



ST. MARY'S SCHOOL

135+ Years of Tradition

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Upcoming Events

Mar. 15: SchoBo vs
Morton Blessed

Sacrament at 3:30

Mar. 16: *Jean*

Day/Green Day

Mar. 19: *PTO meeting*

Mar. 22: SchoBo at

MGS at 3:30

Mar. 26 – Apr. 2: *No*

School –Easter Break

Apr. 3: *School Resumes*

April 29: *First*

Communion at 2pm

May 18: Tentative

Graduation

May 23: Tentative last

day of school

The E-Falcon Newsletter

Part Time Teacher's Aid Needed

St. Mary's preschool is looking for a part time aid for the remainder of the school year. If interested please contact the school.

Registration for the 2018-19 School Year

Registration for the 2018-19 school year for grades 1-8 is now underway. Please fill out the registration forms located on the school webpage under the Admission Tab, and then the Registration Tab. It will explain to you the forms that need to be filled out for the grade level your child is in. **These forms NEED to be filled out and turned into the school office no later than March 23.** If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask.

Jean/Green Day

Don't forget that tomorrow, Friday, March 16 students are allowed to wear green top with your jeans. No donation is being asked for.

Living Stations

The sixth and seventh grade students are hard at work preparing for the Living Stations. The presentations of the Living Stations will be March 23 at 9:00 am and 7:00 pm. All are invited. It is a beautiful way to remember the Passion of Jesus!

Lunch Menu

(Subject to change)

All lunches include milk (Mar. 19 – Apr. 6)

Mon., Mar. 19 – Scrambled eggs, hash brown, sausage, pears

Tues., Mar. 20 - Corn dogs, baked beans, Fritos, pineapple

Wed., Mar. 21 – Sloppy joes, fries, green beans, peaches

Thur., Mar. 22 – Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes/gravy, corn, applesauce

Fri., Mar. 23 – Cheese pizza, peas, mandarin oranges

Mon., Apr. 2 – No School

Tues., Apr. 3 – Hot dog on bun, Fritos, corn, peaches

Wed., Apr. 4 – Chicken strips, mashed potatoes/gravy, carrots, fruit mix

Thur., Apr. 5 – Goulash, garlic bread, tropical fruit

Fri., Apr. 6 – Fish fillet sandwich, chips, peas, applesauce

PND Football

Notre Dame Junior Football League is now accepting registrations at www.ndjfl.com. We offers flag football for ages 5-7 and tackle football for ages 8-14. We also offer Cheerleading for ages 8-14. Your help in registering before June 1st allows us to order the right amount of equipment for the upcoming season. Please contact us at pndjfl@gmail.com with any questions.

Sun Foundation

The Sun Foundation is accepting registrations for the 44th Art & Science in the Woods day camp June 11-15, 2018. Available classes include painting, drawing, sculpting, Bollywood Dance, rocketry, geology, storytelling, insects, reptiles, wilderness survival skills and much more! For more information check out our website www.sunfoundation.org or email sharon.obery@gmail.com

St. Patrick's Mass with Bishop Jenky

The Office of Divine Worship has asked if our students and families could attend Holy Mass at the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception for St. Patrick Day! Bishop Jenky will be the celebrant and loves to see our students and families fill the Cathedral! St. Patrick Day is on **Saturday, March 17th**, with the **Celebration of Holy Mass at 8:00am**. Many of our students and families will be participating in or attending the parade and will be at the Mass.

"Wild About St. Mary's" Auction Success & Thank You!

Thank you to each and every one who supported the 7th Annual St. Mary's Dinner Auction held at Metamora Fields. The event theme was "Wild About St. Mary's" and net profit this year is over \$46,000. The "Fund-in-Need" focus area for the year is safety and security improvements for the school. Anyone who was unable to attend the event may still donate to the Fund-in-Need by stopping by the school or church office or leaving a donation in the collection in an envelope marked "School Fund-in-Need." All proceeds from the auction support the school which strives to keep tuition affordable while providing an outstanding Catholic education.

A special thanks to those who attended the dinner auction, donated items, volunteered on the committee and at the event, and also those who made cash donations or who supported the event by purchasing a ticket so that a teacher or religious may attend.

Committee volunteers work hard to make the event possible -- from soliciting items, to helping with the mailing, to setting-up and decorating, and even cleaning up afterwards. It takes many hands and many volunteer hours to put on the event. Your work and effort are appreciated!

Talent Show

Mark your calendars for Thursday, April 19 for the annual talent show. More details and permission slips will be available after Easter Break.

What's Happening in Gym Class

Mrs. Cowling will be skating these last 2 weeks before spring break in physical education class grades K – 6. The students have received instruction on skates or blades and have caught on very quickly in just two days of skating. All students are skating and enjoying this life-long activity that helps improve coordination, posture, balance and rhythm. All while benefiting from a great aerobic activity. All are required to wear helmets. If you have a helmet please bring to class along with elbow and knee guards if you choose.

Special Story Time in First Grade

The first grade class has opened its doors to our preschool friends for a special story time together. The preschool kiddos join the first grade once a week to hear some great stories and make new friends. Our first grade kids are great role models for their preschool buddies and everyone loves a good story!

Sports Update

VB: Our volleyball season has come to an end and we would like to thank everyone who helps make our program one of the best around! We have the best student athletes, parents and fans around. If you have not turned in your uniform or jacket please do so ASAP so we can begin preparing for next year. Please continue to work on your volleyball skills at home, through club and camps this summer and good things will continue to happen. Good Luck to our sixth 8th graders as they move onto high school: Sophie Adams, Emily Cronkhite, Addison Crowley, Rachel Fisher, Ellie Randall, Stephanie Spradlin. HULK SMASH!

Archery: We will compete in the NASP state tournament on Fri., Apr. 6 shooting at 9:15 in Springfield. We have 12 archers signed up to compete and wish them the best of luck! If you can drive please let me know so we can arrange our car pool for the day. Thank you!