

SAINT IGNATIUS LOYOLA WEEKLY

**Saint Ignatius Loyola School
48 East 84th Street
New York, NY 10028-0806
212.861.3820 Fax 212.879.8248
Website: saintignatiusloyolaschool.com**

June 14, 2017

Dear Parents,

It is hard to believe that this is the last Weekly of the 2016-2017 school year. It feels as if we blinked and we were in the month of June.

As we prepare to go our separate ways next week for the summer, I thought it only fitting to share “a summer blessing:”

A SUMMER BLESSING

Go now and know that the Spirit of Jesus will be watching over you.

Go now and enjoy God’s summer gifts of warm sun, cooling waters, and long, light days.

Go now with the gift of faith, that you might see God’s hand in all your work and play.

Go now with the gift of hope, that you may know God’s guidance, which is keeping you safe.

Go now with the gift of love, that you may offer kindness and care to all you meet.

Go now with the gift of knowledge, remembering all that you learned. With God’s help, try to live it.

Go now with these words of Jesus in your hearts and minds:

“I will not leave you; I am with you always.”

AMEN.

On behalf of Father Yesalonia, Ms. Savarese, the Faculty and Staff, I wish you a safe, restful summer. For our families who are moving on, I wish you all the best, and remember that you can always consider Saint Ignatius Loyola School home.

Sincerely,

Mary E. Larkin
Principal

***Important to Note:**

- Sunday, June 18th – **Father’s Day.**
- Monday, June 19th – **Last Day for After School Care.**
- Tuesday, June 20th - **Last Day of School – 10:00 a.m. Dismissal.**
- Wednesday, June 21st – **Summer Camp 84th Street S.T.A.R.S. Session I Begins.**

***Parent Information:**

• **Medical Office:**

EpiPen's and all other medication must be picked up no later than June 19th. They will not be sent home with your son or daughter. EpiPen's and all other medication that are not picked up will be discarded, which is a mandate from the Department of Health.

- All students entering the Sixth Grade in September 2017 are mandated by the Department of Health to receive the TDAP vaccination. Your child will be excluded from school if he/she is not vaccinated.

Please refer to the school handbook regarding all vaccination requirements for students to attend Saint Ignatius Loyola School. The updated requirements for the 2017-2018 school year are forthcoming.

• **News from the Development Office:**

Annual Fund

Contributions to the 2016-2017 Annual Fund continue to be welcomed. No contribution is too big or too small. These funds assist to continue to provide great programs for the children throughout the school year. Thank you to all who have contributed to date.

Donations to the Annual Fund may also be made online. To do so, click on the "Giving" tab and a drop-down tab will appear. Click on "Annual Giving" and then you will find a link to our online giving site.

Auction

The Development Office has contacted everyone regarding the Live Auction, Silent Auction and the Reverse Auction. Please contact Ms. Anna Sakalis to arrange for payment and pickup at 212-861-3820 ext. 135. Thank you!

Golf – Save the Date

Important to note the 2017-2018 Annual David K. Oing Memorial Golf Tournament will be on Wednesday, October 4, 2017. So, mark your calendars now!

Have a safe and wonderful summer!!!! Thank you for all of your support this school year!

- This past Sunday, Saint Ignatius Loyola School competed at the annual **Archdiocesan CYO Track & Field**. Students representing Catholic Schools from Manhattan, the Bronx, Westchester and Staten Island competed in a host of events. Medals were issued for first place, second place and third place. Saint Ignatius Loyola School earned a total of 22 medals. Congratulations to all who participated!

