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UPCOMING EVENTS

Please be sure to check the school calendar on the school website each week: www.spswadsworth.org

Scroll down to the box that says "current families" and click. The calendar will be in this section. Although all school families received a printed school calendar, some events and times may have changed. We have many upcoming important events for parents so please be sure to look ahead.

Parent Nights are coming up the week after Labor Day. Tuesday, 9/04 is for grades 4-8 in the Boehm Center and Thursday, 09/06 is for grades K-3 in the Boehm Center. Please note the meetings are running from 6:30-8:30PM.

PARENTS OF ALL ATHLETES

A meeting will be held for Parents of All Athletes on September 4th at 6:00 PM in Dyer Hall. This is 30 minutes prior to Parent Night which is in the Boehm Center. We STRONGLY encourage all parents of athletes to attend this meeting.

ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC

The annual Parish Picnic is being held this weekend on Sunday, August 26th after the 11:00 AM Mass. It will be held directly after mass just outside the Main Church.

MORNING DROP OFF & AFTERNOON DISMISSAL

The morning and afternoon procedures have been going wonderful!

We do have a few items to go over:

1. **In the morning, we ask that you leave the right side of the road from the front parking lot to the Main Church open so that those cars who would like to get to the Main Church can drive through. If you move all the way over to the left, there is enough room on the right for a car to pass. We are attaching the diagram again so that you can understand what we would like you to do.**
2. At dismissal time we are still working out a few kinks to the dismissal of students. Please be patient with us as we perfect our procedures.
3. **If you need to come to the office for something after school, please wait until dismissal is over as we are announcing names for dismissal through the office PA system and we need to keep it quiet during this time.**

4. For both morning arrival and afternoon dismissal, if you missed it, we have two lanes to exit the school property. If you are turning left onto Wadsworth Road, please stay to the left and if you are turning right, get into the right lanes.

PRESCHOOL BEGINS NEXT WEEK!

The two and three day preschool sessions are beginning next week! Please be sure to look at the calendars posted on our websites for dates and times. The PK4 program will begin their full-day program on Monday.

ALL SCHOOL MASS

Our first all school Mass will be held this Tuesday at 8:30 AM in the Main Church. This involves Grades 1-8 as kindergarten is not quite ready for mass yet – but soon! We welcome any parents who would like to attend, please do!

TEACHER EMAIL ADDRESSES

All teachers have an email address. Everyone's email address is their first initial with their last name @stpatrickwadsworth.org. All emails and webpages are posted on our school website and also on the first page of the calendar that was handed out to all families.

Mrs. Vitulli, Principal: mvitulli@stpatrickwadsworth.org

KE – Ms. Esser: [lesser@](mailto:lesser@stpatrickwadsworth.org)

KP – Mrs. Pohl: [mpohl@](mailto:mpohl@stpatrickwadsworth.org)

1J – Mrs. Jarvis: [sjarvis@](mailto:sjarvis@stpatrickwadsworth.org)

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3U – Mrs. Uko: [auko@](mailto:auko@stpatrickwadsworth.org)

[lmckinnon@](mailto:lmckinnon@stpatrickwadsworth.org)

4D – Mrs. Dziki: [cdziki@](mailto:cdziki@stpatrickwadsworth.org)

4H – Mrs. Hart: [jhart@](mailto:jhart@stpatrickwadsworth.org)

5C – Mrs. Chorazy: [bchorazy@](mailto:bchorazy@stpatrickwadsworth.org)

5P – Mrs. Parduhn: [lparduhn@](mailto:lparduhn@stpatrickwadsworth.org)

6KM – Mrs. Miller: [kmiller@](mailto:kmiller@stpatrickwadsworth.org)

6M – Mrs. Miekczynski:

7C – Mrs. Collin:

7R – Ms. Rigwood: [jrigwood@](mailto:jrigwood@stpatrickwadsworth.org)

8A – Mrs. Avona: [aavona@](mailto:aavona@stpatrickwadsworth.org)

8M – Mrs. McKinnon:

SCHOOL FORMS

We are still in the process of going through all our forms that you have turned in. We will send out an email next week to families of missing forms and let you know what is needed.

Tuition Contracts were mailed through the post office to all families the week of August 13th. If you have NOT received your mailing by Monday, please send an email

to dkotlar@stpatrickwadsworth.org and we will send another copy home with your youngest/only child. Thank you.

