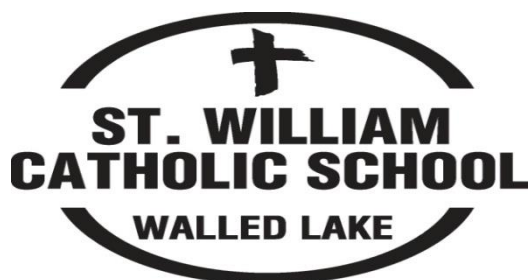


Friday's "Knightly" News

February 8, 2019



"To provide a school environment in which
Christ is encountered, and
discipleship is fostered
through the teaching and practice
of Catholic traditions, values and doctrine,
while challenging each student to academic excellence."

A Community of Faith, Family, and Learning

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Friday, February 8th

Basketball Games 6 and 7:30 p.m.

Monday, February 11th

Hot Lunch- Pizza

Board/Parent Meeting 7 p.m.

Wednesday, February 13th

Family Mass 8 a.m.

Hot Lunch- Burgers

Thursday, February 14th

Color Day \$.25

Friday, February 15th

Auction Items Due

Event Ticket Sales End

School Survey Closes

Vacation Begins- End of Day

Basketball Game 6:30 p.m.

Monday, February 25th

Classes Resume

Board/Parent Meeting: **The Board/Parent meeting to review the Strategic Plan will be held on Monday, February 11th beginning at 7 p.m. in the Activity Center.** If you have not yet reviewed this document, please go to our school website. The entire document is posted there.

School Registration/Tuition Assistance: Fillable registration forms for the upcoming school year are posted on the school website as well. They are also attached to the newsletter. We also just received the information regarding the Archdiocesan Tuition Assistance Grants. The directions for the application process are posted on our website. **This application must be completed and submitted by April 30th.** Along with the application, families must also complete and submit a “Pastor Signature Form”. There are no exceptions to this deadline. Also, in order to be considered for additional grants from St. William Parish, parents must have completed the diocesan application.

Survey Link: Please take the time to complete the school survey that was forwarded to you yesterday. The link can be found on our school website and is listed below.

<http://survey2019.aodschoools.org>

The survey must be completed by the end of the day on February 15th. It is important to have as much input from our school families as possible as we work to improve our school program. Please take a few minutes to complete the survey. Students in grades 5-8 will complete the survey during their computer class.

Hot Lunch Change: Due to school closing on Wednesday, we will have pizza hot lunch on Monday, February 11th.

Open House: Thank you to the MANY students and parents who helped with our open house last Sunday. We welcomed 11 new families during the tours on Sunday. We also had a few parishioners tour the school. Continue to encourage families who may be interested in registering for the fall to contact us. We would be glad to meet with prospective families privately.

Beer and Wine Tasting Event Reminders:

Some reminders about our upcoming event:

- Sell your Sweepstakes tickets and turn in to office. Thank you to those who have done so already!!! It's best when you turn in the packet together making tracking easier.

Do you need selling opps? Go to: [Sweepstakes Selling Opportunities](#)



- We need sponsors for the event! Check with area businesses!
- We need donations for the silent auction. For a list of suggested items - go to: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409084daaa723a64-silent>



- Buy tickets to the event: <https://cbo.io/bidapp/index.php?slug=stwcs> Our co-chairs, Lisa Collias and Ann Kenyon, need to know you are coming so they can plan! Do so by February 15th when we need to give final numbers.



Deadline for sponsors and donations is February 15th and Sweepstakes tickets should be returned by February 26th!!

There was a drawing this morning for the students who have turned in their tickets. This week's winners were:

- **Garritt Mass- Free Uniform Day**
- **Teddy Randazzo- Free Ticket for Trampolining**
- **Leah Roe- Free Bowling Ticket**

Congratulations, students. Thank you to all who have sold or are still selling tickets.

Color Day: Students will have a dress down, color day for Valentine's Day on February 14th. Enjoy the day and wear your pinks, reds and whites.

Family Mass: We will try again on Wednesday to have our family mass. We hope that many of our parents, grandparents, or guests can join us.

Shoe Collection: Attached to the newsletter is a flyer detailing a service project. We will be collecting shoes with the donations going to Mi Work Matters. We do have a collection box outside of the main school office.

Congratulations Students: Thank you to the many students who participated in the art project during Catholic Schools Week. We had many outstanding submissions that showed what St. William Catholic School meant to our students. The mayor of Walled Lake, Linda Ackley, came to school yesterday to judge and announce the winners. We congratulate the following students:

Sierra Westemeier Gr. 2- Winner in grades JK-3

Jayden Shunyia Gr. 4- Winner in grades 4-8

Helena Wella- Overall School Winner

Each of these students received a \$50 gift certificate for Meijer from the PSA. The mayor also presented all of the students who participated in the contest with a pin from the city of Walled Lake.



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