

St. Mary Campus
October 26, 2022

Included in This Week's Packet

Battle of the Bags Registration Form *to Youngest*
Christmas Clearing Council to Youngest
Field Trip Permission Slip *Grades 6, 7, 8 Only*
November Book It Calendar *Grades 3-6 Only*
Service Guide Form 2022-20223 *to Youngest*
SMC November Calendar

Halloween Celebrations

Grade 3-5 Halloween Parade is scheduled for **Monday, October 31 @ 2:15PM** (weather permitting) All are invited!

The parade will leave St. Mary's lower parking lot and go:
South on Hartwell
West on Windsor
North on Charles Street
East on Newhall Avenue to return



Inclement Weather Plan: Parade in Gym and Community Room

Grades 6-8 may wear black or orange. If students choose not to wear black or orange, then the school uniform must be worn.

Halloween celebrations will be held after the Halloween parade!

STEM LAB HELP- Wednesday Nov 2- after school until 4:30pm



Ms. Achatz and Mrs. Lindbloom are looking for a few middle school students to help organize/ set up the STEM lab. Some tasks include helping organize, label, and move materials to best utilize the space. This after school opportunity may be counted as a service hour. Please reach out to either teacher by Monday Oct 31st if you would like to help or if there are questions.

eachatz@waukeshacatholic.org and tlindbloom@waukeshacatholic.org

Book It! Reminder



Our first month of Book It! is almost complete! Remember to have your kids turn in their October calendar next week so that they can earn their Pizza prize. Be sure to include the student's full name & teacher. November's calendar is included.

If you wish to get your certificates digitally please email me at jer.jules.brock@gmail.com and I will send you the approval form for this year so that you can receive the coupons right to your email.

Shoe Collection



In connection with our Catholic Schools Walk and our Theme: Walking with Jesus, we are collecting new or gently used shoes to donate to St. Vincent DePaul. Please bring shoes to the collection box located outside the school office from now until October 28th. Thank you!

CANDY, CANDY, CANDY!



Santa's Workshop is once again in need of your candy donations. Whether it be an extra bag you pick up at the store ahead of time or an overstock bag after the trick or treaters have gone, Santa's Workshop will gladly take them off your hands! We will also take loose candy in excellent condition placed in a Ziplock bag to keep them fresh. Your candy donations can be dropped off at either school office. If you have any questions, please contact Cindy Maigatter at mcmygater@yahoo.com. Thank you in advance!

URGENT--SETON VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!

As you may have seen or heard, the Elizabeth Seton Volleyball Championships are coming up at the end of this month, beginning October 31st and running each night until November 6th. The Seton is a 74 team, 3 division, invitation-only tournament to end the 8th grade volleyball season. This tournament is sanctioned by the Archdiocese of Milwaukee and serves as their championships. It is the volleyball equivalent to the Padre Serra basketball tournament. The tournament is held at the Milwaukee Sting Center in Menomonee Falls (Monday-Friday) and at Catholic Memorial High School (Saturday-Sunday).

What you may not have known is that this tournament is run by the Waukesha Catholic Athletic Association. The tournament is spearheaded by the Waukesha Catholic Athletic Board and The Seton Tournament Committee. The proceeds from the tournament go towards the Waukesha County Catholic School Tuition Assistance Program, the Foundation for Religious Retirement, and Waukesha Catholic Athletics. This tournament serves as our single-largest athletic fundraiser each year, and it is through these proceeds that we are able to keep our athletic fees lower to allow for more 5th-8th graders to participate in Waukesha Catholic athletics.

In order to make this tournament run, we need your help! We are in need of parents to serve a variety of roles as volunteers each night. We have over 150 parent volunteer slots (all 2-2 ½ hours). As **Guest Services/Crowd Control** people, you would stand near specified courts to help make sure that no one walks behind the courts while play is going on, that spectators remain in specified areas around the courts so that players have room to play, and assist the Seton Committee/Athletic Board member who is in charge of the crowds that night. Ideally, we need 7 parents to help in each of 2 shifts each weeknight (14 parents total). We are also in need of filling slots at the **admissions** tables, with 4 parents in each of 2 shifts (8 parents total); you must be a parent to do this and the same household is not allowed to work the same admissions table—also, children are not allowed to handle cash under any circumstance.

We are also in need of up to eight 5th-8th grade students to serve as flip-scorers at the tables each night in 2 shifts for the 8 courts we use. They would flip the score and mark it in an iPad for online viewers. Middle school students may use this for service hours at school.

Finally, we need your support for our 8th grade teams who are participating this year—the boys 8th grade team plays Monday night starting at 5:30 pm, while the girls 8th grade team starts Tuesday at **time TBD**.

If you are able to help, please check the following links:

Parent Volunteers:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090C48AAAA2AA75-20221>

Student Flip-score volunteers:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090C48AAAA2AA75-20222>

More about the Seton tournament, including brackets (posted soon):

www.theseton.net

Box Tops For Education

Earn a \$10 gift card! Turn in Box Tops and Coca-Cola Codes by 10/31 to be entered in the monthly drawing.

Send Box Tops and Coca-Cola Codes in a sandwich bag to school with your student's name & class labeled on the bag.

Digital Box Tops...

1. Download the BoxTops4Education app
2. Register & choose St Mary as the school
3. Scan your receipts & forward digital receipts to receipts@boxtops4education.com

Look for Coca-Cola Codes on caps, wraps & flaps!



Booster Club Battle of the Bags

Mark your calendars for the evening of November 12th for the Booster Club "Battle of the Bags" tournament event for adults 21 & older. Look for the green flyer in this week's packet--**registrations are due by November 4th** and can be returned to the school office at either campus.

Basketball Splits are Coming in November!



For grades large enough to split into 2 teams. Players on the teams that split must attend the split sessions as listed below. Players on teams not splitting will be informed of their first practice time, which will be held after November 10th when the coaches meet and select practice times.

5th Grade Girls - Tuesday Nov. 8th 5:30-7 pm @ St. Joe's*

6th Grade Boys - Wednesday Nov. 9th 5:30-7 pm @ St. Joe's*

7th Grade Girls - Wednesday Nov. 9th 7-9 pm @ **St. Mary's** (enter Door #9 by the playground/gym entrance)

7th Grade Boys - Tuesday Nov. 8th 7-9 pm @ St. Joe's*

8th Grade Boys - Wednesday Nov. 9th 7-9 pm @ St. Joe's*

*St. Joe's gym is located at 841 Martin St., Waukesha