

# Our Lady of the Assumption School

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## *With Hands to Serve and Hearts to Love*

The first full week of school has begun, and I thank our students, staff, parents, and PTG for making the start of the school year a success. Last Wednesday's HOLA Coffee and Thursday's Back-to-School Night were terrific. Our PTG worked very hard to make our start of the year welcoming and hospitable for our families. The PTG Social Chairs, Diane McLaughlin and Wendi Wegener, did a wonderful job organizing hospitality for both events. Thank you!

In last week's bulletin I mentioned that OLA is looking to field a team or teams for the FIRST Lego League robot competition. If you are interested in coaching an OLA team or learning more about it, please contact me. Due to a compressed timeline, we would like to have our team(s) in place by Friday.

This year the OLA Catholic School Advisory Commission (CSAC) has welcomed some new members and said goodbye to few as well. I would like to welcome Rodney Hill, Janet Kay, Nancy King-Agos, Jane Ricci, and Paul Wagstaffe to the CSAC. I thank our new members for their interest in serving Our Lady of the Assumption School in this important capacity. We say goodbye to Maryvette Backhus, Jenna Cosca, Pat DeBruyn, Anita Ricci and Tony Riehl. I would like to thank Maryvette, Jenna, Pat, Anita, and Tony for the outstanding service and creative energy they provided while on the CSAC. Their commitment of time and talent has made a difference to our school these past two years. This year's CSAC members are Lynette Brannan, Dan Cairns, Stu Fretz, Rodney Hill, Margaret Jones, Janet Kay, Nancy King Agos, Vince Madden, Jane Ricci, Mary Thomson, and Paul Wagstaffe.

God bless,  
*Robert Love*

## Due This Week:

- If you haven't already done so, please return the Parent/Student Handbook signature forms (blue) to the office by Wednesday, August 27. Please be sure to have both parents and all students review the handbook and sign the form. For your convenience all revisions to the 2008-2009 handbook are indicated by bold, italic type.

**What to wear this Friday:** Friday is a regular school day.

## This Week at OLA

<b>School Schedule</b>	This week is a full week of school. Kindergartners will attend either 8:00-11:00 AM or 11:45-2:45 PM. Students in grades 1-8 will attend 8:00 AM -2:45 PM. Extension hours are 6:30 AM to 6:00 PM.
<b>SCRIP</b>	The first SCRIP order is due by 8:00 AM on Friday, August 29.
<b>Lunches</b>	Hot lunch does not begin until Tuesday, September 2. Please remember to pack a lunch and drink for your child(ren) this week.

## Next Week at OLA

Labor Day	There is no school on Monday, September 1. Have a great holiday weekend!
Minimum Day	Friday, September 5 is a minimum day. Afternoon kindergarten only will attend school from 8:00 AM to 11:00 AM. Grades 1-8 will attend school from 8:00 AM to noon. Extension will be open until 6:30 PM.

## Bits and Pieces

**Back to School Celebration** Remember, the back to School Celebration is this **Saturday, August 30, from 6:30 PM - 11:00 PM** RSVP deadline is Wednesday, August 27 by 12 noon. Don't miss out on this very fun evening! Doors open at 6:30 PM, dinner is served from 7:00-8:00 PM, and **Wonderbread 5** play from 8:00-11:00 PM. This is a no-host bar, so bring cash for beverages and the 50/50 raffle. All OLA parents and teachers are encouraged to come! Cost is \$50 per couple.

**Electrician Needed** The Back to School Celebration Committee is looking for volunteers to assist with electrical needs for the Back to School Celebration this weekend. Please contact Mike Stroud @ 752-0400 if you are able to assist on Friday evening and/or Sunday afternoon for a couple of hours. Thank you!!

**Special Note From Happy Lunches** Welcome back! Hot lunch order forms went out last week. During morning recess your child may purchase the following items for \$1 from the back door of the kitchen: bagel with cream cheese; assorted muffins; cereal with milk; fresh fruit cup; yogurt cup; crackers; assorted juices. The following weekly specialty items are \$1.50: Monday-breakfast burrito; Tuesday-two biscuits with honey; Wednesday-French toast sticks with maple syrup; Thursday-warm cinnamon roll with vanilla icing; Friday-potato tots in a cup. I look forward to seeing you next week. Please call me at 370-6908 with any questions you may have.

**Parents Growing In Faith Class** Classes will begin on September 8. This class meets every Monday at 8:00 AM in St. Paul's Room or join us after 8:00 AM Mass. This class is for parents, grandparents and guardians who would like to grow in their personal faith and bring more faith into their family's daily lives. If you need childcare during class or have any questions, please contact Jane Ricci @ 483-0715 or [mommyricci@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mommyricci@sbcglobal.net).

### AUCTION UPDATE

REMINDER: Auction chairs, Debra O'Gara and Lynn Sweeney, will be keeping you informed of all auction updates and information through flyers that will be included in the Tuesday bulletin envelopes. Auction information will no longer be included in the weekly bulletin. **Please be sure to read the auction flier enclosed.**



