

# Nazareth School News

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## WEEK AT A GLANCE – Mar. 1-7

### **SAT Nazareth Soccer Games @ Nazareth**

8:00am, Kinder vs Mater Dei Blue  
9:00am, Grade 1-2 Naz Blue vs St. Didacus  
10:00am, Grade 1-2 Naz Gold vs Sacred Heart Red  
11:00am, Grade 3-4 Naz Red vs. St. Didacus



### **Nazareth Soccer Games @ Santa Sophia**

12:00pm, Grade 3-4 Naz White vs. Santa Sophia Blue

**SAT** 7:30am, Academic Decathlon - St. Augustine HS  
**MON** Dr. Seuss Day, Upper school students read to their buddies

2:45-3:45pm, Handbell Choir  
2:50pm, Instrumental Music Classes  
3:15-5:00pm, Drama



**TUES** Mardi Gras – Students may wear green, purple and gold add-ons to regular uniform  
7:30am, Staff Prayer

8:05am, Morning Assembly  
8<sup>th</sup> grade – “Bury the Alleluia”  
10:45am, Grades 1, 3 & 5 visit Nazareth House  
3-4:00pm, Faculty Meeting

### **2025-26 Registration, 3:00-5:30pm**

### **WED Ash Wednesday – Lent Begins**

8:30am, Mass at St. Francis Chapel  
3-4:00pm, Coding Classes  
3:00-5:30pm, Pop up Uniform Sale – 50% off  
**2025-26 Registration, 3:00-5:30pm**



**THU** Food Drive Thursday  
3-3:30pm, Detention  
3:00-4:15pm, Steam Team Program – Stem Lab  
**2025-26 Registration, 3:00-5:30pm**

6:00pm, PTG Board Meeting  
**FRI** No School – Diocesan Professional Development Day for Teachers

## FAMILY ENVELOPES

We had 100% return of the family envelopes this week from grades 1, 4 & 5. We were missing 15 envelopes. Congratulations to grade 1 who had 100% return 4 weeks in a row! The class will receive treats from the office.

## CATCH OF THE WEEK



**Congratulations to:** Luna Johnson (Kg), Presley Palaad (1<sup>st</sup>), Connor Crittenden (2<sup>nd</sup>), Mateo Ochoa (3<sup>rd</sup>), Olivia Villavicencio (4<sup>th</sup>), Nicolas Linekin (5<sup>th</sup>), Vivian Moden (6<sup>th</sup>), Marco Aguilar (7<sup>th</sup>), Esmeralda Fonseca (8<sup>th</sup>) and Miss Kelchner who were caught doing a good deed this week.

## 2024-25 SCRIP PROGRAM

The Scrip Program commitment for this current year ends March 31, 2025.

To check on your updated Scrip totals, log in to your account at shopwithscrip.com. For the order parameters, select April 2, 2024, through present date.



## FRIDAY, MARCH 7– NO SCHOOL

No School – Friday, March 7 due to Diocesan Professional Development Day for teachers.

## REGISTRATION 2025-26

Tuesday, March 4 3:00-5:30pm  
Wednesday, March 5 3:00-5:30pm  
Thursday, March 6 3:00-5:30pm  
Registration \$100 per student after March 6

## REGISTRATION 2025-26

Registration for 2025-26 will be March 4-6 for current families. Please make every effort to come during those days as we will have 3 staff members there until 5:30 each day to register families. **Late Registration Fees will increase from \$50 to \$100 per student after March 6<sup>th</sup>.**

If you have a child who is not currently enrolled at Nazareth School and will be ready for school in the fall, please call Mrs. Nancy in the office so we can place him/her on the priority list. Please call Mrs. Barragan if your child will be ready for Preschool. Phone numbers are listed at the top of this Newsletter.

## ACADEMIC DECATHLON – MARCH 1

Our Nazareth School Academic Junior High Decathlon Team will be participating in their competition at St. Augustine High School on Saturday, March 1. We wish them well! Go Eagles!

