

# Campus Connection

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## **Tuition Agreements**

Tuition agreements for the next school year were due on May 10<sup>th</sup>. If you have not returned the agreement please return as soon as possible.



## **Volunteer Cook-out**

All Waukesha Catholic volunteers are invited to join the family cook-out on Tuesday, May 25<sup>th</sup> in the back parking lot of St. Mary Campus. Enjoy hamburgers, hot dogs, and all the sides from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. This will be held during the athletic sports sign up for next year. Please return your family form or RSVP to Teresa 262-896-2929, ext. 324 so we may plan enough food.

## **Culver's**

The next Culver's night will be Tuesday, May 18<sup>th</sup> from 5:00- 8:00 p.m. All of the Waukesha Culver's locations will donate a percentage of sales to Home & School.

## **Board Meeting**

The Waukesha Catholic Board of Directors will meet on Tuesday, May 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the St. William Parish Vercelli House. All are invited to attend.

## **Walk-A-Thon**

Unfortunately the Walk-A-Thon was cancelled today because of the cold and rainy weather. The Walk-A-Thon will happen on Thursday.

**Congratulations to our young walkers this week...**



**...and thanks to Home & School and all the volunteers!**

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## Scrip

- There will be three more opportunities to order Scrip before the end of the school year, May 17<sup>th</sup>, May 24<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, June 1<sup>st</sup>. Get your orders in now for summer!
- Place an order to be eligible for the gift card drawing. There will be one winner from each campus for each of the three order weeks in May (May 10<sup>th</sup>, May 17<sup>th</sup>, and May 24<sup>th</sup>). Scrip is giving away Culver's, Noodles and Marcus gift cards.

## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Play

Kelly Vance will direct the Waukesha Catholic St. Joseph 8<sup>th</sup> graders in ***The Music Man Junior***. The play will be held at Catholic Memorial High School Auditorium on Friday, May 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> at 4:00 p.m.

Tickets are \$6 for adults and \$3 for students or seniors. To order tickets, call Rosemarie at 262-968-5530.



## Meghan Law Notification

In 1997 a law was passed that allowed law enforcement agencies to share information with their community regarding sex offenders who are released from prison. The schools have received a notice from the Waukesha Police Department regarding a sex offender released into the community. If you are interested in the information available you may call the Waukesha Police Department, at 524-3770, or stop by your campus office.

# Waukesha Catholic St. Joseph Middle School

## Included in This Week's Packet

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Play DVD Order Form

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Packet

7<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Volunteer

Band Student Packet & Permission Slip

4 P's in a Pod June Confirmation

## Camp Minikani Reminder

This Wednesday, May 12<sup>th</sup>, the 6<sup>th</sup> grade students will travel for their overnight camp experience. The students will arrive back to our campus at approximately 2:15P on Thursday.

Students and parents are reminded there is **no school** this Friday, May 14<sup>th</sup> for the **6<sup>th</sup> Grade Only!**

## Fun Lunch

**Thank You** to all of the many fun lunch volunteers who helped with the Fun Lunches this year. This great program for our students couldn't happen without the volunteers. This program helps bring extra funds for our school!

We are in need of coordinators, volunteers to serve, and a supply person. It only takes about 2 hours 2 times a month. If we don't get the volunteers for the fun lunch program it will not be able to continue. If you already know that you are going to be able to help out again next year, or want to help out, please let Leah Durand know, 262-521-2162.



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### Information Now Available

If you would like any of the following information, please contact the school office, 262-896-2930:

- Marquette University Boys Basketball Summer Camp Coached by Buzz Williams
- Marquette University Girls Basketball Summer Camp coached by Terri Mitchell
- Marquette University Summer Program for speed reading, comprehension and Study Skills with locations in Brookfield and Waukesha!
- Become a Cadet in the Civil Air Patrol

### Forgotten Lunches



If you are out shopping and run across a good deal we are in need of contributions towards our forgotten lunch bin. We have had a lot of forgetters lately!

Some suggestions: pudding, jello, fruit snacks, prepackaged crackers, or pretzels and cheese - thanks in advance for your continued support of the forgotten lunch program!

## Waukesha Catholic St. Mary Campus

### “Poverty” Paper

Keep our school in mind if your company is changing letterhead or has used paper, clean on one side. We use the poverty paper (8 1/2 x 11, white or color) to save money. Paper may be dropped off at any campus location.

### Thank You Parents From the Teachers & Staff

The teachers and staff of St. Mary's thank the many, many families for their donations to the Teachers Appreciation Luncheon and baskets. The donations were so abundant that every teacher and aide received a basket of goodies! Thanks to Maria Cook and the volunteers who assisted her: Liz Wilson, Char Saber, Susie Matson, Cynthia Kramer, Lynn Klem, Cindy Van Valin, Effie Frank, and Amy Schaefer. Having a relaxed atmosphere made the luncheon even more delicious! Sincere thanks to Steve Langenecker, Bob Rowher, Andy Dejewski, Tim Sledge, Marie LeRoy, Matt and Kim Nelson and Joli Krismer. On a moment's notice these parents came in so the teachers and aides were able to forego their lunchroom and recess duties and enjoy a lunch together.

Thank you, Thank you, Thank you!

