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Dear Parents.

Thank you to all who helped make the Twelfth Welcome Breakfast such an enjoyable and successful event – more than 120 people were served;, the food was delicious, and the company enjoyable. Special thanks to Jayme Chippendale for coordinating this special family event and to Tom Chippendale and his committee members whose willingness to cook the breakfast enabled us to keep this wonderful tradition. Thank you also to all the parents who volunteered to set up, serve, and clean up. To all faculty, staff, parents, students, parishioners, and friends who purchased tickets, gave donations, and helped in any way, Thank you!

*Thank you also to all those who supported the Class of 2016 Car Wash and Bake Sale.* The student raised \$900 for their trip to Washington, D.C. If you check out the Car Wash pictures on our face book page (Holy Name School Fall River) or our website (<a href="www.hnsfr.org">www.hnsfr.org</a>) you will see that the students really enjoyed themselves!

A lunch form for the week of September 21<sup>st</sup> through September 25<sup>th</sup> is enclosed. If ordering lunch or milk please return the completed form with payment by noon on Thursday, September 17<sup>th</sup>; no lunch or milk orders will be accepted after that time.

This is our fourth week of school; three weeks from today Progress Reports will be issued. All of the faculty members encourage you to go on Gradelink to see how your son and/or daughter is (are) doing. All missed homework, tests, and/or quizzes should be made up. Please remember that you can request Gradelink to notify you if a grade is above or below a grade of your choosing.

Reminder: The deadline for advertising in the Harvest Festival Booklet is this Friday, September 18<sup>th</sup>. The deadline for including a name in the P.A.L.S. is Monday, September 21<sup>st</sup>.

The next meeting of the Harvest Festival Committee is tomorrow evening September 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center. A Harvest Festival Bake Sale flyer is included with today's letter.

Reminder to 8<sup>th</sup> grade parents that the Pageant Rehearsals begin tomorrow after school – 2:45 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.

There are two CORI Workshops being held this week; one on Thursday at 2 p.m. in the Art Room and the other on Friday morning at 9 a.m. in the Art Room. The next CORI Workshop to be held in the evening is next Monday, September 21<sup>st</sup> at 6 p.m. in the Parish Center.

The school has received notification that the 55<sup>TH</sup> Annual BCC/Rensselaer Region III Science & Engineering Fair will be held on Saturday, March 5, 2016, at Bristol Community College in Fall River. Many of our Middle School students exhibit their Science Fair projects at the Region III Fair.

Mrs. Donna Costa (617-759-6152 Donnalcosta@gmail.com) and Ms. Danielle Vital (508-965-8681 Deev630@yahoo.com) are coordinating the Holy Name School Futsal Program for the 2015-2016 school year. The Futsal Program is in need of coaches; any parents who are interested in coaching a Futsal Team are encouraged to contact either Donna Costa or Danielle Vital. Thank you.

Sincerely

Patricia M. Wardell, Ed. D.

Principal

Holy Name School provides a Catholic education within an atmosphere of academic excellence. While providing Catholic values, students are challenged to do their best, to nurture their gifts and talents, and to develop curiosity, creativity, and critical thinking.

Holy Name School strives to produce confident, competent, and caring individuals who can work cooperatively, show respect for one another, and who demonstrate an understanding and appreciation of Catholic values.

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