## FOOD DRIVE THURSDAY

Food Drive Thursday is March 6. Send in non-perishable food items to the classroom. Each student who brings in 2 canned food donations will receive a Spirit Dress Day on Tuesday, March 11.

## NAZARETH SCHOOL GOLF EVENTS

### Golf Ball Drop – Friday, March 14

Win a month of free tuition along with other prizes if your golf ball is closest in proximity to the target. Scan the QR code to purchase Golf Balls.



### Golf Scramble– Friday, April 11 - 9am Shotgun start at

Carlton Oaks Country Club, 9200 Inwood Dr. Santee. Includes 18 holes scramble format w/ cart, breakfast sponsored by local favorite Ponce's Mexican Restaurant, lunch from Dang Brother's Pizza, on-course contests, raffles and MORE! Scan the QR code to Register!



## DRAMA DEPT. PRODUCTION – “Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory”

The Nazareth School Drama Dept. will present “Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory” on Thursday, March 13 and Friday, March 14 at 6:30pm and Saturday, March 15 at 2:00pm. All seating is reserved. Ticket order forms are in today’s family envelope.





### PRESCHOOL SUMMER CAMP

Nazareth Preschool Summer Camp enrollment is now open. There will be 6 weeks of Summer Camp and you can sign up for any or all of the camp weeks online on the Nazareth School website. See the flyer in today's family envelope for more information

### 2024 TAX RECEIPTS

Any family that needs a tax receipt for extended care and/or Preschool tuition for their 2024 income tax returns, please email Mrs. Horning at [adminassist@nazarethschool.org](mailto:adminassist@nazarethschool.org) or you may send a written request to the office

### IMPORTANT NOTICE – STUDENT PICK-UP

If a student is going home with someone other than a parent or guardian, please call or email the office to let us know. Each day we compile a list to make pick up run more smoothly.

**REMINDER: Please call the school office to let us know if your child is absent.**

### UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

- 3/1 Academic Decathlon


#### 2025-26 Registration

Tuesday, March 4	3:00-5:30pm
Wednesday, March 5	3:00-5:30pm
Thursday, March 6	3:00-5:30pm
Registration \$100 per student after March 6	

- 3/4 Mardi Gras – Students may wear Green, Purple and Gold add-ons to regular uniform
- 3/5 Ash Wednesday  
8:30am, Mass  
3:00-5:30pm, Pop up Uniform Sale – 50% off
- 3/6 Food Drive Thursday
- 3/7 No School for Students - Professional Learning Day for Teachers
- 3/11 2-Can Tuesday–Spirit Dress Day for 2 canned food donations
- 3/12 MCA Fundraiser 2<sup>nd</sup> grade – Morning Recess

Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory Drama Performances:

Thursday, 3/13	6:30pm.
Friday, 3/14	6:30pm.
Saturday, 3/15	2:00pm.

- 3/14 Golf Ball Drop – After Lunch Recess
- 3/17 Happy St. Patrick's Day - Students may wear green add-ons to regular uniform - in honor of St. Patrick's Day 
- 3/28 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Report Cards Sent Home
- 4/7-11 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Camp – Camp Cuyamaca
- 4/11 Golf Scramble - Carlton Oaks Country Club

### ASH WEDNESDAY MASS TIME CHANGE

Please note: The Ash Wednesday School Mass will now be at 8:30am.

### NAZARETH NIGHT DONATIONS

Nazareth Night is seeking donations for our silent and live auction events. Some ideas for donations are: gift cards, special experiences (e.g. zoo tickets), timeshare stays/getaways, themed baskets, service trials (e.g. one month free). All donations are tax-deductible and are a great way to give back to the school or get visibility for a local business. If you'd like a copy of this year's Donation Request Letter to share with any businesses you frequent, or with family/friends who may be able to assist with donations as well, please email [nazarethnight@gmail.com](mailto:nazarethnight@gmail.com)  
Thanks for all your support in making this event a success!