UNIFORM CLARIFICATIONS

The students look terrific in their uniforms! Everyone appears to be following the St. Pat's uniform code and we greatly appreciate this! It stated that all shoes were to be solid black. If you were notified by your homeroom or classroom teacher your child is not following uniform compliance please help us to correct this situation over the weekend. Thank you.

NOTES TO THE CLASSROOM/OFFICE

If your student is going to be absent for the day, please either call the school office and leave a message on ext. 201 or send an email to your student's teacher AND Mrs. Gardner (hgardner@), in that way we all have the same message. If your child will be leaving early or coming in later, again please send a note to the teacher/office. When sending notes, please be sure to put your child's name and classroom assignment on the note as well as the date. If you are changing your child's normal dismissal procedures, please email or call the school office by NOON. If you call late in the day, there are many things going on in the office. Thank you.

CARPOOL NEEDED

The Rajendram family is looking for a carpool for just after school. They live in Lake Villa and are willing to compensate for the ride. If anyone is able to work with them, please contact them directly at: mirna279@yahoo.com or call 414-469-7833. Thank you.

BACK TO SCHOOL, BACK TO SCRIP!

Stay at home parents may be enjoying the bittersweet peace and quiet of school days once again. Working parents are juggling their after school and early morning child care. ALL of us are readjusting to the school-year schedule again. Back to shopping for school lunches, after school snacks and dinners on the go before evening activities. School sports are starting up again and homework is coming. Whew! We've got a lot going on. Don't forget to make Scrip a part of your Back-to-School plan. Use Scrip cards (from school or church) or eCards (available for almost immediate use when purchased online) to pay for all of your remaining school supplies, meals on-the-go and your coffee to keep you going through this busy season. Groceries, gas, clothing, sporting goods, uniforms, restaurant meals and so much more can be paid for with Scrip.

Remember, paying for your already planned purchases with Scrip doesn't cost you anything extra but it DOES get free money our school and YOU! Our school earns rebates for each purchase of Scrip. That rebate is split with you and is deducted from your FACTS tuition account. The school uses its half of the rebates to support essential

programs in our school. The more we use Scrip, the more resources our children will have to make them successful students.

If you haven't tried Scrip yet, try it and see what a difference you can make. If you have tried Scrip before, come back to Scrip and see how the program has grown over the years. Haven't tried the online version yet? Let us help you get signed up. When you see what St. Pat's can do for your own children with the rebates, you'll be glad you did. Happy Shopping!

PRESCHOOL CLASSES FOR OUR LITTLEST OF FRIENDS

Mom and Me is a program for our littlest friends who are between the ages of 2-3 years old . It is intended as a first introduction to "school" with mom or care-giver providing the security of the parent in the room while adapting to being in a group setting with their peers and teacher.

Mommy and Me Classes are held Mondays 9:15 am – 10:30 am

Class Fees: \$150/10 weeks – Mom and Me (Class begins Monday September 17)

For registration contact Linda Schlueter at Lschlueter@stpatrickwadsworth.org

YOUNG REMBRANDTS

After School Art class is beginning soon. Please be sure to register your student for class soon if this is something you want your student to participate in. Classes start September 11th. We are attaching the registration form but they are also posted on the school website. Get your ART on!

[Young Rembrandts Art Class-Fall.pdf](#)

AFTERSCHOOL ENRICHMENT SOLUTIONS

Flyers were given out at the Ice Cream Social and are attached to this bulletin for the after school Let's Build It and Chess classes. The forms are also posted on the school website. Please be sure to get your registrations in as Chess will begin September 27th and Lets Build It will begin October 3rd.

[St Patrick - Fall 2018 - Chess Scholars Flyer COLOR.pdf](#)

[St Patrick - Fall](#)

[2018 - Let's Build It - Robotics - Mighty Machines Flyer COLOR.pdf](#)

MUSIC ON THE MOVE BAND PROGRAM

The Music on the Move Band Program will be demonstrating the many different instruments a student might choose to play on Wednesday, August 29th. If your student is interested in participating in our band program this year, you must fill out the registration form. Forms will be distributed to interested students on Wednesday.

PARENT ASSOCIATION

-We would like to give a BIG thank you to all that helped and came to both the kindergarten orientation day and the welcome back coffee. We couldn't have had such a pleasant time without the old and new parents.

-Our first Parent Association meeting is coming up on September 17th at 1:45 PM in Fr. Slattery Hall (Historic Church basement). Please join us if you can. We would like to extend a special invitation to all our new parents. It is a wonderful opportunity to make new friends while helping the school.

