

# HOLY NAME SCHOOL

## weekly newsletter



MONDAY APR. 22	TUESDAY APR. 23	WEDNESDAY APR. 24	THURSDAY APR. 25	FRIDAY APR. 26	SATURDAY APR. 27	SUNDAY APR. 28
MAP Testing Grades K-8	MAP Testing Grades K-8	MAP Testing Grades K-8	MAP Testing Grades K-8	MAP Testing Grades K-8	8:30 AM First Communion Retreat	
		2:45 - 4:00 PM Academic Team Pizza Party	8:00 AM All School Mass  2:10 PM Middle School Leadership (8th Grade)  2:45 PM 4H Meeting	<b>LAST DAY TO SUBMIT LEND-A-HAND VOLUNTEER HOURS!</b>  2:00 PM HoUse Time  2:15 PM Preschool Popsicles with Parents (Mrs. Tanya & Mrs. Ashton)		

At Holy Name of Jesus Catholic School we are blessed to announce the person who will continue to lead Holy Name in its legacy of excellence, Ms. Emma Bridges. Ms. Bridges is a graduate of Holy Name School and active member of Holy Name Parish. In her nine years as an employee of Holy Name School she has played a role as teacher, Y-Club Sponsor, School Development Manager, Dean of Students, and Assistant to the Athletic Director as well as serving on a variety of committees. Ms. Bridges is passionate about Catholic school and dedicated to the long-term success of Holy Name. Over the course of her lifelong commitment to Holy Name Parish and School she has developed strong, lasting relationships based on professional admiration and trust. We look forward to the next chapter of life at Holy Name with Ms. Bridges as a leader.

Going forward Ms. Bridges will continue to oversee student life and behavior as she has established a mastery of that area. The Dean of Students position will dissolve and as the strategic plan has indicated a stronger emphasis on academic alignment we will seek to hire a curriculum specialist. This position will be posted soon.

To promote a smooth transition of leadership Miss Jenkins and Ms. Bridges will continue in their current roles of Principal and Dean of Students to finish out the school year while working together to prepare Ms. Bridges for her new role and set her and the school up for success.

Holy Name is prepared to finish the year on a strong note and excited for what the future holds.

pop on over

AND CHILL WITH US



Preschool Popsicles with Parents!

APRIL 26, 2024



2:15- 2:45 PM

Mrs. Tanya and Mrs. Ashton's preschool parents are invited to join us for popsicles on the playground with their preschooler!

## SPRING MAP TESTING GRADES K - 8 APRIL 22-26

Did someone say rewards? The MAP testing committee has developed some awesome testing rewards for our students! There will small daily encouragement treats and reward time offered to students that do their best! [Click Here](#) to donate testing treats! Make sure you are doing your part to set your child up for success each day!

- Make sure they get a good nights rest!
- Make sure you start their day with a good breakfast!
- Make sure they are present and on time each day!



## TUITION ACCOUNTS

As the end of the school year approaches please know that tuition accounts must be in good standing for 8th grade students to participate in graduation activities to include 8th grade graduation and the 8th grade trip. Tuition accounts must also be in good standing for students to begin the 2024-2025 school year.

# Lend-A-Hand

The Lend-A-Hand program is one way that HNS encourages our families to foster service to the church, school, and wider community. Families are encouraged to reach the following goals.

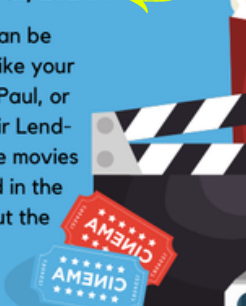
**Single Parent Families: 12 Hours**

**Two Parent Families: 24 Hours**

**Families Receiving Tuition Assistance: 36 Hours**

**Volunteer Hours Due April 26th, 2024!!**

1/4 of your Lend-A-Hand service hours can be earned from service to other organizations like your church, the Salvation Army, St. Vincent DePaul, or etc. K-8 students of families that reach their Lend-A-Hand goal will receive a reward trip to the movies in May. Volunteer hours should be entered in the Family Portal. If you have questions about the Lend-A-Hand program email [thurtte@holynameschool.org](mailto:thurtte@holynameschool.org).