### SPRING SPORTS – COACH NEEDED

For our Spring Sports Season we will have a Boys Varsity Volleyball team, Boys JV Volleyball team, Girls Varsity Basketball team and a Varsity Coed Soccer team. We are in need of a JV Volleyball Coach. If you are available to help coach, please contact Mr. Brown at [pe@nazarethschool.org](mailto:pe@nazarethschool.org). Go Eagles!

### MCA MISSION MASS

Nazareth School is looking for a student volunteer to participate in the Missionary Childhood Association's annual MCA Mission Mass during the Entrance Procession with a banner representing the continent of Oceania. The MCA Mission Mass will be on Tuesday, March 18 at 10:00am at Our Mother of Confidence Parish. Please email Ms. Kelchner at [kinder@nazarethschool.org](mailto:kinder@nazarethschool.org) for more information. We are also welcome to bring a group of students to represent our school and wear cultural attire from any nation.

*Holy Family of Nazareth,  
watch over us and protect us.*



Core Values for March:  
**Compassion**

*Be compassionate,  
as your heavenly Father  
is compassionate. Luke 6:36.*





February 27, 2025

Dear Nazareth Community,

The search for the next Principal of Nazareth School has commenced to identify a Principal for the 2025-2026 school year before Easter.

The position has been posted locally and nationally, with a closing date for applying March 24, 2025.

Valuing the input of a variety of stakeholders, we have also begun the process of putting together an interview committee comprised of parents, teachers, and others from the Nazareth community.

The committee will also include Leticia Oseguera, Superintendent of schools for the Diocese, Sister Rose Hoye csn, Regional Superior and Barbara Anne Crowley CEO. Nazareth Ministries.

Interviews will take place soon after the closing date.

We trust that under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, a new Principal will emerge to guide our school into the future.










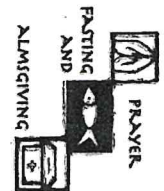
May the Holy Family of Nazareth watch over you and protect you.

