



Boys' Latin of Philadelphia Middle School Ledger Friday, November 1, 2019

Tuesday, November 5, 2019: No School Election Day! There is no school for students on Tuesday, November 5th, Election Day!

Monday, November 4, 2019: Picture Retake
Students who did not have their pictures taken in September will be able to get their pictures taken on Monday, November 4th.

8th Grade Activities

The cost to families this year for eighth grade dues will be \$100.00. The first installment is \$50.00 and can be submitted early. Mr. Brody, 8th Grade History Teacher, will begin collecting dues in December but early submissions are welcomed.

7th Grade SPARK

SPARK has added a new lab on November 12. The lab will take place at the school during 1st period, with a regular dismissal time. As always, if your student can not attend and or is absent from SPARK, please contact Ms. Sophie at 215-821-6814. If you have any questions please contact Ms. Maleno at mmaleno@boyslatin.org.

Wednesday, November 6, 2019: 6th Grade Parent Workshop #3 from 3:45pm-4:45pm in the Dining Hall. The third parent workshop will be packed with information, turkey raffles, food, and fun. For more details, contact Ms. Jaffe at: ljaffe@boyslatin.org

6th Grade WordGen Weekly

This week's current issue was, "Mummies: Who owns the dead?". Next week, in light of Election Day, the students will discuss, "Politics and privacy: What do we need to know about a candidate?" Ask your Warrior if they can tell you about the new words they learned this week!

6th Grade WordGen Vocabulary words learned this week: *diversity, enhance, migration, presume, reveal*

Harvest Festival Day "Shout Out!"

We would like to give a great big "BL" Shout out to our parent volunteer, Mrs. Shawntay Jones who shopped for and packaged 375 healthy treats for the entire BLMS student body. THANK YOU!!!!

MANDATORY: FULL Uniforms MUST be worn!

Please ensure that students are leaving home wearing their full winter uniform which includes the maroon Boys' Latin sweater, blue button-down Oxford shirt, black belt, black socks, khaki pants, black Eastland shoes, and the maroon and blue tie.

Lanyards have been reordered for all students and will become a uniform requirement on Thursday, November 7, 2019 once they're distributed to all students on Wednesday, Nov. 6th!

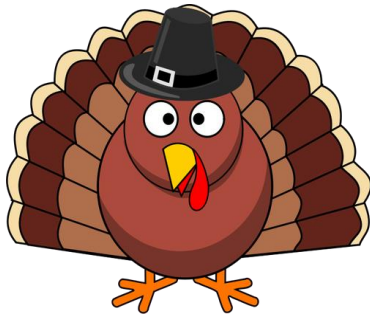
Sweaters and ties can be purchased from Flynn & O'Hara: 10905 Dutton Road, Philadelphia, PA 19154; Telephone: (215) 637-4600. Order online at: <https://www.flynnohara.com/>. Please ensure your son has his winter uniform so he does not miss any classes for uniform issues.

Thanksgiving Food Drive

Boys' Latin will be holding our first Thanksgiving Food Drive that will benefit our West Philadelphia community. We are collecting non-perishable items such as: stuffing, mac and cheese, cornbread, canned vegetables, canned sweet potatoes, gravy, canned fruit, mashed potatoes, etc. We will be donating these items directly to **ACHIEVEability located on N. 60th Street that will** then distribute Thanksgiving Meal baskets to families in our community. ***Our food drive will end on Monday, November 18th.***



BLMS Thanksgiving Food Drive



to benefit the West Philly
community through **ACHIEVEability**

Please bring in canned or boxed
goods to your Advisory, such as:

- **stuffing**
- **mac and cheese**
- **cornbread**
- **canned vegetables**
- **canned sweet potatoes**
- **gravy**
- **canned fruit**
- **mashed potatoes, etc.**

**Advisory vs. Advisory
Competition
October 28th- November
18th**

**1st Place: Pizza Party
2nd Place: Ice Cream
Party
3rd Place: Crazy Sock
Day**

Any questions about the food drive can be
directed to Ms. Galanti at
agalanti@boyslatin.org