

# CATHEDRAL NEWS

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## CALENDAR REMINDERS

**FEB 6 - 28**  
**TAG YOU'RE IT!**

**FEB 6**  
**HOT LUNCH - SUBWAY**

**FEB 10**  
**8:30AM MASS, 1ST GRADE**  
**HOT LUNCH - BURRITOS**

**FEB 12**  
**9:00AM FAMILY MASS,**  
**1ST & 5TH GRADE**

**FEB 13**  
**HOT LUNCH - TERIYAKI CHICKEN**

**FEB 14**  
**1:30PM VALENTINE PARTIES**  
**STAFF LUNCH - KINDERGARTEN**

**FEB 17**  
**8:30AM MASS, KINDERGARTEN**  
**HOT LUNCH - PIZZA**

**FEB 20 & 21**  
**NO SCHOOL/NO EXTENDED CARE**

**FEB 22**  
**ASH WEDNESDAY**  
**8:30AM MASS, 8TH GRADE**

## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

Dear Cathedral Community,

What a wonderful Catholic Schools Week! A very special thank you to the staff and parent volunteers for making the week such a success. We kicked off the week with an all school mass on Sunday at St. Mary's Cathedral followed by a classroom showcase. Thank you to Mrs. English, Mrs. Goodwin, Ms. Cavill, Ms. Walker and Mrs. Flaig for your help with mass.

On Monday, we welcomed author and cartoonist Aron Steinke. Thank you to Ms. Mecham, Ms. Anneberg and Ms. Dodson for organizing!

On Tuesday, we celebrated family by bringing back our beloved Grandparents and Special Friends Breakfast followed by mass with Bishop Smith. Thank you to all the parent volunteers for all your help and to Mrs. English, Mrs. Goodwin, Mrs. Hart, Ms. Cavill, and Dr. Kopanke for help with mass.

On Wednesday we celebrated vocations with an exciting line up of parents, clergy and friends of Cathedral School. Thank you to Mrs. Hanf, Mrs. Selis, Mrs. Trachtenberg, Mrs. Gonzalez, Ms. Walker, and Ms. Kuhlmann for putting together such a great group.

Finally, on Thursday, we celebrated community with a dollars for dress day, donating the dollars raised to the Mother & Child Education Center; students participated in an all-school rosary led by members of our Middle School Leadership Team and Mrs. Hart; and then we ended the day with our annual Talent Show! Thank you to Mrs. Gobel, Mrs. Baggenstos, Mrs. Foley, Mr. Overley, Mrs. Flaig, and Ms. Oliver for organizing the students and putting on an amazing show!

Check out our social media pages for pictures from the week!

Today we celebrate our teachers and staff! Our teachers are gathered with teachers from their Archdiocesan region for a faith formation day. A special thank you to our teachers and staff for all you do for Cathedral School!

Thank you and God Bless,  
Amy Biggs, Principal

## Tag You're It

Are you ready to play tag?! On Monday, the School Advisory Council will kick off a fun, month-long community game called "Tag You're It." The goal is easy.....secretly leave the "Tag You're It" yard sign at the home of another current Cathedral family. The recipient will have 24-48 hours to take that sign and secretly leave it at another current Cathedral family's home. Then that recipient has 24-48 hours to leave it at someone else's house, and so on and so on. If you get "tagged" please take a picture with your sign and send it to [marketing@cathedral-or.org](mailto:marketing@cathedral-or.org) or "tag" us in your photo on social media. We can't wait to see your pictures and see where the signs end up!



## Accepting Applications for 2023-2024

We are **accepting applications for the 2023-2024** school year. Be sure to let your friends, family, and colleagues know that now is the time to submit applications for all grades. Applications can be found on our [home page here](#).

We are actively looking to fill spots in Pre-Kindergarten, Kindergarten and Third grade for the 2023-2024 school year.

Additionally, if you have a younger child who will be attending Cathedral next year please make sure and fill out an application as we are accepting students and filling up for next year.

Word of mouth continues to be one of our most successful marketing tools. Thank you for your referrals, nothing represents our Cathedral School community better than the advocacy of our Cathedral families.



**ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS**  
FOR THE 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR!  
Premier Pre-Kindergarten - Eighth grade Catholic school in NW Portland.  
Small class sizes, 1:1 iPad to student ratio, before/after school care, and welcoming all faiths!



VISIT [WWW.CATHEDRAL-OR.ORG](http://WWW.CATHEDRAL-OR.ORG) FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REQUEST A TOUR!



## Honored Cougars

Students are given "Honored Cougar" tickets throughout the school day from teachers and staff for showing positive behavior. Each Friday, the tickets get entered into a drawing for special recognition.

### Congratulations to our Honored Cougars last week!

Lauren in PK (not pictured), Emma in K, Annabel in 1st, Avery in 2nd, Maggie in 3rd, Olivia S. in 4th, Spencer in 5th (not pictured), Oliver S. in 6th, Asa in 7th and Avery in 8th grade.



### Congratulations to our Honored Cougars this week!

Henry in PK, Dane in K (not pictured), Capri in 1st, Lulu in 2nd, Bowe in 3rd, Evans in 4th, Ellie in 5th, Lucy in 6th, Eden in 7th and Charlotte in 8th grade.



## From our Partners...

### Jesuit / Next Level Flag Football

Next Level Flag Football at Jesuit High School is back for a 2nd season. Site Director John Andreas (Jesuit US History teacher and Football Coach) and Jesuit Student Athletes are excited to bring you the “Best Youth Sports Experience.” Go to [www.nextlevelsports.com](http://www.nextlevelsports.com) to register.



### CYO Track & Field and Camp Howard

- Registration is open for **Summer 2023 at Camp Howard**. Attending camp, experiencing open-air fellowship, engaging in activities with friends, and having fun make camp such a special time for the kids. [Click here](#) to learn more. **Family Camp weekend** registration is now open (June 30 - July 3). [Click here](#) to learn more and register online!
- Registration is open for **CYO Track & Field**. [Click here](#) to learn more and register online.
- We are hiring summer camp staff, and we are hiring officials for CYO Track & Field! [Click here](#) for summer camp staff opportunities. [Click here](#) for officiating CYO Track & Field.
- CYO Swim championship gear is available in our online store. [Click here](#) to order.



### St. Mary's Academy Summer Programs

Registration for St. Mary's Academy summer camps is officially open! St. Mary's Academy camps are filled with adventures, hands-on activities, and a variety of fun games to pique every girl's interests. All camps are for girls entering grades 5-6 or 7-8 this fall 2023.

Summer 2023 Camp topics include:

- Visual Arts
- STEM (Science & Robotics)
- Theatre, Life Skills (Babysitting & Cooking)
- DEI & Leadership
- Dungeons & Dragons
- Anatomy
- Fashion Design
- Athletics - Information available March 1



Please [click here](#) to view our camp website and online registration page. Thank you for supporting summer enrichment opportunities for girls!