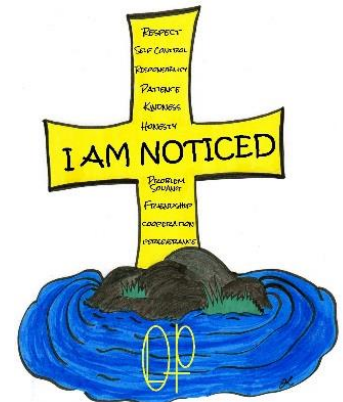


# OLP's Weekly Update September 7, 2017

## OLP's CALENDAR NEXT WEEK:

- ❖ **Monday, Sept 11: Specials Rotation B**
  - Student Health Screenings
  - Room Parent Meeting, 2:45 p.m., Mulligan Room
  - **I AM NOTICED Mandatory Parent Meeting, 6:30 p.m., in the Church**
- ❖ **Tuesday, Sept 12: Specials Rotation C**
  - Student Health Screenings
- ❖ **Wednesday, Sept 13: Specials Rotation A**
  - All School Mass, Lector: Nic V.
  - Midterms, Grades 3 - 8
  - Teacher & Staff Luncheon, provided by 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Class
- ❖ **Thursday, Sept 14: Specials Rotation B**
  - Cheerleader Parent Meetings, 2:30 **or** 6:30 p.m., Etue Room
- ❖ **Friday, Sept 15: NOON DISMISSAL - SPIRIT DAY**
  - **Specials Rotation C**
  - **ACED ½ Day (Noon - 6:00 p.m.)**
  - **PTO Golf Tournament, 1:00 Shotgun Start**



Be the ROCK in your RIPPLE!

## PTO GOLF TOURNAMENT SHAMROCK HILLS GOLF COURSE FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1:00 P.M.

**One week and counting!** Join OLP families and supporters for the 29th Annual PTO Golf Tournament, on **September 15, at Shamrock Hills Golf Club!** The proceeds from this event provide funding for the PTO, (assisting with teacher requests, Catholic Schools Week, and much, much more!) How can you help?

- ◆ Register to play either online, at this [Tournament Link](#), or return the paper [Registration Form](#) to school;
- ◆ Become a Panther Partner sponsor (PTO receives 10% of general financial donations)
- ◆ Become a Hole Sponsor (\$250 donation to PTO)
- ◆ Support the tournament through food/drink/volunteering at the course. Please take a look at the [Sign-Up Genius](#), and consider helping out. We truly appreciate your support!

Contact Katie Reddig, Tournament Chair at [golf@olplsschool.org](mailto:golf@olplsschool.org) with any questions. Thank you for any and all support!



## **SCHOOL BUSINESS:**

**SCHOOL CALENDAR:** A [printable version of the school calendar](#) is now posted to the Secure Parent Page on the school website. Please note that this is the best printable version available at this time. Days that have lots of information will have items that are cut off, due to space; although you will be able to see one line of each item. In those cases, you can view the full item on the website. [School Calendar Website Link](#)

### **Q & A OF THE WEEK:**

**Q:** *Where can I find the password for the Secure Parent Page?*

**A:** The password for the Secure Parent Page can be found on the inside cover of the Parent Handbook you received at Back-to-School Night. If you cannot locate your copy of the Handbook, please contact the school office. The password cannot be sent to you in an email, for security reasons; however, the school office can give you the password verbally, or send it home with your child, on paper. ***Please do not share the password with anyone who is not a current school year parent or guardian.***

**HEALTH SCREENINGS:** The Health Room will be doing the annual student health screenings on **Monday, September 11, and Tuesday, September 12.** Parent volunteers are needed to help do vision, hearing, height and weight screenings. Volunteers will be provided with any necessary training, and lunch will be provided on both days. The nurses are looking for volunteers who are available all day on either Monday or Tuesday, or both days. Screenings will start at 8:15 a.m. each day, and continue all day Monday, and as long as needed on Tuesday to complete screenings for all students.

***At this time, five volunteers are still needed for Monday, and two volunteers are needed for Tuesday.*** Please email Mrs. Rupp and Mrs. Chamberlin at [nurses@olpls.org](mailto:nurses@olpls.org), if you are available to help. Any help you can offer is appreciated. Only with the help of parent volunteers can this important screening be done early in the school year and finished so quickly. ***Thank you!***

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** Mrs. Daugherty is looking for volunteers to assist students with the Barton Spelling and Reading program. If you are interested in more information, please contact Colleen Daugherty at [cdaugherty@olpls.org](mailto:cdaugherty@olpls.org).

**SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS - GENERAL INFORMATION:** For current listings of all volunteer positions, throughout the school year, visit the [Volunteer Page](#) on the school website. It is easily accessible by clicking the large "Volunteer Button" on the homepage. It also has links to [OLP'S Volunteer Letter](#), which outlines requirements that must be met by all regular school volunteers, and to the [Virtus website](#), where you may register for the required Protecting God's Children (PGC) class. ***Many thanks to all who give their time and talent to our Blue Ribbon School!***

**PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN CLASS:** If you need to take the Protecting God's Children Class, mentioned above, note that there are two upcoming sessions scheduled at Presentation. The first is scheduled for **Thursday, September 28, at 6:30 p.m., in the Auditorium (Cafeteria).** The second is scheduled for **Saturday, October 14, at 8:00 a.m., in the Mulligan Room.** Classes meet for approximately 3 hours. Additional dates and times are offered at various locations throughout the metro area. Visit the [Virtus website](#) for a full listing, and to register for the class of your choice.

## **ACADEMICS:**

**I AM NOTICED PARENT MEETING:** Plan to attend the upcoming [Mandatory Parent Meeting](#) on **Monday, September 11, at 6:30 p.m., in the Church\***. Note that the location of the meeting has been changed to the Church worship space, in order to accommodate all school parents. Please check in with school staff members as you arrive, to receive a special letter from your child, which will be used during the meeting. At this meeting, you will have the opportunity to meet the facilitators and creators of the *I AM Noticed* Program, and learn about implementation of the program at OLP this year.

## **EXTRACURRICULAR:**

**CHORISTERS:** Choristers is now open to new members from 3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grades. Detailed information can be found on the [Choristers Page](#) of the parish website. Scroll to the bottom of the page for enrollment information. To enroll in *Schola*, students must be enrolled in either the elementary or middle school section of Choristers, and must audition. Auditions will take place at each sectional rehearsal for the next two weeks. Questions? Please contact Mr. David Armstrong, at [darmstrong@olpls.org](mailto:darmstrong@olpls.org).

**CALLING ALL CHEERLEADERS!** All girls in 3rd - 8th grades are welcome to join OLP Cheer. There will be an informational parent meeting on **Thursday, September 14, in the Etue Room, from 2:30 - 3:00 p.m.** If you can't make it, there will be a second meeting that evening, also in the Etue Room, from **6:30 - 7:00 p.m.** It is highly recommended that you attend one of the meetings, if possible, even for returning cheerleaders. We will discuss changes from last year, fees, schedule, requirements, and deadlines. If you have any questions please feel free to contact us at [olppanthercheer@gmail.com](mailto:olppanthercheer@gmail.com).

## **PTO:**

**ROOM PARENTS:** If you have signed up to be a Room Parent, or would like to volunteer, please plan to attend a short informational meeting on **Monday, September 11, at 2:45 p.m., in the Mulligan Room**. If you are unable to attend, contact Cori Howard, at [cori.johnhoward@gmail.com](mailto:cori.johnhoward@gmail.com), or Danielle Gose, at [dandggoz@yahoo.com](mailto:dandggoz@yahoo.com), for volunteer information.

## **SPIRIT WEAR:**

**FIRE FOUNDATION T-SHIRTS** are now available for online purchase, **through September 15**. The shirts help support the FIRE Foundation and Inclusive education in our diocese, and are considered OLP Spirit Wear throughout the year. They are available in both Youth and Adult sizes for \$20. Order through the FIRE Foundation website at the following link: [https://stores.inksoft.com/fire\\_foundation](https://stores.inksoft.com/fire_foundation). You can choose to pay to have the shirts delivered to your home or choose to have them delivered to school. Estimated delivery is September 28-29 (or sooner).

## **FUNDRAISING:**

**PANTHER PARTNERS - A COMMUNITY THAT CARES!** View the list of [Our Panther Partners](#) to find out who is helping to support our school! We are so grateful for the support of all these businesses and individuals! The list is updated regularly on the school website. Please be mindful not to solicit other donations from the sponsors listed, as they have already pledged their 2017-2018 school year support.

We will continue to accept donations during the entire school year. Please see the [Sponsorship Form](#) for details. Each event will review donations received to see if recognition can be accommodated during their event. Any [applicable donations](#) received by **Saturday, October 7**, are eligible to appear on the gym banner.

Questions? Visit the [Panther Partners Page](#) on the school website, or contact the Panther Partners Committee at [pantherpartners@olplsschool.org](mailto:pantherpartners@olplsschool.org).

