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Upcoming Events

Mar. 10: No School – Region 1 Meeting

Mar. 12: Confirmation

Mar. 13: PTO

Mar. 14; Sch Bo vs St.

Pat's at 3:45

Mar. 18: School Auction Mar. 23: SchoBo here vs Holy Family at 3:45 Mar. 27-31: No School –

Spring Break

Apr. 4: SchBo at Blessed Sacarment at 3:45

Apr. 7- 10: No School –

Easter Break

Apr. 13: SchBo at Washington Gifted at 3:45

Apr. 14: Midterms
Apr. 17: PTO meeting

Apr. 20: SchBo here vs St.

Marks at 3:45

Track conference at MTHS

Apr. 26: Scho Bo regioanls

begin

Apr. 29:St Mary's Relays May 1: Scho Bo sectional

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Mar. 9, 2023

Golf Outing Opportunity

With the golf outing preparations fast approaching, a request is being sent out. Cindy Garber would like to be able to turn over her duties as Chairman of the St. Mary's School golf outing in the next couple years. She would like to help train and relieve some of her duties starting with the upcoming outing on Aug. 4. If you are interested please contact her at (309) 360 -2809 or garber5@mtco.com It's a great way to give back and build our school and community!

No School

There will be no school on Friday, March 10 due to a teachers inservice meeting. Please plan accordingly.

Spring Forward

Don't forget to set your clocks forward an hour before going to bed on Saturday night. We earned another hour of daylight in the evening!

Lunch Menu (Subject to change)

All lunches include milk

(Mar. 13-17)

Monday, Mar. 13 – Corn dogs, chips, peas, fruit

Tuesday, Mar. 14 – Baked chicken, mashed potatoes/gravy, green beans, fruit

Wednesday, Mar. 15 – Pizza boat, carrot sticks, fruit

Thursday, Mar. 16 – Cooks choice????

Friday, Mar. 17 – Tortillas & cheese, corn, fruit

(Mar. 20-24)

Monday, Mar. 20 – Hot dog on bun, chips, peas, fruit

Tuesday, Mar. 21 – Geo's pizza, chips, fruit

Wednesday, Mar. 22 – Chicken sandwich, fries, corn, fruit

Thursday, Mar. 23 – Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes /gravy, fruit

Friday, Mar. 24 – Tomato soup, grilled cheese, crackers, fruit

B.U.G. Award (Bringing Up Grades)

Congratulations to students in 5th - 8th grades who have brought up their grades from the second quarter to the third quarter! 5th Grade: Adrian Avila, Sam Kidder Abbie Lamkin, Luke Grebner, Leta Hassler, and Teddy Wester. 6th Grade: Aly Engelbrecht, Blake Myers, and Lauren Schmitt. 7th Grade: Nolan Rutledge. 8th Grade: Westin LaHood, and Savannah Spradlin.

Altar and Rosary Easter Bake Sale

The St. Mary's Altar and Rosary Easter Bake Sale will take place on Palm Sunday weekend, Saturday 4/1 after the 4 pm mass and on Sunday 4/2 after both masses. After the 4 pm Saturday mass the bake sale will be in the church meeting room behind the altar or weather permitting, outside the main church doors. After the Sunday masses the Bake Sale will be in the school cafeteria so all our customers can also enjoy Donut Sunday. A special feature this year will be our fresh baked homemade Cinnamon Rolls!

We are asking all women of the parish to please help our bake sale by bringing baked goods (cookies, cakes, breads, cinnamon rolls, pies, candy, etc.) to the church meeting room on Saturday, 4/1 between 9am and 4pm.

Thank you in advance for helping us raise funds for the St. Mary's Altar and Rosary Society. If you have any questions feel free to call Diane Donnelly (309-251-9461) or Molly Gualandri (309-339-0299).

PTO

The next St. Mary's PTO meeting is Monday, 3/13 at 6:30pm in the school cafeteria. Please join us!!

ICC's College for Kids registration is officially open!

Does your child enjoy balloon artistry, cooking, or board games? Would they benefit from "Surviving Middle School" or a "Health Careers Camp?" Pique your child's interest with College for Kids.

College for Kids is an enrichment program for students entering grades 4-12.

Courses are designed to stimulate creativity, promote curiosity, and encourage engagement. Check out this year's classes in our new digital catalog.

Please note: All classes are held at the ICC Peoria campus at 5407 N. University Street in Peoria.

Course times and costs vary. Visit College for Kids for more information.

Register Today

JUNE SESSION: Register by June 1

Week 1 - June 12 - 15, 2023

Week 2 - June 20 - 23, 2023 (ICC closed on June 19)

Week 3 - June 26 - 29, 2023

JULY SESSION: Register by July 1

Week 4 - July 10 - 13, 2023

Week 5 - July 17 - 20, 2023

Week 6 - July 24 - 27, 2023

DAILY SCHEDULE

· Class 1: 8:15 am - 10:15 am

· Class 2: 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

Ways to Register

- · Register Online
- · By phone at (309) 690-6900
- · Walk-in Registration at ICC Peoria Campus, Hickory Hall

Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00am-4:30pm

If you have any questions or suggestions for classes, please contact us at college4kids@icc.edu.

Sports Update

Volleyball: After 42 practices and 48 matches our volleyball season has finished and we would like to thank those who contribute to our success. Bruce Spradlin for keeping the score book for the past 12 years, Scott Huss for the past 6 years as our assistant coach, parents and grandparents for all your support throughout the year and former players who continue to come back and help with practice and cheer us on at games. THANK YOU!

However, our work is not finished. Those that do not play a spring sport we encourage you to play club, attend camps and just get out and play. There are many options available for club with CIE, Eastside, Metamora Area Club and Illini Elite. If you have questions please don't hesitate to contact Mrs. Cowling as we have several girls interested in playing this spring.

Track: Track season is upon us and we have 10 student athletes running track with our Riverview co-op. If you are not receiving phone messages please let Mrs. Cowling know as this is how Riverview communicates. Practice has been cancelled for this Friday, but there will be practice Saturday from 7:30 AM-9:30AM. **Scholastic Bowl**: Scholastic Bowl had another successful week with a big win over Peoria Academy. Next up Thurs., Mar. 9 at Germantown at 4:00 PM. Good Luck! **Archery:** This past weekend Noah Merrill an 8th grade student participated in a NASP qualifying tournament in Champaign. He shot a 259/300 which qualified him for the NASP State Tournament Mar. 24-25 also in Champaign. Good Luck Noah!

What Happening in PE?

It's time to dig out those skates/roller blades and helmets as our gym is being transformed into a roller dome. We will be skating for the next two weeks in gym class. Don't worry if you do not have skates or a helmet we have plenty. However, we are in need of the Fisher Price skates that go over your shoes. If anyone has any we could borrow it would appreciated for our beginner skaters.