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## Weekly School News Update Feb. 15, 2018

### Featured News

- **EARLY DISMISSAL**- tomorrow is an early dismissal day (12:30) to allow for teacher professional development. Teachers have been doing courses in instructional differentiation, IXL platform, Google Classroom etc. **EXTENDED CARE WILL BE OPEN.**
- **Monday is a holiday too!** the Presidents Day holiday is Monday- no school.
- **Family Valentines Dance**- Thank you for all who worked to make this event a success!
- **2018-2019 School Enrollment- Re-enrollment period for current school families has begun** and runs through 1/28 Open House. All current school families are encouraged to complete re-enrollment forms ASAP. Re-enrollment [FORMS HERE](#). **REMINDER- Discount for early registration with fee by 2/28/18.**
- **2018-2019 School Enrollment- Please help us by telling others about your school experience at MOGS and inviting them to our enrollment Open Houses or call Mary Moriarty for a tour any time-**
  - **February- Saturday 2/24 2:00-4:00**
  - **March- Thursday 3/22 6:00-7:30**
  - **April- Friday 3/20 6:00-7:30**
  - **May- Sunday 4/20 11:00-1:00**
- **Ambassador discount**- And we reward YOU with \$500 off your 2018-2019 tuition (and \$500 off theirs too) for every new student that you bring (admission and attendance required). [FORMS HERE](#) to apply for Ambassador discount.



## Upcoming Events

2/16	<b>EARLY DISMISSAL</b> 12:30 Teacher Professional Development
2/19	<b>PRESIDENTS' DAY- NO SCHOOL</b>
2/24	<b>SCHOOL mini OPEN HOUSE-</b> Saturday 2:00-4:00- Invite or bring prospective families
2/28	<b>HSA MEETING-</b> Globalfest working groups session Wednesday 7:00-8:00
3/2	<b>NO SCHOOL-</b> teacher Professional Development with the Archdiocese
3/5	<b>DDDDD-</b> free dress- \$2 and canned food item for St. Martins food pantry
3/9	<b>ENGINEERING FAIR</b> 6:30-7:30pm- New STEM initiative- Middle school students will alternate with biennial Science Fair, then Engineering Fair.
3/16	<b>EARLY DISMISSAL-</b> 12:30- end of 3rd quarter
4/29	<b>GLOBALFEST-</b> Sunday April 29 afternoon festival featuring student performances involving every student.



## MOG School Social Media- let's all get involved!

**Help us promote Mother of God School through social media-** parents can increase our exposure by 1000's% EASILY!

- a. **Facebook-** LIKE, SHARE, POST Log on now and
  - Like the school page <https://www.facebook.com/mogschool/>
  - Share our school Open House <https://www.facebook.com/events/1985082308371155/>
  - Scroll to the various postings; Like, comment and share

Let's get into the habit of posting and share over the days and weeks ahead and tell people about this hidden gem.

- b. **Twitter-** @mogschool
- c. **Instagram-** @mogschool

**ONE MORE THING- Provide school reviews online:**

- Google review [HERE](#)
- Privateschoolreview.com [HERE](#)
- Greatschools.com [HERE](#)

MOGS is looking for **new and exciting photos** of your children to add to our school social media "feeds." Please drop your photos in our school Dropbox [HERE](#)

## Charitable Giving and Fundraising

**SHOP WITH SCRIP-** Gift cards are available for purchase at school. Bring a check or cash for the exact amount of the cards you are purchasing. Many families continually use this program throughout the year by ordering **ScripNow** and **ReloadNow** products and paying with **PrestoPay**. This maximizes your rebates and allows families to rack up tuition credits (after minimum is met)

**Weekly school wide order will be placed Wednesdays at 10:30am.** Place your ShopWithScrip.com gift card orders for distribution by Friday. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me via email. You can reach me at [escrip@mogschool.com](mailto:escrip@mogschool.com) Waverly McCargo

Here are some helpful video links below to make your gift card shopping experience easier.

- [What is Shop With Scrip?](#)
- [What is My Scrip Wallet?](#)
- [How to Order Scrip](#)

Click this link on **Amazon smile now! Then when you buy on Amazon and our school gets FREE MONEY.** Doesn't cost you a dime. <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/52-152818>



## Spiritual Renewal Opportunities

**Weekly Praise and Worship** Sunday evenings from 7 to 8:30 pm in our School Gym. ALL ARE INVITED TO JOIN US IN WORSHIPING JESUS IN THE POWER OF THE HOLY SPIRIT!



## NEED-BASED TUITION ASSISTANCE

All financial aid consideration requires application through [TADS](#)

- **NEW- Financial Assistance for Catholic Education, Inc.**, for children in Catholic Elementary school (Pre-Kindergarten through Eighth grade) provide need based financial assistance for tuition, CYO registration fees, the Archdiocese Band program, and school uniforms. Apply through TADS. Our supplemental application is part of the Archdiocese of Washington's application. We require that our applicants apply for assistance from the Archdiocese of Washington as part of their eligibility for the financial assistance we provide. The online application, as well as more information about our charity, can be found on our website at, [www.CatholicFA.org](http://www.CatholicFA.org). We may also be reached via email at [info@CatholicFA.org](mailto:info@CatholicFA.org) or by telephone at **301-778-7644**.
- **Mother of God School In-House Tuition Assistance-** To be considered for MOGS in-house need-based tuition assistance, please submit your information through [mytads.com](http://mytads.com) . Be sure to choose Mother of God School.



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