



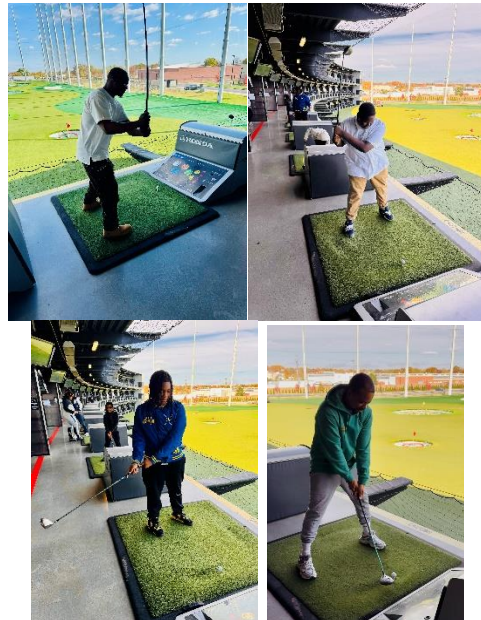
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Parent Ledger October 27, 2024

Principal's Corner

Salvete Warrior Families,

I hope you had a great weekend! Last week we concluded Marking Period 1 with Benchmark Assessments! We are looking forward to the start of a new marking period tomorrow! For our final event of Marking Period 1, the Extended Family Network sponsored our annual **“Donuts & Dads”** event at Top Golf! It was a great time where warriors and their dads or another influential male had the opportunity to engage in playing golf—many for the first time!



Important Information and Resources for Boys' Latin Middle School families can be found on our school website at [Boys' Latin for Families](#) under Important Information.

School Phone: 215-387-5149 Ext 1

Follow us on Social Media!



IG Handle: @BoysLatinofPhiladelphia

Twitter Handle: @BoyslatinCs

Facebook: www.Facebook.com/BoysLatin
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Stay tuned for more exciting events on the horizon!

As always, if you have any questions, feel free to reach out to us!

In partnership,

Principal Sanford

Important Dates and Reminders



October 28th: RP2 Begins

October 30th: Picture Day

November 4th: 6th – 8th Grade Awards Summits

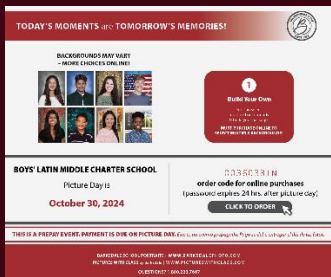
November 5th: *SCHOOL CLOSED* Election Day

November 6th: EFN Informational Webinar (*Details below*)

November 7th: RP1 Honor Roll Breakfast (*Details forthcoming*)

November 11th: *SCHOOL CLOSED* Veterans Day

Picture Day 2024



Picture Day will be held on Wednesday, October 30th! All students received a picture day form for you to sign and pay. We DO NOT take or hold any money for picture day. Students should bring money on picture day to give directly to the company OR you can pay, ahead, online by [CLICKING HERE!](#)

All students should be in full Winter Uniform for Picture Day. Students should not be in Gym Uniform for Picture Day.

Read by 4th



Last year, one of our Reading Captains - Ms. Mary Kelly - introduced “Read by 4th” to our school! Eight of our 8th graders were selected to read books to elementary students at WPACES. For their service, they were provided with a citation from the city! We are excited to continue promoting reading through leadership opportunities like “Read By 4th”! **Please note that this program is ONLY for 8th grade students.**

If you are interested in registering your 8th Grade Warrior to be apart of Read by 4th [CLICK HERE!](#)

Boys' Latin Survey Feedback



We need your feedback on our draft to ensure it continues to reflect our community's input. Please note that this is a different survey from the first one that we sent out, and we greatly appreciate your taking the time to complete this second request!

Link to approximately 5-minute survey: [Link](#)

There's no time like the present to complete it, but the survey will be open until Wednesday, October 30th.

Thank you for investing your time in ensuring that we create a Portrait of a Boys' Latin Graduate that reflects all of our community's voices!

Extended Family Network (EFN)



The Extended Family Network (EFN) is working to ensure we plan intentional and resourceful events for our families this year. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to complete our middle school parent survey and help us meet your need. See below for upcoming EFN sponsored events:

Wednesday, November 6th - Informational Webinar

On Wednesday, November 6, 5:30 - 6:30pm, the EFN for the MS and HS will host an informational webinar covering attendance, PowerSchool, and dual enrollment! To attend please register with Cina Girard at fgirard@boyslatin.org and you will receive the link to attend!

Monday, October 28th – Friday, November 15th – Donation Drive

Beginning Monday, October 28th, we will begin collecting toiletries for our 2nd Annual "Donation Toiletry Drive" in support of Homeless Awareness Week! We will be collecting TRAVEL SIZE toiletry items including Deodorant, Body Wash, Wash Cloths, Toothbrush/Toothpaste, Mouthwash and Lotion! All items can be dropped off in the bin at the Front Desk!



Uniforms



Students are to be in FULL WINTER UNIFORM each day. Winter uniform includes, khaki pants, burgundy Boys' Latin embroidered sweater, blue oxford button down shirt, striped tie, black shoes, black socks, black belts and their student ID. Hoodies are not permitted during the school day for any reason.

The only students who are permitted to wear Boys' Latin sweatsuits, at this time, are 8th grade students because they have gym for Marking Period 1. We will inform all parents when your warriors have gym.

Beginning Monday, November 4th 6th Grade students will have gym for Marking Period 2! 6th Graders should not wear gym uniforms until November 4th!

Laptops



As a reminder **ALL RETURNING STUDENTS** will be expected to use their laptops and chargers from last year. **If a student lost a laptop or their laptop was stolen during the school year or over the Summer, they MUST purchase a new laptop for \$300.**

ALL NEW STUDENTS will receive a school issued laptop! Please be sure to pay your Warrior's \$25 laptop fee online to ensure they receive their laptops. If you have not paid the \$25 Laptop fee and your warrior still needs a school issued laptop please **CLICK HERE!**

Shuttle Bus Reminders



If your warrior will not be riding the shuttle bus on any given day, please email msleadership@boyslatin.org by 1pm daily so that we can inform our shuttle bus team!

McKinney-Vento



Our McKinney-Vento program helps our students who lack a fixed, permanent and stable housing and/or who might be doubled up in a home by providing school-based resources! If you are a family experiencing this, please **CLICK HERE** to complete the form and we will be sure to reach out!