

Boys Town Skill of the Week: Asking for Help

- 1. Look at the person.
- 2. Ask the person if they have time to help you.
- 3. Clearly explain the kind of help that you need.
- 4. Thank the person for helping.

Dear Blessed Sacrament Families.

It brings me so much joy to know that we have four staff members who will be having babies this summer (five if you count our school psychologist through LPS)! To jog your memory, Mr. Sam Hamilton, Mr. John Buchkoski, and Mrs. Jennifer Parker are expecting boys, and Mrs. Megan Katzmarek is expecting a girl. Our fathers of this group are well-versed as Mr. Buchkoski is expecting his fourth and Mr. Hamilton his fifth. However, Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Katzmarek will be first-time moms! It has been so fun to see their journey along with the students' excitement. It's beautiful to see this clear, physical sign of the love of life in our building (even if it's simply them both patiently waiting in line for the restroom during Mass); and we are all counting down the days to when we can see the babies themselves!

In Christ,

Mrs. Jennifer Tran

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). 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.

ASCENSION THURSDAY

There will be **no school tomorrow** due to it being a holy day. We will see you back on Friday!

YEARBOOK ORDER FORMS

There is still time to turn in Yearbook Order Forms, but there are only ten left; so first come, first served. Yearbooks are \$15 apiece. Please email any questions to megan-katzmarek@cdolinc.net.

KONA ICE VISIT



Kona Ice will be at Blessed Sacrament on Wednesday May 24th, starting at 3:15. The PTO will be providing a small cup for each Blessed Sacrament student and staff as a way to celebrate the end of a fantastic school year. Others are welcome to purchase a Kona Ice for themselves, prices range from \$3-\$5.

FIELD DAY VOLUNTEERS

Thank you for all who volunteered for Thursday, May 25 from 9am to noon. We are so close to filling everything—sign up here! We will be taking an early lunch count for Thursday on Tuesday to be a bit more organized on this last day of school. Also, there will not be Extended Care on this last day of school—sorry for the inconvenience!

PULLING TOGETHER

This summer our parish will be expanding the green space on our property through the "Community of Hope" projects. The primary beneficiary of this new expanded area will be the children of our school. Our playground will be more than tripling in size. To maintain the beauty of our existing and additional landscape, you are invited to join a group of fellow church and school parents called "Pulling Together." The mowing crew does a great job with the grass, but our focus will be the landscape areas with trees, shrubs, and flowers. The heavy work of planting has been completed, and our group, "Pulling Together," will do the weed maintenance and mulching.

As you know, we ask all families and their children at our school to give some of their time and talent in various ways. This is a great opportunity to do just that! We ask you and your children to sign up for a preferred month, which will consist of a couple hours total of work. Please sign up here!

Contact Bonnie Evert at 402-770-7546 or <u>bonnieevert51@gmail.com</u> with any questions or if you would like to be more involved.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR - GRADUATION

This is a great opportunity for siblings and friends of graduating students! Choir will practice on Friday, May 19, at 6:00pm in the school music room; graduation mass is at 7:00pm.

OUTGROWN UNIFORM DONATIONS

If you have any uniform shirts, pants, shorts, skirts, jumpers, or sweatshirts that are in good condition but too small for your children, please bring them to the office. We will use them as extras for when students need them for one reason or another and the rest we will put in our summer rummage sale.

COR JESU REX

Cor Jesu Rex will be our summer Catechetical week **June 5-9** (replacing Via Vitea/Totus Tuus) led by the School Sisters of Christ the King. Registration, a flier, and the schedule are attached for more information. Cost is \$20 per student or \$50 per family of three or more. We look forward to seeing your children over the summer!

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 \$7,000 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 jenniekorth@gmail.com 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).

iPADS STILL AVAILABLE

If you are lacking in sources of technology for your children in regards to school, we have more 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.