



Saint Martin de Porres High School  
**Weekly Newsletter**  
**October 20, 2023**

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**[Vote Daily for Cristo Rey Network!](#)**

As many of you know, we are a member school of the Cristo Rey Network. Our national organization is in the running for the Parents Choice Award, a \$100,000 prize funded by the Yass Foundation for Education.

We are asking our families, supporters, and friends to [vote daily for the Cristo Rey Network!](#)

If the Cristo Rey Network receives the most votes and is awarded the Parents Choice Award, the \$100,000 prize will fuel an innovation grant for several Cristo Rey Network schools (like us!). By voting in support of our national network, our school could be eligible to receive the grant to fund innovative, high-impact projects for our students.

[Please vote early and often.](#) You can vote daily from now until November 24. This five second task can make a substantial impact on our movement, locally and nationally. We thank you in advance!

VOTE NOW

# WORK

## [No CWS: October 27th & November 10th](#)

There will be no school and no Corporate Work Study on Friday, October 27th due to Fall Break.

On Friday, November 10th, Sophomores will not report to Corporate Work Study and will instead remain at school for a Professional Development Day. More details to come.

## [Career Readiness Instruction Continues](#)

9th & 10th Grade CWS Career Readiness Instruction continues on Mondays and Tuesdays before Corporate Work Study.

## [Earn Professional Skills Certification & WIN PRIZES](#)

See. Ms. Deleva in Corporate Work Study for more information.

## [Don't forget to submit your timecards!](#)

Don't forget to submit yours within 24 hours of your work day. This counts towards your GPA.

## [Friday Rotation Calendar](#)

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Next Friday Rotation is **FRESHMEN** on Friday, November 3.

## [CWS Hotline: 216-346-7896](#)

Don't forget to contact CWS before 2:00 PM if you are picking up your student from work.  
Call us with any questions or concerns regarding Corporate Work Study!

# STUDY

## [Congratulations to our Quarter 1 Honors!](#)

We are proud of our 199 students who achieved Merit, Honor or High Honor Roll for the 1st Quarter! Keep up the great work!

[View the List](#)

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## No School: Fall Break

There will be no school and no Corporate Work Study on Friday, October 27th through Tuesday, October 31st. Enjoy your Fall Break! School will resume on Wednesday, November 1st.

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## Parent-Teacher Conferene Request

Thank you to everyone who attended our Report Card Pick Up Night! Please complete this brief form to share your interest for an extended in-person or virtual meeting with your child's teachers. The purpose of this form is to ensure you have enough time to discuss your concerns and for teachers to come as prepared as possible to discuss your specific concerns.

[Sign Up Today](#)

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## College Counseling Updates

College Counselors are available to meet with students and families about college applications, scholarships, financial aid, and all parts of the college application process.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SENIORS WHO WERE ACCEPTED INTO THE FOLLOWING COLLEGES THIS WEEK!**

**THEY GOT IN!**



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**SERVE**

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## COVID-19 Protocol Reminders

As we begin to enter cold and flu season, we want to remind students and families about our protocols if your student tests positive for COVID-19,

- Student should remain home for 5 days and be symptom free for 24 hours before returning to school.
  - Absences will be excused while the student is out without penalty.
  - Students will be provided with an additional week of extended time to complete missed schoolwork.
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## You're Invited!



### *\* SMDP Autumn Garden Party\**

*Join us and enjoy*

*Chili Bar  
Fire Engine | Smokehouse  
Talent Showcase  
Refreshments  
Games*

*Tuesday, October 24, 2023  
3:30-5:30pm*

*See Ms. Barrett in Campus Ministry for more Info  
abarrett@stmdphs.org  
216.881.1689 ext 373*

*Volunteers Needed!*



## HEALTHY FOOD COOKING DEMO

WITH CHEF SHONTAE JACKSON  
OF STEELE FARMS AND GARDEN

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25TH

3:30-5PM \* ROOM 356  
ALL ARE WELCOME!!!

CONTACT MS. BARRETT IN CAMPUS MINISTRY FOR MORE INFO  
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# LEAD

## Senior Portraits

SENIOR PORTRAITS will be Monday, November 6, 2023. Lifetouch will be here to take the pictures. These are the pictures that will be included in the yearbook, on the graduation booklet, and for your class composite that will hang in the hallway. Please see specifics below:

- **SCHEDULE:** It is a regular school day for seniors. Pictures will be taken throughout the day during student's College Counseling Class.
- **WHAT TO WEAR:** **Students must be in regular uniform on Monday.** Gentlemen, please wear a white-button down shirt. If you only have blue, we will have some white shirts in case, but it is best if you have your own. **Ladies, please be sure to wear a tank top** with your regular uniform. We will provide the tie & jacket for the guys (and girls that would like this option) and the black shawl and pearls for the girls.
- **TO ORDER PICTURES:** Upon taking the photo, students will receive a code, ID number and link to access proofs and order photos. You should also receive emails from Lifetouch Prestige with more specific information.
- **RETAKES:** Retakes will take place on January 17th.

Questions, please contact Mary Sayre at [msayre@stmdphs.org](mailto:msayre@stmdphs.org).

# 4 A's of Accountability

**ATTENDANCE**



**ATTENTION**



**ATTITUDE**



**ATTIRE**

**"Holding people accountable is one of the greatest acts of love. When I'm holding you accountable, I'm saying, "You're capable of a bigger game."**

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## PRAY

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*You want us to be your masterpiece.*

*You want us to be the master's piece*

*You are the only one who gives everlasting peace."*

Please enjoy this video "God created Humans in His Image" which was used in Mr. Brickman's 10th grade theology class this past week. May God bring you peace this weekend.

