

# Lourdes Letter

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### Lunch Schedule:

K-4: eat 11:24-11:44,  
recess 11:44-12:04

5-8: recess 11:24-11:44,  
eat 11:44-12:04

Good afternoon Lourdes Families,

I hope that you and your children are in the routine of the school year. We have now experienced a full week of school and it seems like we are in the swing of things.

We have a couple of opportunities for you to get involved at OLOL.

Julie VanDenHeuval, Alex Beals, and Molly Schmelzer are our paid lunchroom/playground supervisors. They do a tremendous job but as we all know sometimes things come up unexpectedly. Therefore we are looking for some lunchroom/playground supervisors subs. It is a paid position and you would be subbing when one of our regulars are unable to make their shift. If you are interested, please contact the school office at 336-3091 or [csmits@gracesystem.org](mailto:csmits@gracesystem.org). Thank you for your consideration.

Social Media is a great way for families to hear about OLOL. We are looking at different ways that inform families about what OLOL is all about. I'm looking to highlight how our families integrate their faith in their homes. If you are interested in telling your story, please send a picture of your family and how you live out your faith at home. Thank you again for your consideration.

Last year we started Destination Imagination here at OLOL and were very successful. We would like to build on that success but are in need of a team leader. Last year's team leader Mr. Schmeisser is willing to help out but can't lead the team. Please let me know if you are interested in this great opportunity for our students.

In the next couple of weeks your students will get the experience of coding. The staff learned about coding over the summer. Students today are very "techy" and this coding program will teach students how their devices and apps work. It was a neat experience for me to go through and I'm excited about the new program

Thanks to all of you that support our school. We have had a successful beginning and I have high expectations for the 2018-2019 school year. Please take advantage of all the opportunities that OLOL has to offer in terms of getting involved. Engaged active students and families are the ones that are usually highly successful.

"For us, there is only the trying. The rest is not our business." - T.S Elliott

The Lourdes Way

Jeffrey Young

**Up Coming Dates:**

**Fri. Sept 21:** \$1 Dress  
Down Day

Popcorn

**Sat. Sept. 22:** OLOL  
Kickball noon – 2:00

**Mon. Sept 24:** 8<sup>th</sup>  
grade retreat @ Abbey

**Wed. Sept. 26:**

**Thur. Sept 27:** Picture  
Retake day 8:30am  
Free dress down

**Fri. Sept 28:** Early  
Release 11:00am

**Discipline with  
Purpose Winners****Congratulations!**

Hailey Marquardt

Miah Shefchik

Sonny Kraft

Stephanie Silva

Allison Jensen

Emmit Charles

Raphael Zifferblatt

Thank you!

**OLOL Dollar Dress Down Days!**

We have our 1st \$1.00 dress down this week. Each year we pick 1 organization that receives the funds we raise. This year we will be raising funds for Prader Willi Syndrome. This disease effects one of our Lourdes families. Students will be learning about this syndrome throughout the year.

One exception, this Friday's dress down day will be added to the 2nd collection monies collected at our OLOL Parish. If you have been to a week-end Mass, you have heard Fr. Benny talk about the devastation in his home state of Kerala.

**Magazine and Cookie Dough Sale*****Final Week***

*Renew or order a new Magazine and Cookie Dough and other gifts.*

We are entering the final week of the magazine and cookie dough sale. Thank you to those that have already sold and turned in the order forms!! OLOL School earns 40% of all sales!! Final turn in this Friday, September 21st. Completed orders with money (checks made payable to Grace) can be turned in to the Classroom Teacher or the School Office. Additional packets and order forms are available in the office.

Online ordering is also available at GASchoolstore.com. School Code: 2529626

If you have any questions, please contact Magazine Sale Co-chairs:

Leah Olson (609-0123) or [Leah@door-county.com](mailto:Leah@door-county.com) or Kathy Kocken (339-8557) or [aussie91@sbcglobal.net](mailto:aussie91@sbcglobal.net)

**Lunch/Playground  
Volunteer Schedule**

**Thur. Sept 20:** Katie  
Nielsen/Kristin Nelson

**Fri. Sept 21:** Elizabeth  
Charles/Katie Bey

**Mon. Sept 24:** Tami  
Linssen/Neil Green

**Tues. Sept 25:** Nicole  
Johnson/Kelly Smullen

**Wed. Sept 26:** Moira  
Kraft/Julie Zifferblatt

Please be at school  
from 11:20 until 12:15.  
Thank you.

**Mission Statement**

Our Lady of Lourdes, an educational ministry of the Roman Catholic Church, promotes the development of lifelong learners and Christian leaders with a strong tradition of faith, service, and academic excellence.

Dear Parents of OLOL,

Below is the link to sign up to volunteer at our **Night of Keys** event on Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup>. This is the largest fundraiser for our school, and we are in need of volunteers to make it a success. There are a variety of roles and time slots available, and you are welcome to sign up for more than one time slot. This is a great opportunity to start earning your TSF hours early in the year. It is also a great way to meet new families and be a part of this wonderful community event. Note: the *set-up* time slot allows for middle school and high school students to get service hours as well.

**LINK TO SIGN UP:**

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0a4fada82fa4f49-olol1>

If you have questions regarding any of the roles, please contact Leslie Ward at [leslie.ward@nwtc.edu](mailto:leslie.ward@nwtc.edu) or Heather Willems at [georgiaham@hotmail.com](mailto:georgiaham@hotmail.com).

Thank you for supporting our school and the Night of Keys!

Our Lady of Lourdes School  
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**Lourdes Letter Submissions**

If you have an event or information that you would like published in the newsletter, please send it to Cindy Smits at [csmits@gracesystem.org](mailto:csmits@gracesystem.org) by Monday at 3:00 to be published the following Wednesday Lourdes Letter.



**Father Benny & Deacon Mike**

**Blessing our students and staff that have  
a September birthday.**

**We're on the Web! Be sure to check the School Calendar for upcoming dates**

<http://www.lourdesdepere.org/school/>