



STAR NEWS

FROM THE ADMINISTRATORS
OF THE DE LA SALLE SCHOOL

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*I do not fail to pray for you and
for the success of your work.*

-Saint John Baptist De La Salle

Dear Parent or Guardian,

It's hard to believe that summer vacation has ended and we already have almost two weeks of school behind us. The faculty and staff were very excited to welcome their students on the first day of school and all are looking forward to another great year!

Our theme this year is "continuity and change." Some familiar faces are no longer with us, but our commitment to the Lasallian mission remains the same. We have a new state of the art science lab as well as a brand new curriculum still being taught with Mrs. Rosner's same energy and enthusiasm. Mr. Rall is no longer a full time teacher in the building but he continues as the Director of Graduate Support and he will ensure a smooth transition for our eighth grade class from The De La Salle School to the high school of their choice.

It was wonderful to see so many of you at "Back to School Night" last evening. Your effort to attend in Spite of Tropical Storm Hermine is a bold and powerful statement you have made to your son about the importance of his education and his success here at The De La Salle School. Please feel free to contact any of his teachers if you have any concerns.

We will all gather in Our Holy Redeemer Church for Mass at 12:10 PM this Friday, 9 September. Please join us as we thank God for our blessings and ask for His guidance during this school year. In fact, every Friday when we have a full day of school we go to the Church to participate in the 12:10 PM Mass. Come and pray with us whenever you can!

My prayers and thoughts are with you always!

Respectfully in Saint La Salle,

Mr. William L. Gault
Executive Director



~ Mr. Lamberti Joins Our Faculty ~

Mr. Fabio Lamberti is the newest member of our staff. His parents are immigrants from Italy and he grew up here on Long Island. A graduate of Molloy College, Mr. Lamberti's primary focus will be as the ELA and reading teacher. Welcome Mr. Lamberti!

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome to the new school year! I was so pleased to see your sons on the first day of school. The school year is off to a great start with the young men ready to work hard and learn. Summer reading reports have been handed in and new work is beginning.

Thank you to those who attended our Back to School Night last evening. You received information concerning the new school year. In addition, the basic rules of the school were reviewed with all parents. Seventh and Eighth grade parents received information about the upcoming high school open houses and the high school entrance exam.

I am looking forward to working with all of you during the year. Please feel free to contact me in the office if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Kathleen Boniello
Principal



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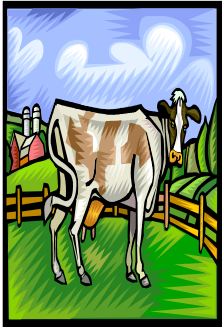
During the last school year we received over \$1,000 because of our participation in this program. We want to reach that goal again, and we will with your help. Encourage your family members, co-workers and neighbors to join in this effort.



IMPORTANT DATES

Join us for Mass on **Friday, 9 September** in Our Holy Redeemer Church at 12:10 PM. We will gather to ask God's blessing on our new school year.

Spring Brook Farm, Reading, VT will welcome our fifth graders on **Monday, 12 September** when they arrive with Mr. Vera and Mr. Donodeo for our annual week as participants in the Farms for City Kids program. Learn more from www.FarmsforCityKids.org.



The first day of our Extended Day Program is **Monday, 19 September**. The Program occurs Mondays through Thursdays from 3:30 Pm until 5:00 PM. This program costs only \$30 a month. It is a great opportunity for your son to get help with his homework, to have time to play with his schoolmates, and to get involved in some special activities like sports, music, or writing. Milk and a snack are provided. See Mr. Vera if you have questions about our Extended Day Program.

Dismissal on **Friday, 30 September** is at 11:30 AM to allow the teachers time for a faculty meeting.



Our annual Golf Outing will occur **Monday, 26 September** at the Lawrence Golf Club. In their art classes our students are making signs to acknowledge the generosity of our benefactors



Do you receive our biweekly electronic newsletter, The De La Salle Dispatch?

If so, you are kept up to date with events in the school. You may even see your son's photo!

If you do not get this publication in your inbox please send your e-mail address to Mrs. Mulry, our Director of Development at JMulry@DeLaSalleSchool.org

VISIT CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOLS

WHEN THEY HAVE OPEN HOUSE

Eighth graders and their parents, as well as **seventh graders** and their parents, are urged to attend the Open Houses sponsored by the Catholic High Schools. Last night you received information about the dates for these opportunities that occur during September and October.

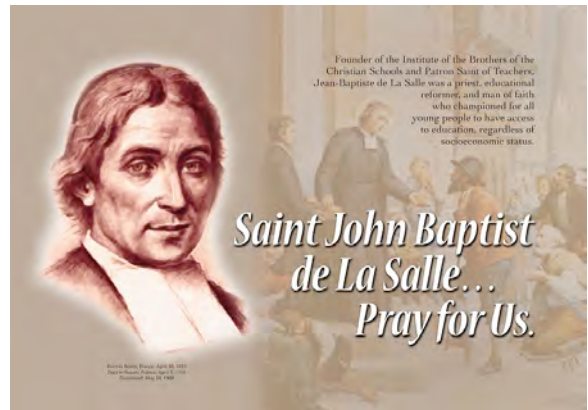


RE M I N D E R

Your payment of your share of your son's tuition for October is due this Friday, 9 September. Do not fall behind in meeting this obligation. All payments for September and October should have been received by the office and up to date by Friday. Farm payments are also past due. Extended day payments are now being accepted for September and October. Contact Mr. Gault if you wish to discuss special arrangements.



If you have not scheduled your son's back to school physical examination Please do so immediately. He must have a new physical every year.



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www.DeLaSalleSchool.org

AT LEAST ONCE A WEEK



Stay Cool - Autumn is coming soon!

