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# The Warrior World

Thursday, April 4th, 2013

## UPCOMING EVENTS


### April

Friday 4/5  
College Shirt Day w/Jeans,  
Shorts or Sweats

Saturday 4/6  
3rd Annual Dodgeball  
Tourney - 2 pm Gym  
Note time change!

Friday 4/12  
8th Grade Spring Musical  
7 pm in the Gym

Monday 4/15  
Fund-a-Friend

Tuesday 4/16  
Marco's Pizza Night  
PFA Speaker 6:30 pm 

Friday 4/19  
PFA Movie Night 7:00 pm

Wednesday 4/24  
1:00 pm Dismissal

Thursday 4/25  
Spring Band Concert  
6:30 pm in the Gym

Friday 4/26  
Crazy Hair Day

Monday 4/29 - Tuesday 4/30  
I-STEP Testing Grades 3rd  
through 8th - Please do not  
schedule morning appts

### May

Wednesday 5/1 - Friday 5/3  
I-STEP Testing Grades 3rd  
through 8th - Please do not  
schedule morning appts

Wednesday 5/8  
Flower Pick-up 1:00-6:00 pm

Thursday 5/9  
Flower Pick-up 7:30-9:30 am  
Walk-a-thon (note new  
date)

Friday 5/10  
Maycrowning 1 pm - Church

Tuesday 5/14  
80's Dress Day

Friday 5/17  
Field Day - 1 pm Dismissal  
NO EXTENDED CARE

Tuesday 5/21  
Marco's Pizza Night  
PFA Pass the Gavel Party

Thursday 5/23  
8th Grade Graduation

Friday 5/24  
Last Day of  
School!



## Tomorrow

College Shirt Day  
With jeans, shorts or sweats

## Spring Pictures

Spring Pictures were sent home last week. If you plan on ordering photos, please mark the envelope accordingly and send back with the appropriate payment. Any photos that you do not wish to purchase must be returned to school no later than Wednesday, April 10th.

## PFA Movie Night - Friday, April 19th!

Our last movie for the school year will be 4/19 at 7:00 pm. Admission is free and snack packs are available for \$5. The feature film is "Rise of the Guardians".

Please RSVP to [julieterhorst@gmail.com](mailto:julieterhorst@gmail.com) by Monday April 15th.

The 2013-2014 School Calendar is on our website.

[www.saintmatt.org/school](http://www.saintmatt.org/school)

The following students were accidentally left off the Honor Roll list. Congratulations to:

Louisa Wetli 3N  
Maddie Tarowsky 7K  
Mary Stempky 7K

## Box Tops Competition Results

Girls - 3409 Boys - 2815

As winners of the competition, the girls will have a non-uniform day on Thursday, April 11th. SMS earned over \$600!! Thank you for participating!

## Tuition Agreements Due 4/12

Tuition Agreements and pre-payments for the 2013-2014 school year are due next **Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup>**. **Reminder:** all tuition for the current school year must be paid in full by June 30<sup>th</sup> to maintain student enrollment for next year.

## Middle School Blog

This replaces the Homework Hotline and Middle School Calendar

<http://saintmattms.blogspot.com>

## Dodgeball Tournament

Saturday, April 6th

At 2:00 pm



Please note the time change! Registrations are still being accepted by Mr. Barth.

## WALK-A-THON - Thursday, May 9th



Walk-a-Thon is almost here!

We are so excited to be raising money this year to support the renovation of our school library! We will be walking on Thursday, May 9 at 1:15pm. We would love to have as many parents join us as possible! We will be expanding our course this year and walking around the football field and nature center.

We are also soliciting corporate sponsors this year and have included an electronic copy of our request letter that you can print and take to your company. Many companies also have a matching gift program so be sure to inquire about this option.

We have also included an electronic copy of a letter you can send to family and friends who may be interested in supporting your child's efforts in the Walk-a-Thon.

Last year our school community raised \$7300! We are hoping to meet and or beat that amount this year. In fact, if the student body raises at least \$7000, Mr. Smock has graciously agreed to sit in a dunk tank on Field Day and let the class raising the most money take a shot at dunking him as well as the boy and girl who individually raise the most money!

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Ally Hedrick at [allyhedrick@comcast.net](mailto:allyhedrick@comcast.net).