<u>Name</u>	<u>Medal</u>	<u>Race</u>
Taylor Harris	Gold	800
Adam Imam	Gold	800
Gabriella Valentino	Gold	400
Kayla Adeyemi	Silver	100
William Taylor	Silver	800
Alexandra Harrington	Bronze	200
Timothy Hunt	Bronze	100
Andrew Jensen	Bronze	800
Declan O'Dea	Bronze	800
Jack O'Dea	Bronze	100
Annie Tully	Bronze	800
Samantha Valentino	Bronze	200
Timothy Hunt	Bronze	4x100 Relay
Adam Imam	Bronze	4x100 Relay
Declan O'Dea	Bronze	4x100 Relay
William Taylor	Bronze	4x100 Relay
Olivia Dutzer	Bronze	4x100 Relay
Nora Gallagher	Bronze	4x100 Relay
Gabriella Valentino	Bronze	4x100 Relay
Samantha Valentino	Bronze	4x100 Relay
Jack Drape	Bronze	Long Jump
Timothy Hunt	Bronze	Long Jump

- **School Calendar**

For your convenience, we have included an overview of the 2017-2018 School Calendar. Please note that this overview is not totally inclusive of all dates, but is a guideline for you to use for planning your own personal work and vacation calendar. Please be mindful that this is subject to change.

<u>September</u>	7 th	- Opening Day of School Grades 1 – 8 – 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
	8 th	- Grades 1-8 - 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
	11 th	- Kindergarten Opening Day 8:30 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. Dismissal
	11 th	- Kindergarten Parents Orientation 8:30 a.m.
	11 th	- After School Care Begins
	11 th	- Hot Lunch Program Begins
	12 th	- Kindergarten Early Dismissal 11:15 a.m.
	13 th	- Kindergarten – First Full Day of School 8:30 a.m. – 2:45 p.m.
	13 th	- Back-to-School Night – Grades 6-8 - 7:00 p.m.
	14 th	- Full Bus Service Begins Grades 1-6
	19 th	- Professional Day - No School
	20 th	- Back-to-School Night - Grades K-5 - 7:00 p.m.
<u>October</u>	4 th	- Kindergarten Full Bus Service Begins
	6 th	- Faculty Meeting - 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
	9 th	- Columbus Day - No School
	23 rd	- Data Day - No School
<u>November</u>	3 rd	- Faculty Meeting - 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
	10 th	- Veteran’s Day Observed – No School
	21 st	- Thanksgiving Recess Begins 3:00 p.m. Dismissal
	22 nd	- Thanksgiving Recess - No School
	23 rd	- Thanksgiving Day - No School
	24 th	- Thanksgiving Recess - No School
<u>December</u>	8 th	- Feast of the Immaculate Conception – School is in session
	15 th	- Faculty Meeting - 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
	21 st	- Christmas Recess Begins - 3:00 p.m. Dismissal
	22 nd	- Christmas Recess - No School
	25 th - 29 th	- Christmas Recess – No School
<u>January</u>	2 nd	- New Year’s Day Observed - No School
	15 th	- Martin Luther King, Jr. – No School
	26 th	- Admissions Testing Grades 1 - 7 - 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
<u>February</u>	2 nd	- Faculty Meeting - 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
	5 th	- Map Data Day – No School
	19 th	- President’s Day - No School
	20 th - 23 rd	- Winter Recess - No School
<u>March</u>	9 th	- Faculty Meeting - 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
	29 th	- Holy Thursday - School is in session
	30 th	- Good Friday - No School
<u>April</u>	2 nd - 6 th	- Easter Vacation – No School
	13 th	- Faculty Meeting - 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
<u>May</u>	10 th	- Ascension Thursday - School is in session
	11 th	- Faculty Meeting - 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
	25 th	- 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
	28 th	- Memorial Day – No School
<u>June</u>	1 st	- Faculty Meeting - 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
	7 th	- Graduation Ceremony - 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
	12 th	- Kindergarten Closing Ceremony 4:30 p.m.
	13 th	- Administration/Faculty/Staff Prayer Service/Luncheon - 12:00 p.m. Dismissal
	19 th	- Last Day of School - 10:00 a.m. Dismissal

All textual, graphical and other content appearing on the Saint Ignatius Loyola School website and in its directories, handbooks and Weekly publications are the sole property of Saint Ignatius Loyola School and shall not be copied, edited or reproduced without written permission from Saint Ignatius Loyola School.