**LEND-A-HAND hours must be entered in the Family Portal by the end of the day on Friday, April 26th. The reward list will be pulled directly from the portal.**



Teacher Appreciation Week is May 6-10 and the HNS PTO is the planning process for Teacher Appreciation Week. A Sign-Up Genius list for general items will be included in the HNS Weekly Newsletter next week. If you are interested in donating a specific item or would like to sponsor a lunch, breakfast, or special treat please text or call Sasha Stone at 270-860-1756 or Terra Hurtte at [thurtte@holynameschool.org](mailto:thurtte@holynameschool.org).

## HNS Class of 2020 Reunion



On Wednesday, April 17th the HNS Class of 2020 joined us for a class reunion! At HNS one of our favorite traditions is welcoming seniors back home before they head off into the world after graduation. They enjoyed food, fun, fellowship and walks through memory lane. #Cardinals4Life

## NEWS UPDATE



Holy Name is excited to announce that Kim Terry has accepted the position of Athletic Director. Mr. Terry has a wide range of knowledge in a variety of sports, he has been a substitute teacher for HNS, a personal trainer to several of our teachers in an after school work out program, and a HNS basketball coach for a number of years. Mr. Steele and Mr. Terry will work together to ensure a smooth transition in our athletic program and to promote success for Mr. Terry as he takes over the role this summer. Mr. Steele will continue as the P.E. teacher. He loves teaching the students everyday and has no plans to leave. We are still in need of a volleyball coach. If you know someone, please send their name to Kevin Steele, [ksteele@holynameschool.org](mailto:ksteele@holynameschool.org).



The HNS Summer Enrichment Program provides high-quality, affordable care to Holy Name families combined with intellectual, creative, and physical activities!



**CLICK HERE TO REGISTER TODAY!**

Questions? Contact:  
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**May 29  
to  
July 25**



## HNS CLASS OF 2024 IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

**April 24-** Academic Pizza Party @ 2:45 PM

**May 2-** May Crowning (Mother's Mass) @ 8:00 AM

**May 10-** 8th Grade Play @ 6:00 PM

**May 16-** Zero Demerit Reward Day

**May 17-** 4th Quarter HoUse Challenge Day

**May 19-** Athletic Banquet @ 6:30 PM

**May 20-** Closing School Mass @ 8:00 AM

**May 21-** Graduation Mass & Reception @ 6:00 PM

**May 22-** Last Day for Students, Announcement of HoUse Champions & Class of 2024 Trip



Join the Owensboro Catholic  
Color Guard!!



Color Guard is open to any  
student currently in Grades 6-11.  
Information given at the clinic.



Clinic for the 2024 Guard:  
Wednesday May 1 and Friday  
May 3 from 3:30pm-5:00pm in the  
OCHS Small Gym



Contact Mr. Hauser at  
[ed.hauser@owensborocatholic.org](mailto:ed.hauser@owensborocatholic.org)  
if you have any questions

# DIOCESAN EDUCATOR OF THE YEAR

Has an HNS teacher impacted your child's life in a positive way? Do you want to honor them for their efforts? You are invited to nominate an HNS teacher for the Diocesan Educator of the Year Award.

Every year the Catholic Schools Office accepts nominations for Educator of the Year. This is an honor that will be awarded at the Diocesan Celebration of Catholic Schools Day. A committee chosen by the Superintendent serves as judges. There are so many educators throughout our Diocese that would be deserving of this award, but only one will be awarded. Therefore, please know that it is important to give as much supporting evidence as possible so the judges understand, just as much as you do, why your nominee deserves to be the Educator of the Year. To nominate an HNS Educator please [click here](#).

NOMINATIONS DUE BY JULY 1, 2024

*Nominate an Educator Today!*

Join our  
awesome team

For more  
information and  
to APPLY

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- After School Child Care
- Head Volleyball Coach

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