

# WEEKLY WOLF HOWL

**August 7, 2020** 

## **Upcoming Events:**

#### August 10:

JV Golf vs. Harrison @ Fairfield North 11:30

Freshman Orientation 12:30-3:00 Varsity Golf vs. Fairfield @ Walden Ponds 2:30

#### August 11:

Freshman Orientation 8:00-3:00
Varsity Golf Sycamore Invitational @
Walden Ponds 8:00
Fall Sports Parent Meeting

#### August 12:

JV Golf vs. Badin @ Woodland 4:00 Fall Sports Parent Meeting

#### August 13:

#### **WELCOME BACK WOLVES**

First day of school

Varsity Tennis vs. Seton @ PAC 4:00 JV Tennis vs. Seton @ LaSalle 4:00

Check out the 2020-2021
Student Handbook online. It
can be found at <a href="https://www.mercymcauley.org/current-families/links-resources">https://www.mercymcauley.org/current-families/links-resources</a> . Click
on Student Handbook. Please

note the new policy on tardiness and the updates to the uniform policy.



### LUNCH MENU 8/13-8/14:

Cheeseburger, Chicken patty sandwich, Grinders, Wraps, Ready made salads, and French fries.

Shipping for polo shirts has been delayed. For the week of August 10th, students may wear spirit tops and appropriate length shorts!

Make sure to check your schedule for your Den number, Den name, and location! There are changes!

#### CAFETERIA UPPATES:

- Masks must stay on until you are ready to eat.
- Self-service food distribution has been discontinued. All items will be individually packaged and served by staff
- You must stay 6 feet apart in serving lines.
- There will be two lunch bells. Check your schedule for your lunch bell.
- There will be 35 minutes between lunch bells for cleaning.
- Microwave use in the cafeteria will be curtailed.
- You will not be able to use the refrigerators or enter the kitchen.
- You may eat in the cafeteria or cafeteria conference rooms. Weather permitting, students are able to eat outside in the front of the building with a portion of the driveway closed off.
- You will be invited to lunch by class.

## KAMPY'S KORNER

It is with great *Excitement, Enthusiasm and Energy* that we start the 2020-21 school. Everyone is very happy to have you back in the building as we continue on our faith journeys together. There will be some challenges this year, but I know with the cooperation of everyone, we can and will make this a very successful year. Everyone needs to be or become *a Responsible Learner*. *As always, we can do this together*.

Everyone may look a little different or you may have to look more closely to recognize someone because of the masks, but we will adjusts because all of us are very flexible and adjust easily.

"Wolves that wear masks together, Stay healthy together."

"A good beginning is of great importance." — Catherine McAuley

## WOLVES WELLNESS INFO

- ⇒ Masks must be worn at all times, except when eating or drinking.
- ⇒ Practice social distancing of a minimum of 6 feet when possible.
- ⇒ If you arrive to school before 7:30, you will need to social distance in the cafeteria until after 7:30 when you will go to your first bell class.
- $\Rightarrow$  If you arrive to school after 7:30, you will go directly to your first bell class.
- ⇒ If you are absent due to illness, you will still be able to attend class remotely if your health permits.

## HALLWAY SAFETY & CHANGE OF CLASS:

- ⇒ After each class, you will be dismissed in an orderly fashion. You will travel on the right side on hallway practicing social distancing to get to the next class.
- ⇒ Students will not cross the hall to enter a classroom but will move to the end of the hall and continue staying on the right side again to enter their next class.
- ⇒ At the end of the school day students will be dismissed by floors to prevent gatherings in the student lobby.
- $\Rightarrow$  You will not be permitted to enter a classroom until the previous class has exited.

## DEN, CLASS MEETINGS, ASSEMBLIES, OPEN TIME:

- ⇒ Den meetings will be held in designated classrooms and students will social distance at a minimum of 3 to 6 feet apart.
- ⇒ Class meetings will be held in large designated areas and students will social distance at a minimum of 3 to 6 feet apart.
- ⇒ Masses and assemblies will be held in the auditorium with only two classes present. The other two classes will watch via live streaming. All students will practice social distancing.
- ⇒ During Open Time, students may use designated spots in the cafeteria, library or auditorium while practicing social distancing. Tables and chairs in the cafeteria (3 at rectangular tables, 2 at large round tables, 1 at small round table) and library will be positioned for social distancing. Students will need to leave four empty seats between each other in the auditorium. Disinfectant will be available in all of these areas.

### MENTAL HEALTH:

- ⇒ You will be provided with information from the school counselors on how to access resources for mental health and wellness.
- ⇒ Counselors and our student service team will be available to you during face to face and remote learning.