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Upcoming Events

Aug. 31: SB at Midland at 4:30

BB vs S. Pekin at 4:30

Sept. 2: BB & SB vs Williamsfeild at 10 & 12

Sept. 4: No School – Labor Day

Sept 5: BB at Dee-Mack at 4:30

CCat 4:15

Sept 6: SB Regionals start

Sept. 8: 1:30 Dismissal

Sept. 9: BB at St. Thomas at 10 & 12

Sept. 9: CC at Maxwell Park at 9:30

Sept. 12: CC at Great Oaks Church at 4:00

Sept 13: BB Regionals start

Sept. 15: Midterm

Sept. 21: School Picture Day

Sept. 23: BB Sectionals

Sept. 20: CC at Black Partridge at 4:00

Sept. 26: CC at Dunlap Valley at 4:15

Sept. 28: CC at Alpha Park at 4:15

Sept. 29: 11:30 Dismissal

Oct. 6: No School – Teachers Institute

Oct. 9 : No School – Columbus Day

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Water Bottles

Please send your student with a water bottle for school. There is not to be anything in the water bottle but water. No energy drink, soda or additives.

Bags For Bucks

Our favorite trash bags are back!! The popular Bags for Bucks school fundraiser will begin after the Labor Day weekend. Students should receive their sales envelopes by Friday, 9/1/23. All information about sale dates, cost and sizes of bags, etc is on an informational paper in the envelope with the order form. The delivery date is not locked in yet, but should be in mid-October. If you have any questions, please contact Deanna Casey [309/231-9656](tel:3092319656). Thank you for supporting our school!

No School/Early Dismissal

There will be no school on Monday, Sept. 4 due to Labor Day. Also on Friday, Sept. 8 there is a **1:30** dismissal.

Lunch Menu (Subject to change)

All lunches include milk

(Sept. 4-8)

Monday, Sept. 4 – No School – Labor Day

Tuesday, Sept. 5 – Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes & gravy, corn, fruit

Wednesday, Sept. 6 – Corn dogs, fries, peas, fruit

Thursday, Sept. 7 – Pizza boat, carrots, fruit

Friday, Sept. 8 – Mary's birthday - Turkey sandwich, chips, salad, fruit

(Sept. 11-15)

Mon., Sept. 11 – Hamburger on bun, fries, baked beans, fruit

Tues., Sept. 12 – Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes/gravy, corn, fruit

Wed., Sept. 13 – Pizza sticks, carrots, fruit

Thurs., Sept. 14 – Chili cheese fries, broccoli, tortilla chips, fruit

Fri., Sept 15 – Grilled cheese, chicken noodle soup, fruit

Forms Needed

Please be sure that all forms are turned in for your students. **2nd grade needs dental and 6th grade need to have dental and physical done. All students need a publicity (one per family), athletic participation and concussion form for all playing in sports in 5-8 and medical one per student each year.** The forms are located on the St. Mary's website.

Need a Math Tutor?

Metamora High School students are available as math tutors. Please contact Mrs. Eckstein if interested in hiring a high school student as a math tutor.

Hawaiian Day

On Friday, Sept. 8 not only do we have a 1:30 dismissal but it was also announced by the diocese to have a Hawaiian day. Students will be able to wear brightly colored "Hawaiian" clothing to raise money for Sacred Hearts School in Lahaine, Hawaii. We ask that students donated \$1 to support the school.

Handbook

If you have not read the handbook this year, please do so as there were changes made. After you read the handbook, please fill out the handbook form attached to this newsletter and return to school. The handbook is located on the St. Mary's webpage.

Sports Report

BASEBALL: Baseball has one week left of their regular season and would like to invite you to our 8th grade recognition on Sat., Sept. 2 as we celebrate our two 8th grade players: Nolan Rutledge and Cooper Akins. The boys take on Williamsfield in a doubleheader starting at 10:00 AM. Good Luck boys!

SOFTBALL: Softball season is winding down with this week being our last week of the regular season. Post season begins next week on Wed., Sept. 6 at MTHS. Check out all the details at iesa.org and go to the softball link. Times and dates will be set this Friday. The girls also take on Williamsfield in a doubleheader this Saturday starting at 10:00 AM at MTHS. Tuesday night the girls enjoyed their 8th grade celebration under the lights on a great evening of softball. We have three 8th graders Clara Schmitz, Isabella Haley and Oakleigh Wisner. Good Luck ladies in the post season as we are hosting both the regionals and sectionals at MTHS!

GOLF: Our golf team has been busy this summer working on their game. Team members include: Gannon Huss, Leta Hassler, Reid Kouri, Jonah Merrill, and Piper Pullen. We have two golfers competing in the IESA Sectional tournament on Wed., Sept. 6: Gannon Huss and Jonah Merrill. Good Luck boys!

GIRLS BASKETBALL: Our girls basketball co-op with Metamora Grade School has try-outs Tues., Sept. 5 at 6:30 - 8:00 AM. They will hold tryouts in the new gym at MGS. Good Luck ladies! Coaches Danielle Buerkett and Dakota Myers will be coaching this year. Any questions or if you need additional information please let Mrs. Cowling know!

SPORT PICTURES for BASEBALL and SOFTBALL will begin with individual photos on Thurs., Aug. 31. Portraits by Pam will take individual photos starting at noon. If you choose to order, envelopes will be coming home with your son or daughter. Please return to Mrs. Cowling if you wish to order. The team photo and Riverview students individual photos will be taken next week with time and date TBD.