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SMA School Bulletin

September 9, 2019 Day 3

MISSION & CHARISM CORNER

Well, we are out of the gate and the year is off to a good start! Sometimes, at the pace we go around here, it feels like a race. The challenge for us is to remember our goal is to be the best version of ourselves that God has created us to be. When we do this, we are not allowing obstacles on our path to stop us. There will always be things and people who tempt us from doing what is right and good. Even Jesus experienced it! Mother Marie-Rose (MMR, you will hear more about her in the next few weeks), had her very own brother try to derail her from where she knew God was calling her. A Christian is attentive with their head and their heart. So, get involved, try new activities or clubs, serve others, drop the bad attitude, remember the world is bigger than you and be the best disciple you can be!

FROM THE SCHOOL

Please remember in your prayers the entire grade 12 class who are on retreat on Wednesday.

CAMPUS MINISTRY

Campus Ministry Breakfast Club: what is it? Food, Faith, Friends and Fun! Please join us for our FIRST CM Breakfast Club of the year on Friday, September 13th at 7:50am, in the Old Aud. Breakfast Club is open to everyone! Bring a friend and a snack to share.

ACADEMY BISTRO

The cafeteria is open and a full menu is available from our new food service provider, Academy Bistro. Food service is available from 7:30 AM to 1:30 PM. Academy Bistro accepts debit, credit, Apple pay, loadable cards and cash. Academy Bistro's daily menu and monthly features are available from the homepage of our website

PICTURE DAY

Tuesday, Sept 10 - make sure you have your forms completed for the photography company!

CALLING ALL SINGERS AND MUSICIANS!

Calling all Singers and Musicians! There is a Con Spiritu Choir rehearsal today, Sept 9 from 1:00 - 1:30 in the Music room. All Are Welcome!

SENIOR ELECTIVES

Senior high students requiring a change in electives are to ensure they have switched by Sept 18.



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DRAMA DEPARTMENT

This year's production will be Rodger's and Hammerstein's The Sound Of Music and auditions will be held the week of Sept 9-12th! If you are interested, and let's hope a lot of you are, come on down to the Atrium (the space right beside Alumnae Hall) to pick up an audition package and sign up for your audition slot! If you have any questions please feel free to email Ms. Davey or Ms. Dell'Acqua, or come and visit us in the Drama Lab! SMA is alive with The Sound Of Music!

DEBATE

Attention all SMA Debaters! If you are enrolled in either the Intermediate or Advanced Debating course, or if you are interested in joining the debating club, please meet in Room 101 on Wednesday, September 11 at 1:05 pm with Mr. McCaffrey and Mrs. Lucas. We will determine times and finalize the schedule. See you there.

PEER TUTORS

Students in Grades 9-12 who are interested in being a Peer Tutor, please see Mrs. Dado in Room 311 for an application form.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

Any current Grade 11 student interested in working a couple of hours a week at the front reception, please submit your resume to Mrs. Klus by Friday Sept 13 at 12:00 p.m.

FROM THE WORLD OF SPORTS

HIGH SCHOOL HOCKEY TRYOUTS

September 9: 4:40 PM on ReMax Rink September 12: 5:30 PM on RRCO Rink September 16: 5:00 PM on Canadian Tire Rink September 18: 5:05 PM on Canadian Tire Rink All tryouts held at the Bell MTS Iceplex. If you have questions, please contact Mr. Noel Rautert at nrautert@smamb.ca.

GOLF

Open to all Grades 9 to 12 students with some golf experience. We are building a new team this year, all interested students are encouraged to tryout. Tryout takes place on September 11 at 3:00 PM at Tuxedo Golf Course. Interested students are asked to contact Mr. James Villa for a permission slip jvilla@smamb.ca.

CROSS COUNTRY

Cross Country is open to all students in Grades 7 to 12. Upcoming practices are as follows: September 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 at 7:15 AM at SMA . A complete list of practices and meets is found on our website at www.smamb.ca/student-life/athletics/view/10/cross-country-senior/. If you have questions, please contact Mr. Demetro Danyluk at ddanyluck@smamb.ca.



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VOLLEYBALL TRYOUTS

Grade 8 Tryouts: September 10: 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM September 12: 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM
September 13: 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM

FINAL Grade 9 Tryouts: September 9: 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM September 11: 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM.
If you have questions, please contact Mrs. Jen O'Leary at joleary@smamb.ca.

GRADE 7 VOLLEYBALL MEETING

All students in Grade 7 that are interested in playing on a school volleyball team please come to a very important meeting on Wednesday September 11 at 1:05 in the gym. All interested must attend. See Mrs. O if more information is needed.

SERVICE LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

St. Amant is looking for Volunteers! The Free the Spirit Festival on September 28th from 10-2 is a great way to get involved with your community and give back to St. Amant! Your time ensures an incredible experience for our guests and helps raise funds for people with developmental disabilities and autism. Shifts are two hours long and to show our thanks, you'll receive a t-shirt and a meal voucher to cover your lunch. There are many shifts and activities to choose from please email Danny Ali at dali@stamant.ca Please see Sr. Michelle's bulletin Board for more information.

See the bulletin board outside Sr. Michelle's office for more opportunities.

BEYOND THE SCHOOL

JUNIOR DANCE

Attention all grade 7 and 8 students, summer may be over, but there's still time to dance the night away! This Friday, September 13th, SJB is hosting the first dance of the year from 7 - 10pm. Tickets are only \$5 and can be purchased at the door. Along with some great music they will have a canteen available for snacks. If you are interested in going, please write your name and grade on the sign up sheet in the office by the end of the day on Wednesday to make sure you're on the list. If you have any questions please see Ms. Thibodeau



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