

8th Grade Newsletter – 9.13.18

Greetings.

We have a few items this week.

1. Mrs. McCarthy will be introducing a research paper project in social studies class at the beginning of next week. We will review research skills, locating reliable and valid sources, making source cards, note cards, and outlines in social studies and language arts classes. Students may need to visit their local public library to gather information for this paper.
2. The first 8th grade retreat of the year is scheduled for the afternoon next Thursday, September 20.
3. An updated service hours sheet is attached and can also be found on my web page. Since we now have the final dates for Confirmation, the new sheet includes an updated deadline. Sheets already turned in will, of course, be counted.
4. Mrs. Chandler is forwarding important updates and calendar information for Confirmation. Please review those documents carefully and let us know if you have questions or need more information.
5. Student Council campaigns begin on Monday, and the election will take place on Friday, September 21.
6. Completed forms and payment for the graduation trip to Chicago in May are due by October 2. Thanks to all of you who have already submitted these.

Have a wonderful weekend (it's still summer)!

Mr. Bilski, Mrs. McCarthy, and Mrs. Esquivel