

THE LIONS UPDATE

FROM MRS. REYNAGA, PRINCIPAL

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The Lions Update will be published about once a month to update you, our parents, on the various projects and activities of our school.

You are the primary educators of your child. As your child's school, we help and assist you in raising your child to be high school, college, and career ready.

We know that when we work together, the children benefit! Setting them up for success is our main goal!

I hope you find this newsletter helpful. If you have any questions about the information listed, please email me at principal@olltujung.org

-Mrs. Reynaga

SAVE THE DATE:

- 11/4 Preschool Parent Meeting 5:30pm
- 11/6 6th grade sponsored Mass at 8:30am
- 11/8 Family Mass sponsored by the 7th grade families & CSW Raffle early bird drawing
- 11/9 World's Finest Chocolate Kick-off
- 11/10 Veterans Day Assembly and Flag Burning Ceremony 10:30am in the auditorium
- 11/18 PTO General Meeting 7pm in the Aud.
- 11/25 Thanksgiving Vacation through 11/27



"It's GREAT to be a Lion!"

THE SHAE FOUNDATION WILL BE BACK!

The Archdiocese of Los Angeles was awarded 1.8 Million dollars for Internet infrastructure updates to our schools. We are one of 75 elementary schools in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles that will receive funding to update our infrastructure. There are 240 elementary schools, so we are pretty lucky! The funds will include updating the infrastructure on the elementary side so that our school will be ready to have more computers using the Internet at the same time! We are very excited about this news and even more excited that the project is to be completed by the end of December 2015!

Have you seen our NEW Mary Statue?

We have been blessed to have a new garden on the elementary side near the main walk-in gate which includes a beautiful statue of Mary. The Blessed Mother was purchased by Mrs. Rhodes in honor of her mother. The garden is filled with plants all donated by local businesses or by families in honor of a passed loved one. If you would like to contribute to the garden and donate a plant in honor of a loved one, simply place it and a bag of topsoil on the ledge near the garden and Mr. Chris will be happy to plant it for us.

THE DIRT LOT IS GETTING SOME TLC ☺

Thank you to Martin Hernandez (Father of Ruben Hernandez, 8th) for donating the dirt needed to smooth out the elementary morning drop off dirt lot! This weekend, Martin will be back to smooth out the piles of dirt. Thank you to everyone for your patience...it's getting done. ☺

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK RAFFLE TICKETS

Our 1st Early Bird Drawing is this Sunday after the 10:30 Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Make sure you bring in your ticket stubs to be included in this \$250 CASH Early Bird Drawing. If you have misplaced your tickets, please pray to Saint Anthony because the school does not have extras for lost tickets.

THE MORE THE MERRIER!

Our Religious Education program has almost 200 students enrolled! Our goal is to spread the word about our wonderful school to these families already in our parish. OLL School will welcome RE students to spend 2 days with us, November 23rd and 24th in hopes that they will see how wonderful we are and enroll in our school. This is also a win for the RE parents because the public schools have the whole week off and are in need of child care. If you know anyone who would like to participate, please call the school office and Mrs. Ercek can give you more information.

CONNECTION CORNER:

Do you have any of these items that you could donate to the school? Do you know someone who does? The following are items and skills that are needed by the school...sharing is caring!

- Copy paper – both white and colored
- Old envelopes or letter size stationery that can be reused
- Paper plates/cups/napkins/coffee for our teachers' lounges

The school is also in need of colored printing for our marketing efforts. *Thank you in advance for your help!*