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Upcoming <u>Events</u>

Nov. 17: Girls BB at Beverly Manor at 4:30 Nov. 21: Boys BB at Chilicothe at 5:00 Nov. 22: Boys BB vs Blessed Sarament at 5:00 Nov. 23-25: No School **Thanksgiving Break** Dec. 1: Girl BB 8th grade Regionals start Dec. 7: Girls 8th grade Sectionals start Boys BB vs St. Thomas at 5:00 Dec. 8: Feast of the **Immaculate Conception** Boys BB vs Pleasant Valley at 5:00 **Dec. 9**: End of 2nd quarter Dec. 12: Boys BB vs St. Jude at 5:00 Dec. 13: Boys BB vs Pleasant Valley at 5:00 Dec. 14: Boys BB at Hollis at 5:00 Dec. 15: Boys BB at Robein at 5:30 Dec. 19: Christmas Concert Dec. 21: Christmas parties at 10:30 --11:30 Dismissal

Dec. 22- Jan. 3 – No School- Christmas Break

The E-Falcon Newsletter

Nov. 17, 2022

Pies For Sale

Let St. Mary's School make your pies for Thanksgiving. The volunteers will make your pies on Tuesday. Nov. 22 and pie pick up will be in Wednesday, Nov. 23 from 9-11am in St. Mary's cafeteria. Contact Ann Cowling if interested in helping with this school fundraiser. Thank you for supporting St. Mary's School.

<mark>No School</mark>

Mark your calendar for no school on Wednesday, Nov. 23-Friday, Nov. 25 for Thanksgiving break.

Sausage Sale

St. Mary of Lourdes is having a sausage sale. The new price is \$4 per pound for either bulk or link. Please contact Bill Kessling at 309-645-7795 by December 4 to order. Please pick up on Sunday, Dec. 11 from 7:00am-12:00pm at St. Mary of Lourdes Hall.

Lunch Menu (Subject to change) All lunches include milk

(Nov. 21-25) Monday, Nov. 21 – Corn dog, chips, peas, fruit Tuesday, Nov. 22 – Ham, mashed potatoes/gravy, green beans, pie Wednesday, Nov. 23 –No School Thursday, Nov. 24 – No School Friday, Nov. 25 – No School

(Nov. 28-Dec. 2) Monday, Nov. 28 – Chicken sandwich, fries, peas, fruit Tuesday, Nov. 29 – Pizza, corn, fruit Wednesday, Nov. 30 – Hoagie, baked beans, chips, fruit Thursday, Dec. 1 – Hot dog on bun, carrots, garbanzo beans, fruit Friday, Dec. 2 – Spaghetti, garlic bread stick, fruit

Caterpillar Matching

Caterpillar will do a 2:1 match for any donation of \$25-\$500 between November 28 through December 12. This is over and above the \$10,000 that they will match per year. First come first serve until they reach 2 million.

<mark>After Care</mark>

Starting Jan. 4, when school resumes after Christmas break, After Care will only run until 4:30. The need for After Care is not being shown so we are reducing the hours. The fee will then be \$15 for After Care no matter the amount of time. Also, there will be no After Care on Friday, December 9 for staff Christmas party.

Morning Drop Off

When dropping off students in the morning, please do not drop off on Chatham unless you are leaving at once. Drivers need to stop and drop off student immediately and leave when the students are a safe distance from the vehicle. This keeps the traffic moving smoothly in the morning.

<mark>No Buses</mark>

On Nov.21 & 22, there will be no bus service due to Metamora grade parent/teacher conferences.

Christmas Program - The Light Before Christmas!

We are very excited to announce we have been working on our Christmas Program in our Music classes! We've chosen a spunky show that takes place in a science classroom and the students learn about the light of Christmas and how the whole story is much larger and started at the very beginning. Cast members (students with speaking or acting roles listed below) will be allowed to wear Christmas Pajamas for their costumes. All other students may wear whatever Christmas attire or fancy dress you deem appropriate!

Our show will be Monday, December 19th at 6:00pm in the Metamora Township High School Auditorium. The Preschool will perform first, then we will have our program of "The Light Before Christmas," We will end the night with a couple of songs from our band students! The entire performance should hopefully only last an hour! We hope to see you there!

Here is the casting for our show:

Ms. Cutler	Amie Berta
Beaker	Ethan Stone
Austin	Ben Baldwin
Todd	Noah Merrill
Anna	Keren Binu
Savannah	Clara Schmitz
Julie	Aubrey Huss
Nonspeaking Students	Mariah Hermann
	Reagan Casey
	Gannon Huss
	Lauren Schmitt
	Siena Stone

Sports Update

Girls BB: Regionals begin on Nov. 19 at 11:30 at 303 McLean St. in Gridley. The team will be playing Tremont. Good Luck!

Nathan Wise