

Parent Newsletter

February 23, 2018

MISSION STATEMENT

The St. Mary Catholic School community empowers students to grow spiritually, academically, creatively, and physically so they may experience, understand and live their responsibilities to God, family, community and self.

Hot Lunch Change: Mrs. Mailloux has changed the hot lunch schedule for next week. Tuesday, February 27th will be chicken pot pie and Wednesday, February 28th will be hot dogs and macaroni and cheese

St. Patrick's Day: On Sunday, March 11, from 12:00 to 3:00, we will be celebrating St. Patrick's Day. Please join us in the Family Center for corned beef, ham, cabbage, potatoes, along with a large assortment of salads and desserts. There are sign-up sheets by the gathering space to bring salads, desserts or just to help out.

Pasty Sales: Builders Club members are selling pasties. The last day to order is Wednesday, March 7th. Please see any Builders Club Member (any Middle School student) or the school office. They will be delivered the week of March 19.

Hot Lunch Help: Mrs. Mailloux will be out of town in April and needs a few volunteers to take care of lunch. If you are available to help out on any of the following days: April 10, 11, 12, or 17 please let me know. Thank you!

Students in the news! **(If you have anything to share, please let us know!)**

New State Qualifiers: Alessandra Jess: 200 freestyle and Blaise Sytsma Reed: 100 freestyle

- Lena Sytsma Reed: dropped 7.5 seconds in the 50 fly placing 2nd and swam breaststroke on the 2nd place medley relay.
- Blaise Sytsma Reed swam her personal best times in both the 100 IM and the 100 freestyle placing 1st in the 100 IM and 2nd in the 100 freestyle. Her time 5 second drop in the 100 freestyle qualified her for the MTSL State meet. She also swam on the 1st place freestyle relay and the 2nd place medley relay.
- Alessandra Jess: Placed 1st in the 200 freestyle dropping 15 seconds and qualifying for the state meet. She also had excellent times in the backstroke both leading off the 2nd place medley relay and placing 6th in the 50 backstroke. She placed 4th in the 50 butterfly.
- Ric Sytsma Reed: achieved his personal best times in every event he swam. His largest time drop was in the 100 freestyle where he improved his time by over 4 seconds. He also placed 4th in the 50 breaststroke, 6th in both the 50 and 100 freestyle and swam breaststroke on the 1st place medley relay.
- Catherine Hayes: dropped 2.5 seconds in the 100 freestyle to place 3rd and she swam well in the 50 freestyle breaking the illusive 40 second barrier. She also swam on the 2nd place 15-18 girls freestyle relay.

Upcoming dates:

February 27: Lenten Mission 5pm dinner 6pm Mission
February 28: Lenten Mission 5pm dinner 6pm Mission
March 1: Lenten Mission 5pm dinner 6pm Mission
March 1: Full day of school No afternoon bussing
March 2: 8:30 K-8 Mass
March 2: 2:30 Stations of the Cross
March 4: 10-1 Pancake Breakfast
March 7: 8:30 K-5 Mass
March 7: Last day to sell pasties
March 8: 8:30 6-8 Mass
March 9: Jean Day with hoodie with donation to St. Jude
March 11: St. Patrick's Day Dinner-12-3 in the Family Cntr
March 11: Mr. Ed's Birthday
March 16: Fish Fry - St. Mary Family Center
March 22: ½ day of School
March 23: Spring Break Begins!
April 1: Easter Sunday
April 3: School Resumes

What's happening in the Parish...



Pancake Breakfast

DATE: Sunday, March 4, 2018

PLACE: St. Mary's Family Center

TIME: 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Proceeds will assist in providing funds for our middle school trip to Rome in the spring
Contact John Parish to sign up to help.