in the school office.

### **INTERNATIONAL DAY:**

This will be our 44<sup>th</sup> Annual International Day at SMA. This is the largest fundraiser for the Parents' Guild during the year. The monies raised goes directly back to enriching the lives of our girls at SMA. In the past we have purchased 3-D printers and video monitors throughout the school that loop upcoming activities and valuable school information.

We are asking for every family to provide a donation for the Rainbow Auction. Donations can be new/purchased items, cash/gift card donation of ANY denomination. There will be a volunteer near the library from 8:30-9:00 during the week of October 8-15. Thank you all in advance, looking forward to seeing everyone celebrate our cultural diversity here at SMA!

### FROM THE CORNER STORE:

<u>Reminder</u> - orders for SMA Charm Necklaces are <u>due this Sunday, October 14th</u>! Check out all the samples in the Corner Store - activity charms, grad charms, initials, birthstones and more! TCBY will be available Friday for \$2.50!

## SERVICE LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES:



Looking to serve? See the service learning board for information on upcoming events and opportunities. (The board is in the tower outside Sr. Michelle's office)

### INTERNATIONAL DAY:

An inaugural, UNIQUE and fun Service learning opportunity right here at SMA! If you are in Grade 9-12 and are free from 10 am-2:30 pm on Sunday October 21st and looking to have fun at International Day...this is for you! Sign up to be a "buddy" with a senior who has never experienced International Day. You will greet them when they arrive at 10 am, sit with them at Mass, have reserved seating with them in the caf and for entertainment. You will be their PERSONAL TOUR GUIDE around the world! Sign up beginning on WEDNESDAY -space is limited to 18 participants. Don't delay and TRAINING session will be provided!! This is being sponsored by Residence Despins.

## Are you in GRADE 9-12? CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL FASHION SHOW: NEEDS THREE MORE VOLUNTEERS!

The Bear Essentials Fashion Show and Dinner On Oct 17th (Wednesday) at the Fort Gary Hotel, 6-9 pm Responsibilities may include: Assisting Fashion Models from Panache with dressing backstage, ticket selling prior to

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dinner and during the dinner and Monitoring prize table. Please contact Gladys Stewart ASAP - email gladyslstewart@gmail.com

## HOLY ROSARY SPAGHETTI DINNER

Holy Rosary is looking for volunteers to help with their spaghetti dinner on Sunday, October 21<sup>st</sup> 4- 6 students are needed between 3:00-6:00 pm. You would help clear tables and serve coffee and juice. This Service experience is open to all grade 7 and 8 students. \*\*Uniforms are required Please call Julia Garofalo at 204-990-3382 to volunteer.

**MULVEY SCHOOL** is looking for Music and Dance students who would like to be of service. If you play piano and are able to tutor younger students with lessons after school, please see the service learning board by Sr. Michelle's office for contact information.

The Anxiety Disorder Association of Manitoba is looking for 6 students (must be 17 years of age) to help at their gala <u>from 5:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 10th, 2018</u>. The students would assist with greeting guests, help guests at the silent auction table, and gather up donation cards and envelopes. They would receive support and direction from an on-site supervisor who is a member of our staff team. Contact Mary Williams at <u>director@adam.mb.ca</u> or see the poster on the Service board outside of Sr. Michelle's office.

# FROM THE WORLD OF SPORTS:

## **GRADE 9-12 INDOOR SOCCER PLAYERS PRACTICE:**

Sunday, October 14 9:00-10:30 am ALL MUST ATTEND

<u>Grade 7/8 students:</u> if you are interested in getting some service hours done..... Mrs. O'Leary has an amazing opportunity for you in the gym either Scorekeeping and/or working in the canteen on Friday, October 12 and/or Saturday, October 13. Please see for more info.



