

SAINT BERNADETTE SCHOOL



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**PTO MEETING TONIGHT
NOVEMBER 14, 7:00PM**

Dear Parents and Guardians,

*The Christmas program, slated for Friday, December 13, has a particular dress code. Last year Mrs. Lana requested all red and black...girls in red tops and black slacks or skirts or red dresses. Boys wore red dress shirts with black ties, and black slacks. Dress shoes were required. **The students looked great last year!** Giving students a set color, especially in such a large group, makes the whole group look cohesive and more polished. The same color on everyone is a good backdrop for the sign language the students use while they sing. Dressing up is one way we Catholics have traditionally shown reverence and since our concert is all about Christ, asking the students to dress nicely (including dress shoes and ties) communicates that spirit of seriousness and reverence, and dressing as a unit allows the music and the movement be the focus.*

Some parents had difficulty managing the request. Although many families remarked that the students looked great all in red, others expressed frustration in finding the clothes in time and resented another cost so close to the holidays. Many families do not typically purchase dress shoes for their sons, so requiring



dress shoes for the concert seemed an unnecessary expense. Other families wanted to purchase one outfit for Christmas, not two.

We would like to get back to an all red and black dress code for future Christmas concerts, but cannot for this year; we should have notified parents of that at the beginning of the year so there would be ample time to find sales and prepare. Since we did not make this request early enough, there is a change for this year's concert. In the spirit of all the reasons in support of a dress code and concert standard, some parts remain the same. Also, Mrs. Lana never wanted families to have to purchase two Christmas outfits, but viewed the red tops as something people would be able find easily and wear for other occasions. We will investigate some good, cost effective ways of meeting the goal for red and black in the future so that we can be respectful of our families' concerns.

Girls:

- "Christmas best" dresses in the following (solid is preferred) colors: red (preferred), dark green, black, or gray. No white please as it "pulls" the light on stage, and no cartoonish images or slogans. Please avoid sparkles.
- Dresses or skirts must be a modest length. Dresses and tops must have sleeves (any length).
- Girls may choose solid tops with black skirts or slacks (no leggings) instead. Red tops are preferred, dark green, black or gray are also fine. No white.
- Shoes should match the outfit, preferably dress shoes. No casual boots, sandals or high heels. (Students must navigate risers.)
- Solid colored footed tights may be worn, but not leggings.

Boys:

- Solid color dress shirt (preferably red) with a black tie. Dark green, black or gray shirts are also fine. No white shirts, please.
- Black slacks.
- Black shoes to match. Dress shoes optional.

Please do your best to follow the above requests. We recognize that families already do so much for their St. Bernadette students. The aim is to show respect for the event, look cohesive, and make the music and the prayer of the students' effort the focus. Thank you for all you do, and for your support of this program.

Blessings,

Lizanne G. Ingram

St. Bernadette School

REQUEST FOR CRAFTERS AND VENDORS

Show Date: November 23, 2019
9am – 3pm

- \$35 for one 8 foot table and 2 chairs
- \$65 for a corner booth (one 8' and one 6' table & 2 chairs)

1453 Locust Lake, Amelia, OH 45102

To reserve your spot please contact:
Samantha Storer, 513-543-8012 or craftshow@stbernadetteamelia.org

SCHOOL SPIRIT TASTES GREAT

Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support The St. Bernadette 8th Grade Class. Come in to the Chipotle at **1227 State Route 125** in Amelia on **Sunday, November 17th** between **4:00pm** and **8:00pm**. Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you're supporting the cause to make sure that 33% of the proceeds will be donated to The St. Bernadette 8th Grade Class.

CHIPOTLE
AMERICAN GRILLS

Online orders will not be included in the fundraiser total. To ensure your purchase is counted in the fundraiser, be sure to order and pay in-restaurant. Gift card purchases during fundraisers do not count towards total donated sales, but purchases made with an existing gift card will count.

IT'S THE ST. BERNADETTE FAMILY

BOWLING Party!

Making Memories to Spare!

NOV 17TH • 2 - 4PM

Cherry Grove Lanes

Shoes & Drinks provided!

\$10 PER BOWLER
DUE BY 11/8/19

NO money will be collected at the door - Keep eye open for envelope sent home with your child to register.

Questions? Text Anjela Mangrum at 513.659.3813 or anjela@mangrumcs.com



ST. BERNADETTE BASKETBALL

HOODIES / WARM-UP ORDER FORM 2019

ST. BERNADETTE BASKETBALL LOGO ON ALL ITEMS

ORDER BY November 21st, ORDER DELIVERED BY December 12th

GREEN HOODIE 50/50 \$35*

GREEN HOODIE DRI-FIT \$49*

WARM- UP JERSEY DARK GREEN/ WHITE \$35*

*\$5.00 less without name on back

SIZES AVAILABLE: YS YM YL AS AM AL AXL AZXL A3XL

STUDENT NAME: _____ GRADE _____

STUDENT NAME: _____ GRADE _____

NAME ON BACK _____ SIZE _____

NAME ON BACK _____ SIZE _____

ORDER: HOODIES 50/50 _____ DRI-FIT _____

ORDER: HOODIES 50/50 _____ DRI-FIT _____

ORDER: WARM-UP _____

ORDER: WARM-UP _____

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS OUT TO ALL STAR SPORTSWEAR

CHECK HERE IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO PAY WITH CREDIT CARD _____

CONTACT NUMBER FOR CREDIT CARD INFO _____



FUTURE ROCKET NEWS

There are some important dates coming up for incoming Freshman for the 2020-21 school year. [Click here](#) to access these dates. Please check out the dates starting on November 23 starting with the Entrance Exams. Please contact Christina Mullis, Director of Admissions, at cmullins@mcnhs.org or 513-231-3500 ext 5809 with any questions.



HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSES

11/14 - Elder HS (5:00-8:00pm)

11/17 - St. Xavier HS (1:00-4:00pm)



HOLIDAY SIP & SHARE

Mark your calendars for Saturday, December 14 for a Holiday Sip & Share evening. Bring your favorite Christmas recipe to share (5 copies) while enjoying

hors d'oeuvres and wine (provided by PTO) with other St. Bernadette friends (adults only). [Click here](#) for to view the flyer and more information.



MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES

Mind-Peace is an organization that helps families find a mental health provider based on your zip code and other defining considerations. The 1N5 Foundation provides information about individual disorders online, including valuable information about the prevalence of particular challenges families face, and what to look for in your child or a loved one.

HOTLINKS:

[1n5 Foundation](#) (for great information)

[Mind-Peace](#) (click on Search for Providers)



REMIND

Be in the know with REMIND! Remind is a text subscription that is used to communicate due date reminders or other important information to our parents. Once you have signed up, you can typically expect to receive 1-2 (or less) texts per week. This can also be used as an additional form of communication for school

closings or delays. [Click here](#) to see the flyer for additional instructions on how to sign up. Sign up by going to <https://www.remind.com/join/stbsabers>. Please

note: if you have already signed up for the all school remind in the past, you do not need to sign up again. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Sarah Holland at elicoopsmom@gmail.com.

Looking Ahead...

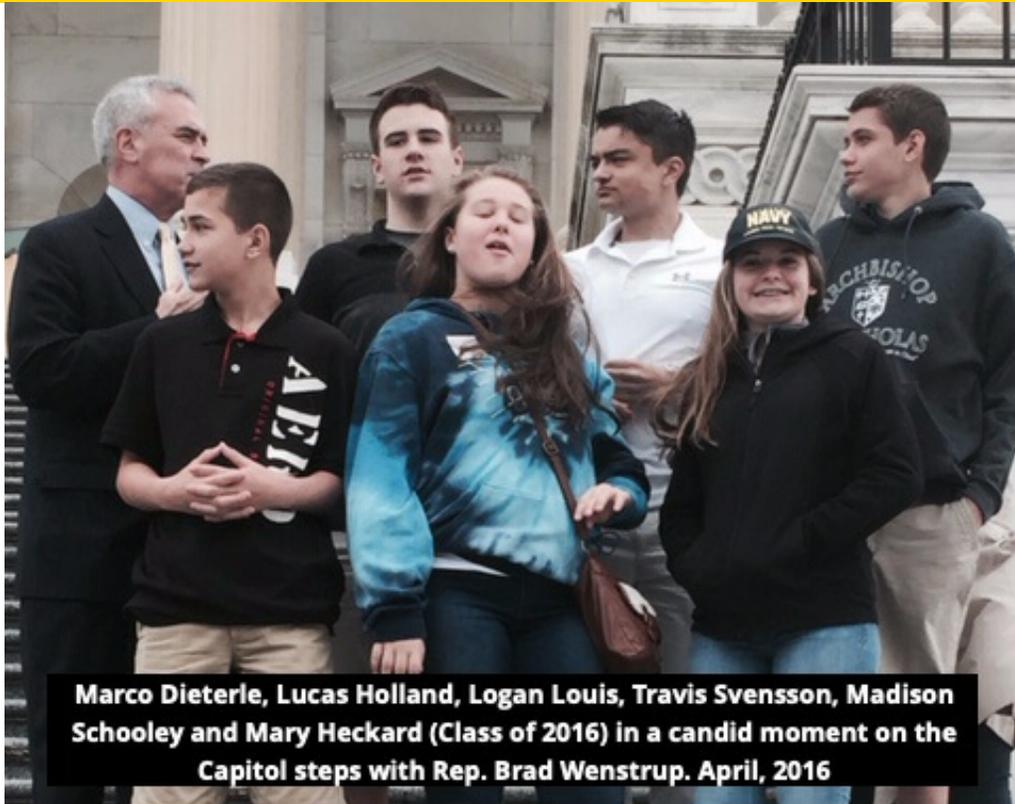
UPCOMING...

- **Thurs, Nov 14** - PTO Meeting (7:00pm)
- **Sun, Nov 17** - Family Bowling Night
- **Sun, Nov 17** - Chipotle fundraiser for 8th grade trip to Washington DC
- **Wed, Nov 20** - End of 1st Trimester
- **Sat, Nov 23** - Holiday Craft Fair
- **Nov 27-29** - Thanksgiving Break

ON THE HORIZON...

- **Fri, Dec 13** - Children's Christmas Program - 7:00pm
- **Sat, Dec 14** - Holiday Sip & Share (6:00pm)
- **Dec 23 - Jan 6** - Christmas Break

Throw Back Thursday: Do you have a photo to share? Send it to Mrs. Ingram with a little information about the picture.



Marco Dieterle, Lucas Holland, Logan Louis, Travis Svensson, Madison Schooley and Mary Heckard (Class of 2016) in a candid moment on the Capitol steps with Rep. Brad Wenstrup. April, 2016

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