

THE THURSDAY NEWS

February 14, 2019



Friday, February 15th: Family Dance, 7:00PM-9:00PM, Torba Center

Friday, February 15th: 6th—8th Grade Valentine's Dance, 6:30PM-9:15PM, Activity Center

Monday, February 18th: No School: Presidents' Day

Wednesday, February 20th: 6:30PM, Sports Council Meeting, Activity Center Thursday, February 21st: 6th Grade Parent Meeting, 6:30PM, Activity Center

Thursday, February 21st: School Board, 7:30PM, Activity Center

Friday, February 22nd: 8th Grade Graduation PICTURES



FACTS Grant & Aid Applications

Grant & Aid applications for the 2019/2020 school year are now open on FACTS. Everyone wishing to be considered for financial assistance in the 2019/2020 school year will need to complete this Grant & Aid application.

You will be required to upload your 2018 tax information. No application will be considered complete without the necessary tax documentation.

The Grant & Aid application is required for all financial assistance.

Parent Service Hours

For parents that have worked on parent service hours, letters went home today indicating how many hours we have on file for you.

If you did **not** receive a letter, that means that we have NO hours on record for you.

Don't forget, 10 hours are needed by March 31, otherwise the \$250 parent service charge will be added to your April tuition.

Please contact the office with any questions.

- ☑ <u>Welcome Mr. Fedoruk:</u> Please join me in welcoming Mr. Fedoruk to our staff. He will be teaching 6th Grade Homeroom and Junior High Science. See the back of this newsletter for more information.
- ☑ *Krispy Kreme Sale:* 8th Grade Committee is sponsoring a Krispy Kreme sale again this year. Orders need to be placed in advance, and will go home on March 5. Please see enclosed flyer/order form.
- ☑ <u>Before Care Reminder:</u> All students who use Before School Care must be signed in by their parent. Students are <u>not</u> to walk in by themselves. Lately, many students have been dropped off and walking in by themselves. **This is against Archdiocesan policy.**
- ☑ <u>Tuition Agreements/ Re-registration</u>: Your 2019/2020 tuition agreements are now due. If you have not returned your agreement and \$100.00 registration fee, please do so now. If you need another agreement contact the school office. If your child is not returning to St. Ferdinand School for the 2019/2020 school year, please return your contract stating that your child is not returning.
- ☑ **Baby Bulls:** St. Ferdinand School invites parents or caregivers and their children ages 6 months to three years to join us for Baby Bulls. Baby Bulls is our toddlers playgroup! Registration forms are available in the office.
- ☑ **Dance Class:** After school dance classes for students in Grades K-3 (Fridays) will be starting on February 22. Registration forms went home last week. Please contact the office if you need another one.
- ☑ **Chess Class:** A new session of Chess will be starting on Friday, February 15th (note the new day). If you have not yet registered, please see the office for a registration form.
- ☑ Art Class: Registration forms for the Spring after school art classes are enclosed in today's folders.
- ☑ *Fish Fry:* Fish Fry begins March 8! If you have not finished your parent service hours, this is a great opportunity to work on your hours! Volunteer sign-up sheets are enclosed in today's folders. Please fill them out and return to office as soon as possible!







St. Ferdinand School

February 11, 2019

Dear Parents:

It is my pleasure to introduce Mr. Gabriel Fedoruk. He will be the 6th Grade Homeroom teacher and 6th-8th Grade Science teacher for the remainder of the 2018-19 school year.

Prior to taking his current position, Mr. Fedoruk has worked with "at risk students." He has served as a program coordinator for Youth Outreach Services. Mr. Fedoruk has a broad range of experience teaching at both the elementary and high school levels, including teaching students with special needs. Additionally, Mr. Fedoruk has created and facilitated many successful curriculums, trainings, and mentoring workshops geared toward strengthening youth character, social skills, and academia.

Originally from Chicago, Mr. Fedoruk attended St. Patrick's High School and received his degree from Northeastern University. He takes great pride in his work ethic, family, and Catholic faith. Mr. Fedoruk is well-rounded: In addition to his classroom experiences, he has volunteered with several non-profit organizations, as well as coached various sports.

Mr. Fedoruk started his education experiences at St. Ferdinand School. From 2000-2003, he served as a teacher's aide. While an aide at St. Ferdinand's, he oversaw peer mediation programs, and assisted in classroom facilitation for grades K-8.

Please join me in welcoming Mr. Fedoruk back "home." We pray for a successful year, and look forward to the experience Mr. Fedoruk brings to our school.

Respectfully,

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Principal