Thanks in advance for your hard work on this special project!



## SCRIP TIP

### SCRIP Office Hours

Monday afternoons from 2:45 pm - 3:15 pm  
 Tuesday - Friday mornings from 7:30 am - 8:15 am  
 Thursday afternoons from 4:15 pm - 5:00 pm  
 Friday afternoons: 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm  
 After all weekend Masses

## Blood Drive at SMS - Next Thursday, April 11th

SMS Pint Size Hero blood drive is being held next Thursday, April 11 from 2 - 6 p.m. in the Community Room. Information has been sent home with students. To schedule your appointment contact Meg Ahlering, 903-8086 or sign-up online at [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org) and use sponsor code: smatthewcs. Check out this enlightening YouTube video!

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KHsfi2fExuo>

## 8th Grade Service Project

The 8th grade will be collecting the following items during the month of April: household cleaning supplies, dishwasher soap, liquid dish soap, hand sanitizer, napkins, kleenex, toilet paper, and paper towels for the O'Connor House. The OCH mission is to operate a Christian residential home to help single pregnant women improve life for themselves and their children. OCH hopes to reduce homelessness and offer love, support and guidance to single mothers and their children. Please send your donation to school by April 19.

## The "Other 3R's" - Raising Responsible, Resilient and Resourceful Children by Carlabeth Mathias, MS, LCSW, LMHC

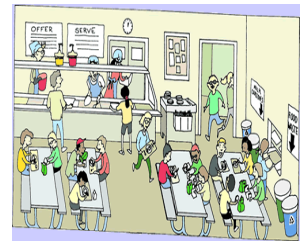
What kind of adults do I want my children to become? What are their needs as they grow? How can I best meet those needs? As a parent, how can I help my children develop their potential, navigate the ups and downs of life, handle difficult situations, and become happy, productive, and independent adults? Which approaches create obstacles? What strategies are most effective to raise responsible, resilient and resourceful children? Even the best parents are eager to acquire new tools for effective parenting. Committing time now can result in a lifetime of benefit! **Come participate in our next parent workshop, on Tuesday, April 16 at 6:30 - 8 p.m.**, presented by Carlabeth Mathias, a local children's therapist and former elementary/middle school counselor. This session is for parents only, but babysitting will be available.

As an incentive to get parents to attend this helpful session, Mr. Smock is offering **5** non-uniform passes for each of your children if a parent attends. So plan on joining us for this workshop on April 16...it is one of the best ways you can help yourself and your children.

If you are in need of an experienced nanny this summer, Jill Traub, parishioner, former SMS student and junior at Indiana State University is looking for employment. Her cell number is (317) 697-9833 or you may contact Mrs. Gray, [kgray@saintmatt.org](mailto:kgray@saintmatt.org)

## After School Clubs - Week of April 8th

Monday, 4/8	Tuesday, 4/9	Wednesday, 4/10	Thursday, 4/11
<b>Spirit Club</b> <b>Pick-Up 4:15 pm</b> <b>Mrs. Sobieski's</b> <b>Room 301</b>	<b>Walking Club</b> <b>Pick-Up 4:15</b> <b>School Office</b>	<b>Lego Club K-3</b> <b>Pick up 4:15 pm</b> <b>Miss Hotka's</b> <b>Room 311</b>	<b>Lego Club 4-8</b> <b>Pick-Up 4:15 pm</b> <b>Mr. Moyer's</b> <b>Room 305</b>



### WARRIOR CAFÉ MENU

Student Lunch: \$2.50  
 Lunch card: \$12.50  
 Milk card: \$9.20

**Monday, April 8:**  
 Chicken Hipp Dipp,  
 mashed potatoes,  
 glazed carrots, salad,  
 fruit, milk

**Tuesday, April 9:**  
 Scrambled eggs, sau-  
 sage patty, biscuit, sal-  
 ad, fruit, milk

**Wed., April 10:**  
 Beef taco, soft shell,  
 corn, black beans, sal-  
 ad, fruit, milk

**Thurs., April 11:**  
 Ravioli, peas, dinner  
 roll, salad, fruit, milk

**Friday, April 12:**  
 Hot dog, cheese  
 sauce, chips, salad,  
 fruit and milk

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**There are many outstanding IOU's from the Café. Please make payment for any borrowed lunches. Thank you!**