-We are attaching the volunteer sheet for Parent's Association. If you are able to help out in any section we would greatly appreciate it.

[PARENT'S ASSOC.VOL.pdf](#)

BOOSTER CLUB

Mandatory Sports Meeting: We have scheduled a mandatory parents meeting for Tuesday, September 4th @ 6:00 (1/2 hour before our 4th - 8th grade Parent Night). If your child would like to play a sport this year (5th - 8th grade) a parent must attend the meeting. Sports: boys/girls basketball, boys/girls volleyball, track, cross country and cheer (6th - 8th grade). We have updated our handbook, and made some changes and we need for all parents to be aware of the changes.

BOYS BASKETBALL REGISTRATION DUE DATE CHANGE:

The deadline to register for boys basketball has changed (5th through 8th grade). The new deadline is September 3rd. Please go to the RegisterMyAthlete website (directions were emailed to each parent) and register your son if he is interested in playing. The \$55.00 Activity fee will be due by September 15th. Checks should be payable to Booster Club to Holly Gardner's attention.

GIRLS BASKETBALL REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN: If your daughter (5th - 8th grade) is interested in playing basketball this season, please go to the RegisterMyAthlete website and fill out all the information. Registration will close on September 12th. The \$55.00 Activity fee will be due by November 1st. Checks should be payable to the Booster Club to Holly Gardner's attention.

CHEER REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN: If your daughter (6th - 8th grade) is interested in cheer this season, please go to the RegisterMyAthlete website and fill out all the information. Registration will close on September 12th. The \$55.00 Activity fee will be due by October 1st. Checks should be payable to the Booster Club to Holly Gardner's attention.

CROSS COUNTRY/GIRLS VOLLEYBALL ACTIVITY FEE IS NOW DUE:

Cross Country and Girls volleyball has begun. The \$55.00 Activity fee is now due. Please send it to the school office (attn: Holly Gardner) by Friday, August 24th. If your athlete needs an uniform please add the following to your check (payable to the Booster Club): Volleyball Shirt - \$11.00

Cross Country Shirt - \$11.00

Cross Country Shorts - \$15.00

EACH ATHLETE NEEDS A CURRENT PHYSICAL ON FILE BEFORE THEY WILL BE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY GAMES. PHYSICALS ARE GOOD FOR ONE YEAR. YOU CAN UPLOAD YOUR PHYSICAL TO THE REGISTERMYATHLETE WEBSITE, OR SEND IT TO THE OFFICE; ATTN: HOLLY GARDNER

ELEVATE DANCE

Does your child like to dance? Registration is now open for the 2018-19 classes through Elevate Dance. Please see the attached flyer for more details.

[ELevate.pdf](#)

GURNEE PARK DISTRICT

FREE – [Gurnee Park District 50th Anniversary Party](#)

You are invited to Gurnee Park District's 50th anniversary celebration!

From 4 PM to 7 PM join us for KidZone FUN, bounce houses, free throw contest, Summer Concert performance by Breakfast Club and more! Food available for purchase from: Dickey's Barbeque Pit, Mothers Truckin Good Food, Nothing Bundt Cakes, and Depidy Dawg Ice Cream. Thank you sponsors: Knauz AutoPark, BCU, Honey Orthodontics, First Midwest Bank, and The Law Office of Judy K. Maldonado.

FREE – [Touch A Truck](#)

See vehicles from Gurnee Park District, Gurnee Public Works, Gurnee Police Department, Gurnee Fire Department, Warren Township, Wildwood Towing, Burriss Equipment and many more at our 9th Annual Touch-a-Truck! This event is sponsored by [Honey Orthodontics](#) and [NorthShore University HealthSystem](#).

FREE GO GURNEE – [Chalk the Walk](#)

Take time for outdoor fun in your neighborhood! Between September 17-23, design chalk creations on your driveways/sidewalks, snap a photo and share with #GOGURNEE on Facebook and Twitter! All entries will be entered into a random drawing for great prizes!

YOUTH PROGRAMS

[Swim Lessons](#)

Gurnee Park District offers year-round swim instruction for students ages six months to adults. In our swim programs, you can expect exceptional safety and quality. We provide licensed lifeguards at all swim lessons and our instructors attend comprehensive training and co-teaching before teaching independently to you or your child.

[Dance](#)

Instruction with Gurnee Park District is available for pre-ballet, ballet, tap, jazz, hip hop and lyrical.