



Saint Martin de Porres High School
Weekly Newsletter
November 17, 2023

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LAST CHANCE TO VOTE!

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 on Monday & Tuesday](#)

There is no Corporate Work Study on Monday, November 20th and Tuesday, November 21st. Students should attend school on their regular class schedules.

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

See Ms. Deleva in Corporate Work Study for more information. Congrats to Eriell '27 for being the 1st to complete all 10 modules of Soft Skills High and earn her certification!

[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 **SENIORS** on Friday, December 1.

[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

[Next Week's Schedule](#)

There is no Corporate Work Study on Monday, November 20th and Tuesday, November 21st. Students should attend school and follow their regular class schedules. There will be NO school and NO Corporate Work Study on Wednesday, November 22 through Friday, November 24 due to Thanksgiving break.

[College Counseling Updates](#)

FAFSA will open in December, so senior families should begin to gather their 2022 1040 tax forms and W-2s. Parents will also need an FSA ID. This application must be completed to receive financial aid for college, and it is a graduation requirement. Stay tuned for more information.

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

THEY GOT IN!



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

Order Today! Special Saint Martin Gear

Don't miss your chance to order some special Saint Martin Holiday gear from our limited time Spirit Store! **All orders must be submitted by Monday, November 20th.**

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Order 11/10 to 11/20

No orders will be accepted after the deadline.

Class of 2024 Lock In

We will have our annual Senior Lock-in on Friday, December 1st at 7:00PM through Saturday, December 2nd at 8:00AM. Senior Lock-in is a great opportunity for our seniors to spend time together, building community and have fun. The night will consist of planned activities in the Saint Clair building. Students will not be allowed to leave and are not permitted to bring any guests. Students must follow all rules of Saint Martin and those put in place for the Lock-In. There will be staff on duty at all times and students will have separate sleeping arrangements for boys and girls. Drop off will be 7:00PM-8:00PM on Friday and Pick-Up on Saturday will be no later than 8:00am. If a student needs to work on Friday evening, please let Mrs. Sayre know your expected time of arrival, so we can plan accordingly. Permission slips will go out this coming Monday, November 20th and MUST be returned by Wednesday, November 29th to participate. Questions, please contact Mary Sayre at msayre@stmdphs.org.

Mark Your Calendars: Christmas Family Night

Our annual Christmas Family Night will be on Thursday, December 14th from 5:00-7:00 in St. Vitus gym. We will have Christmas activities including cookie decorating and ornament coloring, as well as a fun Christmas Themed Bingo, followed by performances by our Lionettes, Step team, Drumline, Cheer & Hip Hop & Poetry beginning at 6:00PM. ALL ARE WELCOME!



4 A's of Accountability

ATTENDANCE



ATTENTION



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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."

PRAY

Native American Heritage Month is a time to acknowledge the important contributions of American Indians (AI) and Alaska Natives (AN) in the United States and celebrate their rich and diverse cultures, traditions and history.

**O Great Creator,
We give praise and thanks to You for our lives and world. You make all things new and good, and you invite your peoples throughout creation to receive and share all that is good with each other.**

Thank you for how wonderfully and intimately You share Your life with us all. Likewise, we seek deepening relationships with each other and all Creation. We commit to live and work with one another – our families, our communities and all cultures, nations and peoples. We thank Your Great Holy Spirit for the great variety of gifts and talents You give Your people, and we commit to always using Your blessings to help one another and all Creation.

**We commit, O Creator, to share with and care for each other as You continue to do with us: with great reverence, generosity and respect. All praise and thanks to you, O Creator, for the privilege and call to share in Your wonderful life!
Amen.**

ADAPTED FROM, "CATHOLICISM AND TRADITIONAL INDIGENOUS SPIRITUALITY – A REFLECTION ON COMMONALITIES," NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER IN SOLIDARITY WITH INDIGENOUS PEOPLES



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