

April 22, 2020

### *Important Tentative\* Dates for 2020-2021*

July 16, 2020	Uniform Swap 8:00 am to 10:00 am and 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm. HFS Cafeteria
July 25, 2020	1st Parent Work Day – 7:30 am to 11:30 am – HFS Campus
August 1, 2020	2nd HFS Parent Workday 7:30 am to 11:30 am – HFS Campus
August 2, 2020	New Parent Orientation – 5:00 pm – HF Church
August 4, 2020	Open House – 4th and 5th grades – 6:30 pm to 7:00 pm Open House – 6th, 7th, and 8th grades – 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm
August 5, 2020	Open House PreK-4, Kindergarten and 1st 6:30 pm to 7:00 pm Open House – 2nd and 3rd grades 7:00 pm to 7:30 pm
August 10, 2020	1 <sup>st</sup> Day of School 1 <sup>st</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> grades
August 10, 2020	1st Day of School PreK4 and Kindergarten <u>Boys ONLY</u>
August 11, 2020	1st Day of School - PreK4 and Kindergarten <u>Girls ONLY</u>
August 12, 2020	1 <sup>st</sup> Day of School ALL students – PreK4 – 8 <sup>th</sup> grades
August 13, 2020	1 <sup>st</sup> School Mass – 8:00 am
August 19, 2020	PreK3 – 8 <sup>th</sup> grade ID pictures – Taken in Baby Bear Care
August 20, 2020	School Mass – 8:00 am
August 27, 2020	School Mass – 8:00 am – Kindergarten attends with Buddies
September 7, 2020	Labor Day – No School
October 5 & 6, 2020	Fall Break – No School

*\*\*Parents, please keep in mind that the above mentioned dates are still a bit fluid. We are hoping we do not need to change any of them, but there is always a possibility. We will keep you abreast of any changes should they happen.*

## *End of Year Important Announcements*

Yesterday, Dr. Melanie Palmisano notified principals that, although distanced, schools must fulfill the entire length of the instructional school year days. Due to this recent information, the end date of online learning has been moved from Sunday, May 10th to Friday, May 15th. The week following (Week of May 18th) will be used as review/virtual field trips/make-up work). Everything should be turned in as complete by the last day of school - Wednesday May 20th. If you should have any questions, please let Mrs. Ashford know at [aashford@hfspa.com](mailto:aashford@hfspa.com).

## *Summer Bear Care Camp Information*

As of today, we still plan to move forward with Summer Bear Camp 2020! Should those plans change, you will be made aware. We still have some spots available and would love to have your child with us for this fun-filled summer. In order to stay safe and continue practicing recommended health initiatives, we will be adjusting our activities. Our summer camp groups will also be limited to 10 children in each group.

Any currently enrolled student entering Kindergarten through 8th grade may attend Summer Camp! Please go to the HFS website to register your child. <https://holyfamilyschool.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/Summer-Camp-Registration-2020.pdf>

## *Time and Talent Information*

Dear Parents,

We understand that some of you may have been unable to complete your required 12 hours of Time and Talent for this school year. Keeping that in mind, during our on-line Advisory Board meeting this week, members made recommendations to Mrs. Ashford that would allow all parents the opportunity to earn their hours until the first day of school in August (which will be announced at a later date).

Our Time and Talent Coordinator, Mrs. Melanie Brown, asked for parents to still click on the link below in order to post any hours that you have earned thus far. If you have more than the 12 hours and would like to carry them over to next year, please indicate that as well on the form.

<https://holyfamilyschool.com/student-portal/time-and-talent-hours-form/>

Should you have questions about your hours, please email Melanie Brown at [Melanie.Brown@earthlink.net](mailto:Melanie.Brown@earthlink.net).

## *Ava and Jacob Saucier Memorial Scholarship Information*

If you applied for the Ava and Jacob Saucier Memorial Scholarship for the 2020-2021 school year, please send a message to Mrs. Alise Ashford, Principal, at [aashford@hfspa.com](mailto:aashford@hfspa.com). We want to be sure with the disruption of school, that all applications have been received.

## *Advisory Board Members Applicants Still Needed*

The role of the Holy Family School Advisory Board is to meet monthly (roughly 9 times per calendar year), discuss, and advise Father David Allen, Pastor, and Mrs. Alise Ashford, Principal, on behalf of the parents, alumni and stakeholders of Holy Family School. Committee reports for all Holy Family committees are submitted and reviewed at each meeting. The board consists of both elected and appointed members. Those members are pooled from not only Holy Family Parish, but St. John the Baptist in Brusly, and Immaculate Conception in Lakeland. For the upcoming school year, we have three elected positions from Holy Family Parish. Please forward a letter of intent, a description of what you can bring to the board and a bit of biographical information. Please submit the above-mentioned information to Mrs. Alise Ashford, Principal, at [aashford@hfspa.com](mailto:aashford@hfspa.com). All interested parties must submit information no later than May 1, 2020.