

Boys Town Skill of the Week: Having a Conversation

- 1. Look at the person.
- 2. Use a pleasant voice.
- 3. Listen to what the other person says.
- 4. When there is a break in the conversation, ask a question or share your thoughts.

#### Dear Blessed Sacrament Families.

Thank you for all who made it to our Science Fair the other night to support our 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders. Our younger students had a great time looking at and hearing about the projects yesterday afternoon. Mr. Chu did a great job of kicking off our new annual Science Fair, and you would never have guessed this was his first one he's led! Our 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders worked hard up until the last second (some the **very** last second), and their hard work paid off—see the winners below! Also, get excited for our next new annual event of Arts Appreciation Night on April 20 at 6:30. Grades PK-5 along with our 6<sup>th</sup> grade choir students will give a musical performance in the gym and following that will be a gallery walk through the halls of art from **all** grades. Our school is busting with talent, and we are excited for these extra chances for you to admire it!

In Christ,

Mrs. Jennifer Tran

# GOOD SHEPHERD SCHOLARSHIP DUE TOMORROW

Attached is information about the Good Shepherd Scholarship program for next year. This is a simple scholarship to receive, but you must apply to receive it! Families whose income level is below 225% of the federal poverty level or have more than 3 students enrolled in any Lincoln Diocese Catholic School (regardless of income) are eligible to receive the scholarship. You only have to apply. We had qualifying families not receive the scholarship last year because they didn't apply. *Applications must be completed by tomorrow, March 31*. Use the following link to apply to FACTS:

https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/4GVQP. Please let us now if you need help with the application process. Contact Melissa at Melissa-tvrdy@cdolinc.net or 402-476-6202 with any questions.

## 2023-2024 SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Register by May 25 to be part of a raffle to win three \$50 gift cards of your choice (through SCRIP). If you register by April 1, then you will get three tickets per child. If you register by May 1, you will get two tickets per child. Use the following link to begin the process: https://www.cdolinc.net/enrollment. Returning Student Enrollment will be selected for a student that has been enrolled previously in a Diocese of Lincoln Catholic School. New Student Enrollment will be selected for any student that has NOT been enrolled previously in a Diocese of Lincoln Catholic School (i.e Pre-K or Kindergartener that has not been in Pre-K). After filling out this form, PowerSchool will then send an email for the parent to continue registering the new student. Email Melissa-tvrdy@cdolinc.net with any questions you have.

## **SCIENCE FAIR**

Congratulations to all of our  $7^{th}$  and  $8^{th}$  graders who put effort into their science fair projects. Here are the results from last night:

First place—Claire Danner with "What's Poppin" project

**Second place**—Eva Hadden & Natalie Meysenburg with "Wet Them Diapers" **Third place**—Rogan Carey & Grant Torson with "Fin for the Win" **Honorable mentions:** 

- Jean-Luc, Preston, and Drew with "Scallion"
- Sara & Rose with "Cravin' Cookies"
- Diego & Pedro with "Fruit Power"

## **DESSERTS NEEDED**

The PTO is still in need of volunteers to make desserts for the spaghetti supper on **Friday, March 31**. Please use the below sign-up to bring in a dozen desserts by 4:00 on the March 31. If you have any questions you can contact Clarissa Hunt at <u>ceceluther@yahoo.com</u> or 402-480-2225. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805054DACAA2DAAF85-spaghetti

#### PALM SUNDAY CHILDREN'S CHOIR

All students in 3<sup>rd</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grades are invited to sing in a special choir for the 10AM mass on **April 2**. We will meet at 8:45am on April 2 (an hour and fifteen minutes before mass) to practice in the school music room. Please contact Julia DeLaRosa Lang via email (<u>jdelarosa393@gmail.com</u>) or text (254-405-0928) if your child would like to participate.

#### ALL-SCHOOL ZOO FIELD TRIP

All students will be going to the Omaha Zoo on **Friday**, **April 28**. Please turn in permission slips and money as soon as you are able. The cost is \$15 per student—please pay what you are able whether it is a portion of the cost or over the cost to help families who aren't able to pay the full price. There are still some openings in Kindergarten and fourth grade—you do not have to have a child in that grade in order to volunteer! **Sign up here!** 

## SCRIP/RAISERIGHT



Did you know that if every adult in the Blessed Sacrament parish bought a \$100 gift card to purchase groceries just once we would raise over \$7000 for our church and school? Just like that! What if they did it every month for a year? It is a quick and easy way to support Blessed Sacrament without spending any extra money! Scan the QR code to get set up with an

account or contact Jennie Korth at <a href="mailto:jenniekorth@gmail.com">jenniekorth@gmail.com</a> if you want to learn more! Scrip is always available at the rectory and on select Sundays between mass (watch the school or church Facebook pages for dates).

## **OLD BSS PLAID**

Since this is the last year students are able to wear the older style BSS plaid, we are gathering the older style to donate to a school in a different state who uses that style. Please bring any of your old plaid that you would not like to keep to the front office.

## **iPADS AVAILABLE**

If you are lacking in sources of technology for your children in regards to school, we have additional iPads available from a government funded grant during the beginning period of the pandemic. Please email Jennifer-tran@cdolinc.net if you are interested in receiving one.