

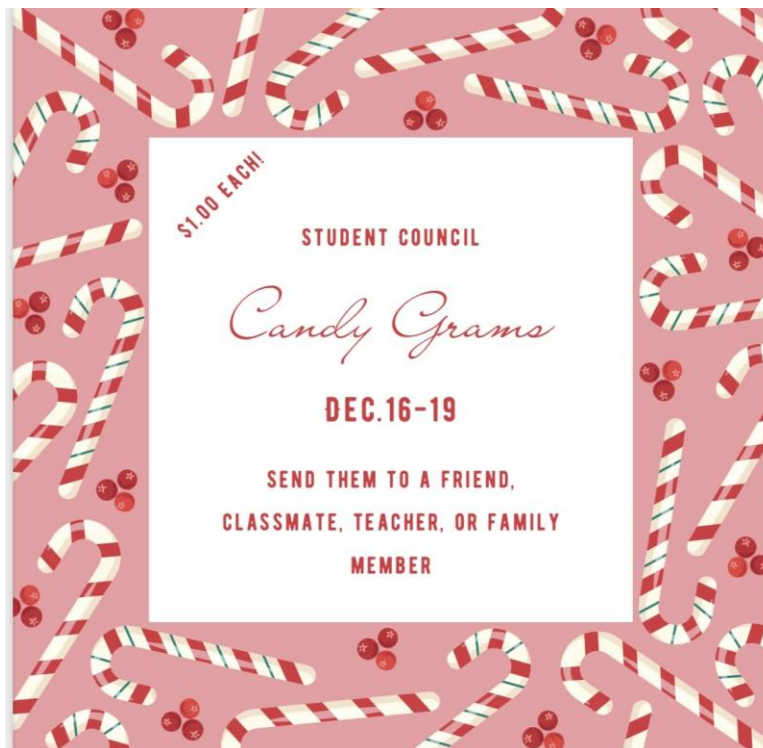


Irish Update

December 13, 2024

Student Council will be selling Christmas Smencils every morning until Christmas vacation!

Candy Cane Grams will also be sold at lunch. Share a special message!



- School spelling bee is scheduled for Monday, December 16<sup>th</sup> at 9:15 AM in the new gym. This is for grades 4-8. Parents are invited to attend.

Christmas Pajama Skating Party is tonight, Friday, December 13 at the Marietta Roller Rink 5-7pm. Free admission and skate rental. Christmas pj's are optional but encouraged!!



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The Irish Booster organization is doing an online team spirit blanket sale!

Click the link to see the blankets and obtain the order form! *IRISH SPIRIT* These will make *GREAT* gifts and ship very quickly!!!

Christmas Spirit  
Days  
December  
18th - 20th



**Wednesday, December 18th- Ugly  
Christmas sweater day (jeans allowed)**  
**Thursday, December 19th- Pajama  
Day!!!!**  
**Pj's must be school appropriate and  
tennis shoes need to be worn for  
recess. Slippers can be worn during  
the day.**  
**Friday, December 20th- Christmas  
Crazy Red & Green Day. (jeans  
allowed)**



Merry Christmas!!!!

\*\*\*\*\*There will be no after care on Friday, December 20<sup>th</sup>\*\*\*\*\*

Congratulations to our December Students of the Month for the Virtue of Temperance, a cardinal virtue that brings order to our life, particularly our emotions & desires, and the trait of humility, meaning awareness that all one's gifts come from God and appreciation for the gifts of others.



## Home and School News

Santa shop will be Dec 17-19. Students have the opportunity to shop for their immediate family members where every item costs \$1. If we have enough inventory on the last day, we will open shopping up for non-household family/friends but please start with just your in-home members. Use the attached sheet to fill out and send back with your student to assist them in shopping. You can send their money in with their lists also (younger grades) Pre-made gift tags are VERY helpful for the younger kids. We also



encourage families to send a large shopping tote/bag with their students to carry all of their gift's home.

We still have open shifts available in Track It Forward.

Class Christmas parties will be on Friday December 20 at 2:45 pm. P3 and P4. Please check with your teacher about your scheduled party.

The uniform closet can still use pants hangers. If you have any hangers with clips that you are willing to donate, we would greatly appreciate it!

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Big Thank You to Kendal Neill and Maggie Goddard for organizing our lost and found area. PLEASE PLEASE check Apple Square in the next week when you are in the school to claim your child's belongings.

We have a special announcement about an upcoming school play! Mrs. Kern & Mrs. Becker are beginning to think about ideas for a play this spring. Students in grades 3-8 who may be interested in learning more about the play & opportunities to be a part of the cast or crew, please sign a sign-up sheet that will be in the office. More details & announcements will be shared after the holidays.



**Chess Club**  
» DONUTS AND AWARDS «

dec 20 8am  
anyone who played a game before  
12-6 will receive an award!



**RAISE SOME DOUGH**  
*Help support us!*

30% of sales will benefit  
**St Mary's school**

December 21, 2024  
8:00 am to 8:00 pm  
810 Grand Central Ave  
Vienna, WV

In Cafe   Drive-Thru  
Pick-Up   Delivery

Enter promo code **FUND4U** at online checkout.

**Panera**  
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## Santa Shop at St. Mary School

Dec. 17, 18, & 19, 2024

If your child wishes to shop at school, please send this list with cash or check made out to St. Mary Home & School on or before these shopping dates. We should have an assortment of gifts for men, women, siblings, and pets. We are still taking donations of giftable items as well as wrapping supplies (preferably gift bags/tags/tissue paper- gently used is fine!)

Thank you for supporting Home & School!

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# Parents Night Out

Do you need a night to yourself?

Want to go out to dinner, finish your shopping or just sit in the quiet? Well no problem! Drop the kids off to Miss Kim and her Merry Helpers!! We will take good care of them! We are going to show Christmas movies, make a Christmas craft, have hot cocoa and of course there will be SNACKS!!

*Date:* | SATURDAY DEC. 14<sup>TH</sup>

*Time:* 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

*Location:* ST. MARY | Little Gym |

*Cost:* \$ | \$30<sup>00</sup> one \$50<sup>00</sup> Two

*Ages:* Children Pre-School and up!!



**RSVP to Miss Kim at 740-434-3212**