Sincerely,

  
Barbara Anne Crowley CEO

  
Sister Rose Hoye CSN



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>Core Value for the month: Compassion</b></p>						<p><b>1</b> Academic Decathlon 7:30am - 3:00pm St. Augustine HS</p>
<p><b>2</b> </p>	<p><b>3</b> Dr. Seuss Day Upper School Students Read to their Buddies 2:45-3:45 Handbell Choir 2:50pm, Instrumental Music Classes 3:15-5:00pm, Drama</p>	<p><b>4</b> <i>Mardi Gras</i> Students may wear purple, green &amp; gold add-ons to regular uniform 7:30am, Staff Prayer 8:05am, Morning Assembly "Bury the Alleluia" - 8th Gr. 10:45am, Grades 1, 3 &amp; 5 visit Nazareth House 3-4pm Faculty Meeting <b>2025-26 Registration</b> 3:00-5:30pm</p>	<p><b>5</b> <i>Ash Wednesday</i> </p> <p>8:15am Mass 3-4:00pm, Coding Classes 3:00-5:30pm, Pop up Uniform Sale 50% off <b>2025-26 Registration</b> 3:00-5:30pm</p>	<p><b>6</b> <i>Food Drive Thursday</i> 3-4:15pm, Steam Team Program - Stem Lab Detention 3-3:30pm <b>2025-26 Registration</b> 3:00-5:30pm 6:00pm, PTG Board Meeting</p>	<p><b>7</b> <i>No School - Student Holiday</i> Diocesan Professional Development Day for Teachers</p>	<p><b>8</b> </p>
<p><b>9</b> <i>1st Sunday of Lent</i> Daylight Saving Time begins</p>	<p><b>10</b> 8:30am - 10:00am Lenten Retreats Grades K, 1 &amp; 2 2:45-3:45 Handbell Choir 2:50pm, Instrumental Music Classes 3:00-5:00pm, Drama</p>	<p><b>11</b> 7:30am, Staff Prayer 2-Can Tuesday (Spirit Dress Day for 2 canned food donations) Lenten Retreats Grades 3, 4 &amp; 5 3-4pm Faculty Meeting 3:00-5:00pm, Drama</p>	<p><b>12</b> 8:15am, Stations of the Cross led by 3rd grade - St Francis Chapel Greater San Diego Science Fair - 7th grade MCA Fundraiser- Morning Recess - 2nd Grade 10:30 am Preschool visits Nazareth House 3-4:00pm, Coding Classes 3:00-5:00pm, Drama</p>	<p><b>13</b> 8:05am, Morning Assembly Lenten Retreats Grades 6, 7 &amp; 8 Principal's Day of Reflection Mrs. Coons off campus Detention 3-3:30pm 6:30pm, School Drama Performance "Willy Wonka, and the Chocolate Factory"</p>	<p><b>14</b> 8:15am Mass 10:45am, Grades K, 2 &amp; 4 visit Nazareth House <b>Golf Ball Drop</b> After Lunch Recess 6:30pm, School Drama Performance "Willy Wonka, and the Chocolate Factory"</p>	<p><b>15</b> 2:00pm, School Drama Performance "Willy Wonka, and the Chocolate Factory"</p>
National Catholic Sisters Week March 8-14						
<p><b>16</b> <i>2nd Sunday of Lent</i> </p>	<p><b>17</b> <i>St. Patrick's Day</i> </p> <p>Students may wear green add-ons with regular uniform in honor of St. Patrick's Day 8:30am, Lenten Sacrament of Reconciliation Grades 3, 4 &amp; 5 2:45-3:45 Handbell Choir 2:50pm, Instrumental Music Classes</p>	<p><b>18</b> 7:30am, Staff Prayer 8:30am, Lenten Sacrament of Reconciliation Grades 6, 7 &amp; 8 MCA World Mass at Our Mother of Confidence 3-4pm Faculty Meeting</p>	<p><b>19</b> <i>Feast of St. Joseph</i> 8:15am, Stations of the Cross led by 4th grade - St Francis Chapel 10:30am, Morning Assembly 3-4:00pm, Coding Classes</p>	<p><b>20</b> <i>End of 3rd Quarter</i> 8:15am Mass 9:30am, Preschool visits Our Lady's Grotto Detention 3-3:30pm</p>	<p><b>21</b> <i>No School - Local Holiday</i> Excellor Chess Knights Tournament 6:45 - 8:30pm Check-in 6:15pm</p>	<p><b>22</b> </p>
<p><b>23</b> <i>3rd Sunday of Lent</i></p>	<p><b>24</b> 2:45-3:45 Handbell Choir 2:50pm, Instrumental Music Classes</p>	<p><b>25</b> 7:30am, Staff Prayer 3-4pm Faculty Meeting</p>	<p><b>26</b> 8:15am, Stations of the Cross led by 5th grade - St Francis Chapel 3-4:00pm, Coding Classes</p>	<p><b>27</b> 8:05am, Morning Assembly Detention 3-3:30pm</p>	<p><b>28</b> <i>Report Cards sent Home</i> 8:15am Mass</p>	<p><b>29</b> </p>
<p><b>30</b> <i>4th Sunday of Lent</i></p>	<p><b>31</b> 2:45-3:45 Handbell Choir 2:50pm, Instrumental Music Classes</p>					



WE NEED YOU FOR OUR

# *Lenten Retreat*

FIRST EVER PARENT LEAD STUDENT RETREAT.

LENT IS NOT ABOUT BEING PERFECT.  
IT IS ABOUT MAKING TIME AND SPACE TO CONNECT  
WITH GOD AND GROW CLOSER TO HIM. COME! TAKE  
THIS JOURNEY WITH THE STUDENTS.

