



St. Mark Lion



Welcome back!

We hope that everyone had a peaceful and restful holiday break. We are so glad to have our hallways full once again! The faculty and staff of St. Mark are excited to usher in this new year and the new decade with all of you and your families.

Dine Out for Abby!

Please consider having dinner with us at Peace A Pizza this Tuesday, January 7 from 4-8pm.

20% of the evening's proceeds will be donated to the Renehan family to help offset the cost of Abby's hospitalizations – a result of her recent battle with brain cancer.

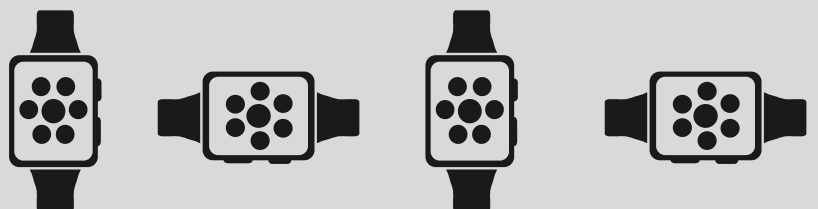


What's Coming Up?

- January 7 - Dine Out for Abby | 4-8pm
Peace A Pizza
- January 8 - Walk-Through Wednesday | 9am
HASA Meeting | 7pm
- January 10 - Kindergarten & Grade 5
Nutrition Day
- January 13 - HASA Restaurant Night | 5-8pm
Panera Bread
- January 16 - Mass | 1:45pm
- January 17 - Noon Dismissal
- January 20 - No School
- January 24 - HASA Baubles & Bags Bingo | 7pm

The Cell Phone/Electronic Device Policy Has Been Updated for 2020.

In the coming weeks, the administration of St. Mark School will unveil a new policy pertaining to the use of smart watches on school property. Apple watches and similar devices with texting capabilities will be collected with student cell phones in the morning by all homeroom teachers. The devices will all be locked away securely throughout the day and returned prior to dismissal.



Welcome Back, Mrs. Wecker

Please join us in welcoming (and congratulating) Mrs. Nicole Wecker, our school counselor as she returns from her maternity leave. We are so happy to have her back with us. Also, St. Mark would like to thank Mrs. Cindy Petter for being our interim counselor. We appreciate all of her kindness.

PBIS Spotlight Shines On...

Concetta Charleston, Grade 6A

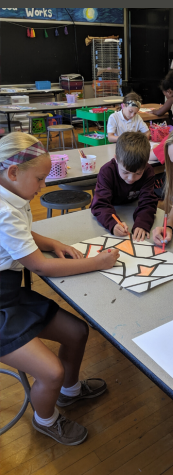
Concetta was nominated by Mrs. Huppman, Grade 6A. Cetta's essay was selected as 1 of 20 finalists from the state of Maryland in the Fox 45 Champions of Courage Essay Contest. Please tune in to Fox 45 during the month of February to see Concetta read her own beautiful words.



Middle School Lunch Forms Due

The deadline for Middle School Lunch orders is tomorrow. Please be sure to turn in all order forms and checks made out to St. Mark HASA before the end of the day tomorrow (Friday) to HM or Matt Hahn c/o Kolbe Hahn, Grade 5B.

St. Mark School
Walk-Through
Wednesdays
 An Admissions Open House Event
First Wednesday of Every Month
9am - 11am
 Visit www.st.mark-school.org or call 410-744-6560 x 2 for more information.



Class Spotlight - Grade 2 & Mrs. Nalley

Grade 2 has been working hard all year on their PBIS goals and have surpassed their goal of 2 Class Paw Awards by 2020 when they earned a third before the holiday break. Congratulations, Second Grade!

In the Event of Inclement Weather...

In the event of a weather emergency, St. Mark will follow Baltimore County for all school closures, delays and early dismissals.

It is our wish to communicate these changes to you as quickly and efficiently as possible.

In addition to being able to find closures and delays by following WBAL, St. Mark will also communicate via email, text and voice messaging system, as well as social media.