

Irish Update

December 8, 2023





Order form is attached to today's Irish Update, or a hard copy can be sent home with your student by emailing Athletic Director Sharon Loken at <u>Sharonloken@stmaryscatholic.org</u>

Thank you from the Irish Boosters Organization and Athletic Director Mrs. Loken for the great turn out for the special Thursday night Christmas Bingo to benefit the Irish Athletic programs!



Breakfast with Santa-Saturday, December 9th



Tickets can be purchased through the Venmo fundraising link:



We had a special visit from Saint Nicholas for his Feast Day, December 6th!



*****Student Council news*****







Home and School News

Santa shop items can still be donated and dropped off at the alley doors. New or gently used items that can be sold in our Santa shop for \$1. We typically need more items for men and teenagers. Please, no stuffed animals, pillows or well-loved items.

The Santa Shop list to assist with student shopping is attached to today's Irish Update! Please note that the shopping "elves" are asking you to send in premade name labels for gifts to assist/ease the shopping experience.

Students will be able to shop next week with their classes. Teachers will pick an appropriate time to take students to the Santa Shop.

Volunteers for Santa shop (and other upcoming events) can sign up in Track It Forward. We will have a big lunch for Catholic Schools week that will also need a lot of helping hands.

Class Christmas parties will be held on Wednesday December 20 at 2:45pm. Check with your class homeroom parent for specific info on your child's class party.

Christmas PJ themed skating party will be Friday Dec. 22 5-7pm. Free admission and skate rentals. Please join us for a fun night!

No December meeting for Home and School. Merry Christmas to everyone!



Parents Night Out with Miss Kim Saturday, December 9th 6:00 – 9:00 PM \$30 for 1 child, \$50 for 2 or more Christmas movie, crafts and snacks provided. Please RSVP to Miss Kim at 740-434-3212

All School Mass Tuesday, December 12 to celebrate the Feast of our Lady of Gaudalupe. Students grades 1-8 will attend Mass and will be served lunch in the social hall of the Basilica. It will be a Mexican lunch, if your child prefers, they may pack their lunch to eat at the Basilica. There will be no hot lunch served at school on Tuesday.



Monday, December 18th- Ugly Christmas sweater day (jeans allowed)

Tuesday, December 19th- Red and Green Day (jeans allowed)

Wednesday, December 20th- Pajama Day!!!!! Pj's must be school appropriate and tennis shoes need to be worn for recess. Slippers can be worn during the day.

Merry Christmas!!!!



Huck's Farm Market Holiday Baked Goods Sale Orders are due with payment by December 17th. Order form is attached to today's Irish update.



Track It Forward Volunteer Information Questions regarding Track it forward can be sent to:

stmarys@myyahoo.com

SANTA SHOP DECEMBER 12-15TH

IF YOUR CHILD WOULD LIKE 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.

EVERY ITEM IS ONLY \$1! THERE WILL BE AN ASSORTMENT OF GIFTS FOR MEN, WOMEN, CHILDREN, AND PETS! HELPFUL TIPS: PRE-ADDRESS GIFT TAGS WITH NAMES OF THOSE THAT THE STUDENT IS PURCHASING FOR. YOU MAY SIMPLY INCLUDE THOSE IN AN ENVELOPE WITH MONEY & SHOPPING LIST. SEND IN A LARGE TOTE BAG FOR STUDENTS TO EASILY CARRY THEIR PURCHASES HOME.

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