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Upcoming Events

May 5: [First Communion](#)

May 6: Track at home at 4:15

May 10: Jr High trip to Springfield

May 11: Track Sectional

May 15: [Field day](#)

May 17: End of 4th quarter
[8th grade Graduation](#)

May 18: Track State

May 22: Last day of school for Preschool

May 23: Last day of school – Dismissal after 8:15 Mass

The E-Falcon Newsletter

May 2, 2024

St. Mary's School 16th Annual Golf Outing

Save the date of Friday July 26th for the St. Mary's Annual Golf Outing at Metamora Fields Golf Club, 12:30 shotgun start, scramble format. Watch bulletin, website, and Facebook for registration and details. If you would like to help with the outing or donate a raffle prize, please contact Cindy Garber at [309-360-2809](tel:309-360-2809) or garber5@mtco.com.

Old Settlers Days

The pie makers need fresh rhubarb, fresh gooseberries or strawberries for Old Settler Days June 19 - 22. Please bring to the cafeteria. We have found the fresh rhubarb is a little easier to use. We would also like to thank the Adams families - Carl, Mary, Bryan and Helen for always supplying us with frozen gooseberries and rhubarb for many, many years. People come to St. Mary's food tent just for pie. Without these donations, St. Mary's would not be able to have the great variety and delicious pies. Thank you all for the donations of time and fruit!!!

Lunch Menu (Subject to change)

All lunches include milk

(May 6-10)

Mon., May 6 – Hot dog on bun, baked beans, spinach, fruit

Tues., May 7 – **Robert & Nolan's choice** – Biscuit & gravy, hash brown, sausage, mandarin oranges, ice cream

Wed., May 8 – Chicken sandwich, fries, corn, fruit

Thurs., May 9 – Taco salad, carrots, fruit

Fri., May 10 – Cook's choice

(May 13-17)

Mon., May 13 – Corn dog, fries, baked beans, fruit

Tues., May 14 – **Clara's choice** – French toast sticks, hash browns, sausage, strawberry delight, cookie

Wed., May 15 – Field Day – Sub sandwich, chips, fruit

Thurs., May 16 – Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes/gravy, carrots, fruit

Fri., May 17 – Grilled cheese, tomato soup, Goldfish

Preschool

The last day for Preschool will be May 22 with a closing ceremony at 2:30 in the school gym.

Preschool/Kindergarten Openings

At this time, we still have openings for the preschool and Kindergarten programs. If you know of someone who has interest, please contact the school office.

Congratulations Nathan!!!

SCHOLASTIC BOWL: Congratulations to Nathan Wise our IESA Regional Scholastic Bowl winner. Nathan is a member of our co-op with Riverview and a very instrumental part of the team. Last week they went 3-0 and were the Regional Bowl Champions which moved them on to Sectional play. On Monday of this week they competed in Sectionals and came away with a 1-2 record to end their season. Congratulations to Nathan and the team for a great season!

Sports Update

Thank you for all your help this year with our two large track meets that we hosted.

What a great day of track and field action on Saturday at the 42nd Annual St. Mary's Relays. Thank you to the 50 plus volunteers who make this annual event possible. Fifteen schools and over 700 athletes participated. This year 176 ribbons were awarded and four trophies. Only at St. Mary's can we all come together with our volunteers. We made the best pork chops of any track and field event, and grilled over 250! We had many, many comments about our relays from coaches, parents and grandparents! Following are a few of the comments made....

"Fantastic Meet! Really enjoyed it!"

"Thank you so much! We want to come back next year!"

"So nice to have someone in charge who knows what they are doing."

"One of the better track meets I have attended. Thanks for making it happen."

Finally, mark **Wed., May 8 at 5:00 PM** for our awards night at the church as we conclude, and celebrate our extra curricular programs at St. Mary's!

Thank you, and let's finish strong together!!!