

Irish Update

September 8, 2023

This morning we celebrated our first All School Mass in the gym. What a nice way to kick off our school year! Following Mass, we recognized the students who were in the top 8 in the summer IXL Math challenge, answering over 1,000 questions. Congratulations to Rowan Skinner who was the overall champion of the challenge by a landslide answering over 8,300 math questions!



Congratulations to Ellason Caldwell, Myra Long, Benjamin Doyle, Nathan Soffian, Audrey White, Tony Ingram, Ethan Gau and Rowan Skinner.

Students and staff will have individual photos taken on Wednesday, September 13th. Online ordering information will be sent home with each student. The make-up date for missed or retakes will be Wednesday, October 18th. Uniforms are required for students grades K-8 for photos.

*****4th Grade Service Project****

The 4th grade class is collecting money for the fire victims and the homeless in Hawaii September 11th-15th. This project is inspired by a foundation in memory of Grant Bauer. The story of #Grantspeed can be found at the following link:

#Grantspeed R.AK Feeding the homeless of Hawaii

FOURTH GRADE SERVICE PROJECT

HELP

The fourth grade class is collecting money to help the fire victims of the Hawaii fires and homeless. A portion of the money collected will go to the REDCROSS Hawaii and the rest will go to buying food for the homeless of Hawaii.

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11-15 SEND MONEY TO SCHOOL TO BE COLLECTED BY HOMEROOM TEACHERS

See Grant's Story about feeding the homeless of Hawaii @ Facebook #Grantspeed R.AK

Raise Some Dough night with our Partner in Education The Original Pizza Place. Show the online flyer or take a flyer for St. Mary Catholic School to earn 20% of the nights sales. Take out and dine in available for promotion.





Don't forget that we wear St. Mary Catholic Spirit every Friday. Here is the link to our on-line spirit store.

St. Mary Catholic School online Spirit Store

Home & School News:

Hopefully everyone got a chance to visit the Home & School table at the open house, but if you missed us, we would like to introduce ourselves and let you know more about our group and what we do. Find us on Facebook: <u>St. Mary Home and School or reach out to an officer to</u>

learn more. Bri Moore, President: 740-350-9660; Allison Dunlap, VP: 740-525-1769; Audra Love, Treasurer; Elizabeth Black, Corresponding Secretary; Michelle Isaly, Recording Secretary.

Everyone should have probably heard from a homeroom parent by now. If you haven't, let us know. Thanks!

If you missed the "car line sign" station at the open house, and would like a nice laminated name sign for this school year, please send a request to: brimoore@stmaryscatholic.org
Include the name(s) you would like on the sign and how many copies you need.
Home & School will make your sign as soon as possible and send it home with your student.

Mum fundraiser!

THOSE ORDERS ARE DUE TODAY- THANKS!

If you are available to help sort flower orders when ordering is complete, please show up at Huck's Greenhouse (120 Masonic Park Lane) on Saturday, September 16 at 1:00 PM. The sorting will be supervised by Megan Bauer (740-525-7608) until complete.

Here is a list of our meetings for the year. Home & School meets directly after school on these days. (3:45-4:30 or 4:45). You can receive one volunteer hour for attending the meeting. We will meet in the Parish Center. You're welcome to bring your kids or send them to after care with Kim (for a fee). These meetings are also listed on FACTS.

Sept. 28

Oct. 26

Nov. 30

No meeting in Dec.

Jan. 25

Feb. 29

March 21

April 25

No meeting in May.

St. Mary Catholic School Fall Festival Auction



Tickets are \$50 per person and will include food at The Adelphia. The Fall Festival Auction is one of our largest fundraisers for the school and is a nice evening as a parent's night out! Venmo ticket option is as follows:



St. Mary Catholic School...

@fallfestival23



Auction items include these awesome items:

- ½ beef and chest freezer
- A week vacation in Myrtle Beach
- Boo at the Zoo tickets/package

Class baskets and items are being added daily! A full listing of items will be included in next week's Irish update!