**LOCATION: NAZARETH CAMPUS**

**TIME: 8:30AM-10:00AM**

**MARCH 10TH: KINDER, 1ST AND 2ND**

**MARCH 11: 3RD, 4TH, 5TH**

**MARCH 13TH: 6TH, 7TH, 8TH**

FOR MORE INFORMATION USE QR CODE  
FOR SIGNUP GENIUS OR CONTACT  
SUNNY JIMENEZ 619-204-3029





2025 NAZARETH SCHOOL

# Golf Scramble

Carlton  
Oaks  
Country Club

April 11  
9am  
Shotgun Start



## Registration

Foursome: \$400  
Individual: \$120

- 18 holes scramble format, includes cart
- Breakfast provided by Ponces's Mexican Restaurant
- Craft beer provided on course
- Lunch provided by Dang Brother Pizza

\*Price increases to \$450 and \$125 after 3/21

● **Putting Contest**  
Held prior to the 9am shotgun start

● **On course games**  
Prizes for closest to the pin, and lowest group score

● **Raffle tickets**  
Enter for an opportunity to win prizes



Register Now!



♥ **THANK YOU!**

- All the profits will go to purchase new Chromebooks for Nazareth students!
- Party for the class that raises the most money!

2025 NAZARETH SCHOOL

# Golf Ball Drop

Nazareth | March 14  
School | 12:45pm



## How It Works

Every donation we get is assigned to a numbered golf ball, and we will drop all of the numbered balls at a target hole. The ball that is closest to the hole will win.

