

Important for the Weeks of March 20th and 27th, 2023

Dear HFGS Families, Faculty, Staff, Students, and Friends,

Thank you, Fr. Bartholomew Hutcherson, O.P.

Fr. Bart's evening sessions were a mini-retreat for our faculty and staff. His presence in the community did show us how to become a more Eucharistic people of God. The attendees maintained a peaceful celebration, a purposeful listening, a silent prayer, and deep connectivity with God. Thanks to Fr. Anthony for his administrative and spiritual leadership, as well as in making this year's Parish Mission Night possible.

Lent Confessions

Tomorrow, **Monday, 3/20/23** is our scheduled Lenten Confessions for 3rd through 8th Grade. The Sacrament of Reconciliation or referred to as Penance has its very purpose which is to reconcile man to God. When we sin, we deprive ourselves of God's grace. The only way out of the downward cycle of committing sins is to acknowledge our sins, to repent, and to ask God's forgiveness and once done, grace can be restored to our souls and we can once again resist the temptation to sin.

Dr. Krikor Kiladjian leads our faculty and our 8th graders in completing an ICILS survey, International Computer and Information Literacy Study.

This is an international study sponsored by the United States Department of Education that assesses 8th grade students' capacity to use ICT (information communication technologies) productively. HFGS was invited to participate. The completion of both faculty's and 8th graders' surveys will significantly assist the entire study. More details will be forthcoming.

Panda Fundraiser for our Cheer and Sports Teams

Calling on your support to place your order on March 23rd. Please see the attached flier for important details. Thanks to Mrs. Elsbeth Fulgencio, Mrs. Cindy Bulaon, and Mrs. Fabiola Martinez for their time and effort in putting this one fundraising event together.

Congratulations, Cheer, HipHop Teams, and Coaches!

On Saturday, March 18th, our HFGS Bulldog Cheer and Hip Hop Teams competed in the SHARP CHEER Competition at Sierra Vista High School. Congratulations to all our teams for placing first in the respective categories and to HFGS for winning the "Most Outstanding School", "Judges Award" trophies, and many individual trophies and medals.

Thank you to our Athletic Director Mrs. Teresa Nelson and Coaches Miss Alexa Isaac, Miss Britney Valle, Miss Riley Miguel, Mr. Jared Singzon for their regular training of our teams and our school families for their continued support.

Congratulations Bulldogs!

First Place: Mascots

First Place: Puppy Cheer

First Place :Mighty Mite Cheer

First Place: B Team Cheer

First Place: Varsity Cheer

Most Outstanding School Award

First Place: Hip Hop

Best Toe Touch: First place - Emma Aguilar; Third place - Peighton Clavio; First place - Mason Tagorda

Best Kicks: First place - Mason Tagorda; First Place - Emma Aguilar; Second place - Shanessa Dias

Best Leaps: First place- Lean Eira Tomines; First Place- Mason Tagorda; Second place - Emma Aguilar

Judges Award Trophy

Third place stunt group minis: Camilla Acosta, Olivia Baetiong, Nicole Ishaq, and Kaydann Lewis

First place toe touch: Mason Tagorda

Second place: Kiana Gil

Tumbling First place: Madelyn Isidron

Spectator Dance: Mrs. Elder, Mrs. Arias, Riley Miguel, Ms. Torres, Arwen Orbita, Mrs. Orbita, Mrs. Torres (grandmother of Mikayla, Benjamin, and Penelope), Ms. Guillermo, Mrs. Murillo, Mrs. Silvano, Maryjo

Makhoul, **Brendan Jazmines - First place**, Mrs. Ishaq, Mrs. Vergara, Mrs. Baetiong, Mrs. Martinez, **Jared Singzon - Winner**, **Jaden Gil - Winner**, **Mr. Gil - Winner**, Jared Soliman, Darrylle Silvano, and **Matthew Isidron - Winner**

HFGS Builders Club and The Kiwanis Incredible Duck Splash 2023

The Kiwanis Incredible Duck Splash ("KIDS") is produced by Glendale Kiwanis Foundation, a charitable organization for the benefit of numerous non-profit organizations, primarily for the benefit of projects and programs serving children and youth. HFGS Kiwanis Builders Club that is under the guidance of Deacon Ron Baker and direct supervision of Miss Alexa Isaac has established a goal of adopting ducks.

While the members of Kiwanis Builders Club are working toward achieving their goal and in strengthening their leadership skills, the members will communicate all important details to their families and their schoolmates in the next days and during a student general assembly.

<https://www.duckrace.com/glendale>

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Mon. 3/20

8:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. - 3rd through 8th Grade **LENT Confessions**, HFCC

Note: Talent Show auditions will begin.

Tues. 3/21

8:00 a.m. - 8:50 a.m. - School Mass

3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Faculty Meeting

Wed. 3/22

8:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. - Fire Safety Program for TK / Kindergarten through 5th Grade (TK/Kindergarten - 2nd Grade from 8:15 a.m. - 9:15 a.m. and 3rd through 5th Grade from 9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.)

8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon - Regional Elementary School & High School Principals' Meeting, Bishop Alemany High School / GUSD Consultation Meeting

Thurs. 3/23 - Cheer Fundraiser with Panda Express (Please reference the flier attachment to place order and to use our HFGS code.)

8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. - 4th and 5th Grade Field Trip to **San Gabriel Mission Playhouse** to watch a performance of The Music Man

11:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - 7th and 8th Grade Field Trip to **The Los Angeles Superior Courthouse in Pasadena**

Fri. 3/24

9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. - Stations of the Cross, GSA

Mon. 3/27 - Professional Development for Faculty (No School)

Tues. 3/28

8:00 a.m. - 8:50 a.m. - School Mass

11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. - March Madness winners' Limo Ride and Chuck-e-Cheese Lunch for Two with Mrs. Teresa Nelson and parent chaperones - 2700 Colorado Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90041

3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Faculty Meeting

Wed. 3/29

8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. - March Madness Winners of the Video Game Truck

Thurs. 3/30 - End of the 3rd Quarter (1/24/23 - 3/30/23)

8:15 a.m. - 9:15 a.m. - Student-of-the-Quarter & Short Fiction and Illustration Recognition Assembly

8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - Vision to Learn Shea Foundation Grant: Vision Screening for HFGS Students Mobile Van Day#5 Eye Exam

Fri. 3/31 - Cesar Chavez Day

8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. - 5th Grade's Field Trip to The Ronald Reagan Library, 40 Presidential Dr. Simi Valley, CA 93065

8:45 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. - Stations of the Cross, Church

10:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. - Meeting for all 6th and 7th graders who wish to run for the Student Council, 8th Grade Classroom

A prayer meditation to begin the week

Jesus, in your name the blind see, the lame walk, and the dead are raised to life. Come into our lives and heal the wounds of our broken hearts. Give us eyes of faith to see your glory and hearts of courage to bring you glory in all we say and do.

Psalm 23:1-6

1 The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not want;

2 he makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters;

3 he restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

4 Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I fear no evil; for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

5 You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil, my cup overflows.

6 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

Thank you and please continue to have a blessed Lent.

Dr. Suelto

References:

Fr. Anthony's Message

School Calendar

Sisters of Charity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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Thursday, March 23, 2023

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