









Saint Martin de Porres High School **Weekly Newsletter**

October 27, 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.

<u>Please vote early and often</u>. 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

Nominate Your Supervisor!

Is your CWS supervisor the best? Do you want to celebrate them with a special gift and recognition? Nominate your supervisor for "CWS Supervisor of the Month"

Nominate them today

No CWS: November 10th

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

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.

Did you lose your Student ID?

Students are issued a student ID at the beginning of each school year. If you lost or misplaced your ID, please complete the below form to receive a replacement. Replacement IDs cost \$5 each. Your new ID will be available for pick up at the front desk within one business day from order placement.

Get a Replacement ID

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!



SERVE

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.

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.

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"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."

Life of St. Martin de Porres

Martin de Porres was born in Lima, Peru, in 1579. His father's name was Don Juan de Porres and he was a Spanish nobleman who later became governor of Panama. His mother's name was Ana Velasquez and she was a free black woman.

Early in his life, Martin had a spiritual experience where he realized that he was seen and loved by God and that he had special gifts to give to the world. After that spiritual encounter, Martin became devoted to learning more about God. Because of his deep connection to God, he applied to join the Dominican Order (a Catholic religious community) at the age of 15.



ST. MARTIN'S FEAST DAY IS NOVEMBER 3RD

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