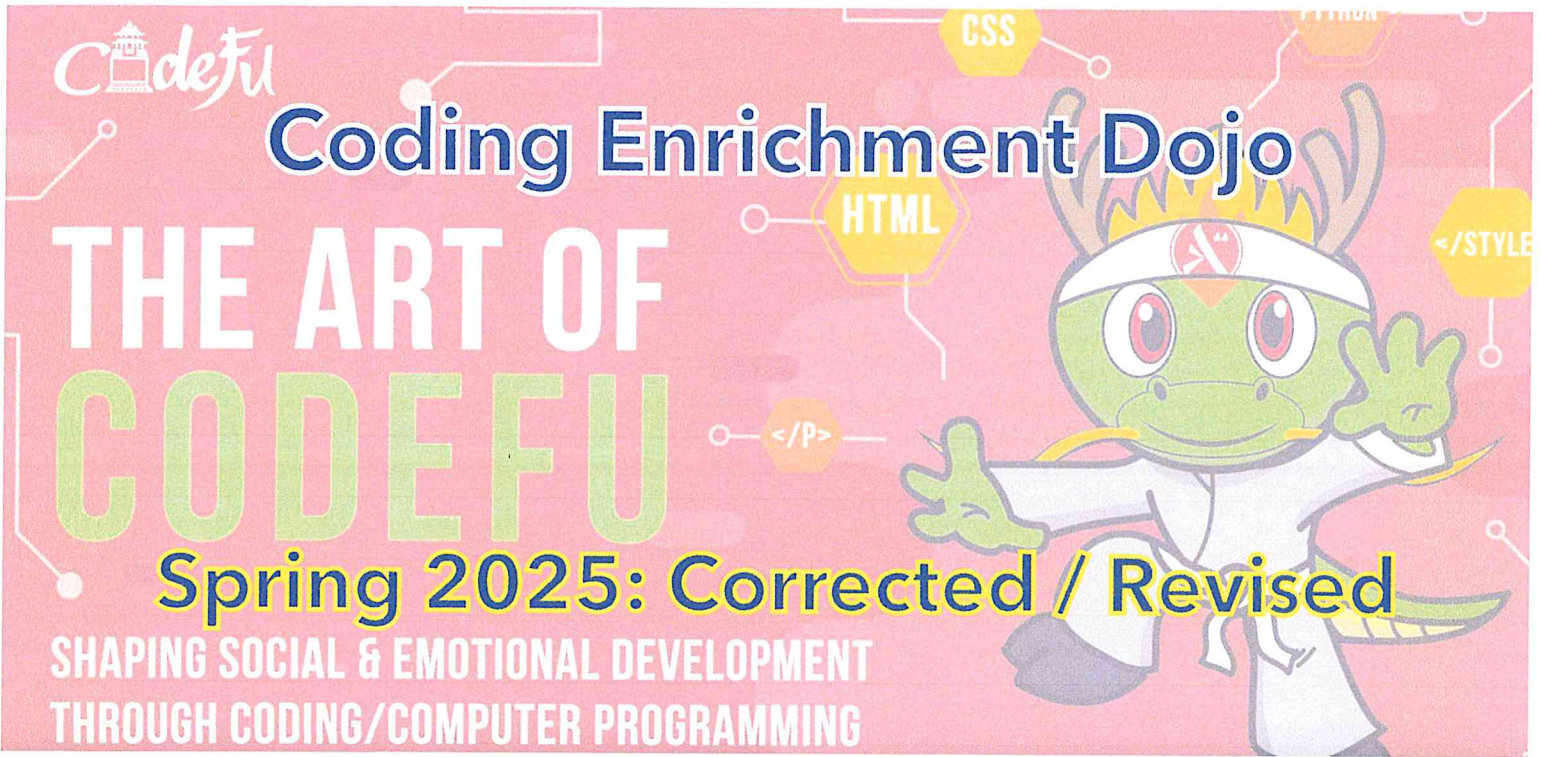
**1 Ball - \$10**  
**5 Balls - \$40**



Register Now!







**Dojo: Grade Level K - 5th**

**Class Dates: March 5 - May 21**

**No class: April 23**

**Day/Time: Wednesday's / 3:00 - 4:00**

**Cost: 11 Week Program – \$299**

**Enrollment Deadline: Monday, March 3**



Returning Students will continue using various block coding applications to challenge their creativity and develop their computer skills from keyboarding to critical thinking. Coding promotes computational thinking, problem solving, self-expression, collaboration, and equity. The "Art of CodeFu" has been found to help students succeed across disciplines such as; math, computer science, language arts, and social studies.

New Students will be introduced to coding language with a simple visual interface that allows young minds to create digital stories, games, and animations. The ability to code computer programs is an important part of literacy in today's society. Your student will learn important strategies for solving problems, designing projects, and communicating ideas - all invaluable life- skills.

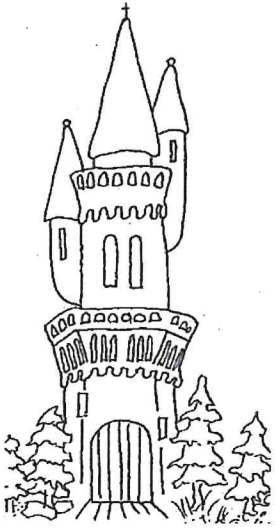
**Register at: [codefu.co/enrollsandiego](https://codefu.co/enrollsandiego)**

**On the landing page, scroll down to enter child's name, school name, etc. - Click submit.**

**Return to the landing page and click "TAP HERE TO SUBMIT PAYMENT"**







# Excelsior Chess

Join us for a fun night of chess competition  
at the Friday Knight's Tournament

Friday, March 21, 2025

*\*This is a closed tournament open only to  
Excelsior Chess team players\**

## Location:

**The Nazareth School - Auditorium**

**10728 San Diego Mission Road  
San Diego, CA 92108**

**Check-in begins at 6:15 PM**

**Tournament play begins at 6:45 PM**

**Tournament ends by 8:30 PM**

## Sign Up Today:

**Fee - \$ 20**

**Register & Pay Online  
or**

**Make check payable to:  
"Excelsior Chess"**

**Mail with permission slip to:  
2958 Escala Circle  
San Diego, CA 92108**

**Fee Includes: Admission**

**Ice Cream**

**Trophies for Winners**

For more information, contact us at (619) 246-3396 or [mhedman@excelsiorchess.com](mailto:mhedman@excelsiorchess.com)  
Register at: [www.excelsiorchess.com](http://www.excelsiorchess.com)

*I give permission for my child to attend the Friday Knight's Tournament with Excelsior Chess.*

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Allergies \_\_\_\_\_