

# THE KNIGHT TIMES



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### **TOUR INFO**

With general inquiries or to schedule a tour, contact our Director of Marketing, Katie Mikesell.

### **PTO MINUTES**

Notes from the latest PTO meetings can be read at: nool.online/pto

### UPCOMING DATES

The official calendar can be found at school.nool.us.

### **OCTOBER**

- Blessing of the Animals 3:30pm
- **8** Winter Athletic Meeting 7:00pm
- **10** Picture Retakes 8:15am
- **11** FOCUS 11 8:15am
- 12 Mathnasium Family Fun Night • 7:00pm
- **13** Eighth Grade Open Speech Meet • 7:30am
- 15-17 Eighth Grade Retreat



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# SAVE THE DATE

students, it was a great afternoon for our community!

ur Fall Muffins with Mom and Donuts with Dad events are coming up! These events are such a great way to begin the day for our students and we know they look forward to them. Starbucks, on 120th & Huron, will once again generously provide coffee for each.

Remember, all attending parents (and guests such as grandparents) must have completed Safe Environment Training. If you have not completed or have questions about Safe Environment Training, contact Merrilyn Sikora, from the Parish, at 303-469-5171 x110.

If you are interested in helping with these events, please contact Jeff Beaton or Jennifer Flaherty via FastDirect.



**MUFFINS WITH MOM** 

Thursday, October 18 7:30am | Ryan Hall



DONUTS WITH DAD

Thursday, November 8 7:30am | Ryan Hall

# 2018 Focus 11 Vocations Awareness Days DENVER SEMINARIANS

ur sixth graders will travel to Holy Trinity
Catholic School on Thursday, October 11 for
FOCUS 11. This day is an opportunity for our
students to learn about vocations to the religious
life within the Catholic Church. Many priests, religious
and consecrated men and women first heard the call to
their vocation when they were 11 years old – the age of
most of our sixth graders. This day is a chance for many
of them to share their stories with the students. Students
are to wear their liturgy uniforms that day, as they will
be attending Mass with other 6th graders from the
Archdiocese.



### **MATHCOUNTS**

### **Math Academic Competition**

Whether you're already a math whiz and need an extra challenge or you're still not 100% convinced that math is for you, you've come to the right place! Nativity now has a chapter of MATHCOUNTS, which is a fun club for students to be challenged in math. Like the Academic Decathlon, MATHCOUNTS has local and national competitions in which students go head-to-head with other math whizzes in "bee style" contests. MATHCOUNTS is open to all sixth, seventh, and eighth grade

students at Nativity and will have their first meeting on Wednesday, October 3, from 3:30-4:30pm in the science room. See Jaclyn Brandenburg for more information.







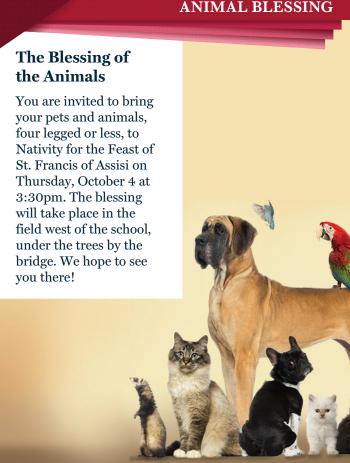


### **SPELLING TEAM**

### **Spelling Season is Here!**

Spelling team practice begins on October 4! This extracurricular activity is open to all students in grades 4-8, with practice every Thursday after school from 3:30-4:00pm in Mrs. Wagner's room. The fourth and fifth grade team members will prepare for the Intermediate Spelling Bee on January 12, 2019 at Good Shepherd, with our middle schoolers preparing for the Advanced Bee on February 2, 2019. If any of our Intermediate students finish in the top ten of their spelling bee, they'll be invited to compete in the Advanced Bee. If your student is interested in participating, please have them pick up a permission slip from Jen Wagner or Debbie DiPetrillo.





# **HOLY FAMILY EVENTS**

### 8TH GRADE DAY

Students in our 8th grade were able to spend Thursday, September 20 at Holy Family High School. They were then treated to lunch and HF's world-famous cookies! If you have an eighth grade student who would like to spend the day shadowing at Holy Family, please contact Tammy Sloan in their admissions office.

peruse our selection this weekend and next week.

