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WELCOME TO OUR NEW PARENT NEWSLETTER DEDICATED TO  
KEEPING YOU UP-TO-DATE AND INFORMED THROUGHOUT THE YEAR!

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#### DAILY REFLECTION

Lord help me to remember that nothing is going to happen to me today  
that You and I together can't handle. Amen.



BACK TO SCHOOL DATES  
FACULTY DEVELOPMENT & TRAINING  
AUGUST 17 - 21  
MANDATORY REOPENING ORIENTATION

FALL 2020  
BACK TO SCHOOL

**FRESHMEN AUGUST 24, 8:00 AM-11:30 AM**  
**FRESHMEN & NEW FAMILY PARENT ORIENTATION**

(Limited to one family member) 2 Sessions -  
Each family will be notified in advance with  
their designated time.

AUGUST 24, 6:00 - 7:00 PM

AUGUST 24, 7:15 - 8:15 PM

**SOPHOMORES AUGUST 25, 8:00 AM-11:30 AM**

**JUNIORS AUGUST 26, 8:00 AM-11:00 AM**

**SENIORS AUGUST 26, NOON-3:00 PM**

**ALL STUDENTS REPORT FOR REGULAR SCHEDULE**

AUGUST 27, 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

**LABOR DAY, SEPTEMBER 7 - NO CLASSES**



## AUDITORIUM UPDATE

This update is long awaited and sent with sincere gratitude. We have received the final number from Corna Kokosing for the building of the auditorium project at \$2.5 million. We raised \$2,401,110 through our Inspire Campaign. We were blessed in March with an alumni giving us a substantial donation through their estate upon death that will allow us to meet the final cost. We will be sending a letter to the Bishop next week for official permission to begin this Fall. Our Newark Catholic Community is an amazing and dedicated group people! Thank you! We look forward to watching our dream become a reality.

## MEET THE REOPENING TASKFORCE

Miss Devani Adam – Faculty  
Dr. Joyce Albright – School Advisory Board, Parent  
Mrs. Stephanie Backlund – Faculty  
Ms. Kara Ehret – Bingo Coordinator, Parent  
Mr. Chris Grieb – Campus Minister, Faculty  
Miss Beth Hill – Principal  
Mrs. Emily Matuska – Faculty  
Mr. Russ Nelson – Technology Coordinator, Faculty  
Michael Ouweleen – Student Council President  
Mr. Tom Pickering – Athletic Director, Faculty  
Mrs. Tonya Sherburne – School Advisory Board  
Mrs. Deb Welch – School Counselor  
Joseph Windholtz – Senior Class President

## REOPENING PLANS



Dear Newark Catholic Families,

We hope that you are enjoying your summer break and time spent together. We are pleased to announce that Newark Catholic High School students will return to on-campus learning every day for the 2020-2021 school year. We are working on plans to safely bring our students back to our campus that will meet the directives given to us by the Governor's Office, the Ohio and Licking County Departments of Health, and the Diocese of Columbus.

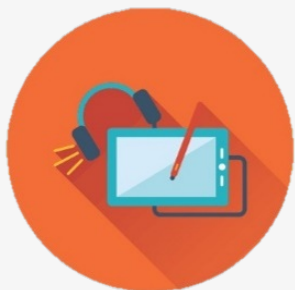
A Fall 2020 Task Force consisting of parents, school advisory board members, faculty, and students have been meeting regularly to focus on specific aspects of our reopening. Over the next few weeks, the Task Force will continue developing plans and strategies for the safe return of on-campus activities for our students.

While there are many details yet to be solidified, we are happy to share this information with the Newark Catholic community as we anticipate the new school year. The Final ReOpening Procedure Document will be complete and sent to you by August 6.

We will share information with you as we get closer to our start date. Please continue to check your daily e-mail, the school's social media pages, and correspondence from Newark Catholic.

May the Lord continue to Bless Us,  
Miss Beth Hill, Principal

## REOPENING INFORMATION & RESOURCES



### REOPENING TASK FORCE PLANNING DOMAINS

**Logistics and Planning** – Mr. Pickering, Dr. Albright, Ms. Ehret  
**Creating and Maintaining Community** – Mrs. Welch, Micheal Ouweleen  
**Curriculum and Instruction** – Miss Adam, Mrs. Backlund, Mrs. Sherburne  
**Promoting Catholic Identity** – Mr. Grieb, Joseph Windholtz  
**Technology Support** – Mr. Nelson, Mrs. Matuska



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[MEET THE ADVISORY BOARD](#)

### NEWARK CATHOLIC SCHOOL ADVISORY BOARD

The mission of the Newark Catholic High School Advisory Board is to promote and support a faith-based Catholic school environment that celebrates each child's personal, spiritual, academic, and social development. The School Advisory Board meets the 3rd Monday of each month during the school year. You are welcome to attend, simply contact the School Advisory Board President a week in advance.

## FROM THE ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

### FALL SPORTS

August 1st is the official start of Fall sports season. Students playing a Fall Sport must have an updated Physical on hand at Newark Catholic before this date to be eligible to participate in their sport.

### FALL SPORTS PARENT MEETINGS

Due to the ever evolving situation with, we are currently in a holding pattern with regards to scheduling parent meetings. When we have more concrete guidance, we will schedule parent sports meetings.  
Thank you for your patience.



# FALL

# 2020

## RETURN TO PLAY

Ohio High School Athletic Association The COVID-19 coronavirus pandemic has

# FINAL FORMS

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The Newark Catholic Athletic Association would like to thank the local businesses who support our athletes throughout the year.

Please stop by the following businesses to say

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING NEWARK CATHOLIC SCHOOL AND SPORTS!

July 26 – Aug 1 Raising Canes, KFC

Aug 2 – Aug 8 Chipotle, Lee's Famous Recipe

Aug 9 – Aug 15 Dickey's, Longhorn's

Aug 16 – Aug 22 Donato's, Moe's BBQ

Aug 23 – Aug 29 Don & Sue's, Pappy's

Aug 30 – Sep 5 Rooster's, White Castle

Sep 6 – Sep 12 Shade's

presented the OHSAA with a myriad of challenges. The Executive Director's Office, with support from its Board of Directors and feedback from the Ohio Joint Advisory Committee on Sports Medicine, the National Federation of State High School Associations and the Ohio Department of Health along with support from the Ohio Lt. Governor's Office, offer a Return to Play document as recommendations on how our member schools can consider approaching the many components of "opening up" sports with the objective of commencing the fall sports seasons on August 1, 2020. The OHSAA fully intends to support its member schools and the student-athletes who desire to compete in interscholastic athletics and will continue to assess all areas as more information becomes available.

The recommendations within the Return to Play document for the resumption of the varsity, non-varsity, and 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade interscholastic athletic seasons and participation opportunities have been made with the health, safety, and well-being of all student-athletes in mind.

[OHSAA RETURN-TO-PLAY RECOMMENDATIONS](#)  
[OHSAA STUDENT-ATHLETE PLEDGE FORM](#)

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