### MINI CHEER CAMP

Holy Family will be hosting a mini cheer clinic on Saturday, October 6 from 9:00am – 12:00pm. It's \$45 to participate and the cost includes a HFHS Mini Cheer t-shirt and snack. Participants will learn proper motions and techniques, jumps, cheers, and stunting and will have the opportunity to perform with the Tigers Cheer Team at the Holy Family football game on October 12! Please contact hfhstigerscheer@gmail.com with questions.





# OPEN HOUSE

For Prospective Students and Their Families Sunday, October 21, 2018 • 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Register ON-LINE at www.holyfamilyhs.com
Click on the INQUIRE tab to register!

For Questions, call Admissions at 303-410-1411
5195 W. 144th Avenue, Broomfield, CO 80023



### MONTH OF THE ROSARY



8th GRADE BIBLE HANDOUT

Mark your calendars, eighth grade parents! We will be handing out special Bibles to the class at the school Mass on October 19. As with every school liturgy, all members of the Nativity community are invited to attend.



October is the month of the rosary. All students and families have been invited to join Nativity Parish for the recitation of the rosary, every Sunday beginning at 11:00am, before the 11:30am Mass. This is a wonderful way to pray with your family and with the church. Any questions, call Beverly Ketchel at 303-469-9570.



## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

# **Safe Environment Training**

Volunteers in the school must complete Safe Environment Training. The next available opportunity to attend a class is October 9 at 6:00pm. If you have questions or you would like to register for the training, please contact Merrilyn Sikora in the parish office or email her at m.sikora@nool.us.

### **Math Tutors**

Nativity will now offer math tutoring to all students after school. Tutoring is available after school Monday through Thursday, from 3:15-4:00pm, in our middle school math room.

### Call for Substitute Teachers

Nativity is looking to add more substitute teachers to our list. Interested individuals need to be SET certified and will need to complete Archdiocesan paperwork. Please contact our assistant principal, Joann Dawe, in the main office.

### 9-1-1 Presentation

Our first and second graders are in for a treat next week! A representative from North Metro Fire will be here on October 3 to present to the students in the classroom and will simulate a real 911 call.

### **Gala Committee Meeting**

If you would like to learn more, or be a part of the Gala committee please join us in Ryan Hall on Wednesday, October 3 at 8:15am. Thank you!

### **Social Media**

Did you know that Nativity has a new Instagram page? Follow us at "nativityfaithreason" to catch up on some of the fun things going on around the school and be sure to like us on Facebook!

### **Absences/Early Dismissal**

If your child is going to be absent, tardy, or needs to be dismissed early, please contact Nabila Srouji in the front office via phone or Fast Direct.

### **PTO**

The minutes from the last PTO meeting can be found at: nool.online/pto. The next PTO meeting is October 10 at 6:30pm and all are welcome.



# **GENERAL INFORMATION**



### SCHOOL FUND

In 2005 the Nativity School Fund a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization was established to develop charitable giving opportunities that ensure the financial stability for our school and meet specific capital objectives. Through the School Fund, we continue to fund the financial deficit between the tuition revenue and actual operating expenses, provide leading edge technology, maintain a secure environment for all, fund facility and equipment upgrades that enhance the learning environment and support our faculty and staff professional development.

The two main funding opportunities that offer the most impact to the financial support of the Nativity School Fund are our Nativity Star Sponsorship and our annual Gala. Below are ways I could use your help with both.

### STAR SPONSORSHIPS

Prayerfully consider personally, or through your business or the company you work for, becoming a Star Sponsor at one of the four levels.

If you have a passion for soliciting Star Sponsors within your circle of influence or within our community, please contact Ilene DuBey at i.dubey@nool.us or 303-641-3667.

### SCHOOL FUND GALA

The Gala is the largest fundraiser we do at the school. This year's theme is "Mardi Gras Masquerade Knight" which will take place on Saturday March 2, 2019 from 5:30-11:30pm. The evening includes a cocktail hour, dinner, live auction, direct appeal and dancing!

If you would like to be a part of the planning committee below are the areas of need:

- Silent and Live Auction Item Solicitation
- Silent Auction Organization
- Class Projects
- Social Media

With questions please contact Ilene DuBey at i.dubey@nool.us or 303-641-3667.



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