### Market Day Update

The April 2010 sale netted a profit of \$297.47 from 43 customers. That brings our total profit for this academic year up to **\$2717.33**. It really begins to add up! Thanks for your support. If you would like to volunteer for the Saturday morning pickups, we get going at about 7:00 a.m. and finish up by 8:15 a.m. You don't have to show up every month – just as you have time. The next sale date is **Saturday, May 22**, which means the forms are due **Monday, May 17 at school**. Or, you can order online until Wednesday, May 19 by **11 pm** ([www.marketday.com](http://www.marketday.com); St. Mary's school code is #4369). The on-line ordering is easy and has clearance items, as well. As usual, the pickup location will be the St. Mary's multi-purpose room. If you have any questions about Market Day or need an order form please contact Joe Piatt at 548-9991 or [jpiatt@carrollu.edu](mailto:jpiatt@carrollu.edu). Thanks in advance for your support of this program!

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## Home & School Update, from Susie Matson

- **St. Mary's Home & School Welcomes...**

Effie Frank as the newest co-chair for the 2010-2011 school year. Effie will join Catherine Beres and Cynthia Kramer in leading our Home & School next year. Please continue giving your support to Catherine, Cynthia and Effie. It has been a pleasure serving on Home & School again.

- **Attention Room Captains**

With school ending in just over 4 weeks, it is time again to start completing your Room Captain binders. When they are complete, please turn them into the office (not your teacher!) so they will be available to the Room Captains for next year. I would appreciate it if all the binders could be returned to the office no later than June 2<sup>nd</sup> so they can be organized for next year.

Thank you for all your hard work. If you have any questions, please contact Susie Matson at 513-9493 or [peteandsue@wi.rr.com](mailto:peteandsue@wi.rr.com).

- **Teacher's Day Thanks!**

Thank you to everyone who donated items/money to the Teacher's Day celebration last week Tuesday. Along with their catered lunch from The Olive Garden, the teachers were all surprised with the various baskets they got to choose from. Your thoughtfulness and generosity really helped make their day special. Thank you to Maria Cook, Cindy Van Valin & Lynn Klem for all their hard work in planning and coordinating the Staff Luncheons throughout the school year.



### Looking Ahead

Wednesday, May 12: Non-uniform day  
3<sup>rd</sup> grade field trip to Halquist Stone

Thursday, May 13: Walk-a-thon

Friday, May 14: High Interest Day

Monday, May 17: Mrs. Kuemmel's class (5-1) shadows 6<sup>th</sup> grade at St. Joe's

Wednesday, May 19: 5<sup>th</sup> grade field trip to Camp Whitcomb-Mason

Friday, May 21: 1<sup>st</sup> Eucharist Recognition Mass

### In Today's Packet

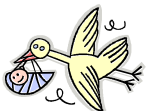
St. Joseph Parish flyer

Fun Day lunch order form

Spread love everywhere you go: First of all in your own house... let no one ever come to you without leaving better and happier. Be the living expression of God's kindness; kindness in your face, kindness in your eyes, kindness in your smile, kindness.

*Mother Teresa of Calcutta*

## Waukesha Catholic St. William Campus



### A New Arrival!

Congratulations to the Leistiko Family for the birth of baby Rick. He was 7 lbs. 2 oz., and 17 ½ inches long. He was welcomed by big brothers - Riley in Grade 2, and Rogan in K4.

### K4/K5 classes for 2010-2011 Parent Night

The parents of children in K4 and K5 for 2010-2011 will have an evening meeting with the teachers on Wednesday, May 19<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. The students will have a morning visit on Friday, May 21<sup>st</sup>. The K5 students for 2010-11 will visit at 8:30, and are dismissed at 9:30 a.m. The K4 students for 2010-11 will visit at 8:45, and are dismissed at 9:45 a.m.

Aftercare for the current K4's will be available at dismissal if needed. Please let the office know if your child will be staying.

**The students of the current K5 class have no school on Friday, May 21<sup>st</sup>.**

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### **First Communion**

The Second Grade students will plan the school mass at 9 a.m. this Friday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, in honor of their First Communion. A photographer will be available after Mass for individual and group pictures of all the First Communicants.

### **Lost and Found**

The lost and found items have been set out on the table at the school entrance. Please stop in to check if any of your children have lost items. We would like to find the owners of all of the abandoned items, but if they are not claimed soon, they will be donated to Goodwill or they will be thrown out.

### **Hot Lunch**

Confirmations for June hot lunch orders have been sent home. Please contact the school office tomorrow by 10 a.m. if changes need to be made.



### **Market Day**

Pick-up will be tomorrow, Wednesday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 p.m. in the gym.

### **Penny Drive**

The Penny Drive collection for the month of May will be donated to the Alzheimer's Association.

### **Girl Scouts**

The Grade 4 Girl Scouts are asking for donations to the Humane Animal Welfare Society of Waukesha County (HAW's). A flyer went home in family packets April 27<sup>th</sup> regarding the specific items they are seeking. This list can be found online, attached to the April 27<sup>th</sup> Campus Connection. Donations are being collected in the office for the scouts to take to HAW's.



### **Grade 5 "Jam Group" Club**

The "Jam Group" of Grade 5 students will meet after school each Tuesday in May.



### **Vision Screening K4 & K5**

Volunteers for vision screening are asked to go to the Parish Hall on **May 14<sup>th</sup> / May 17<sup>th</sup>** as soon as you have dropped off your child/ren. Thank you!

### **End of the Year Picnic**

Thank you to those who have volunteered to help at the end of the year picnic. We still will need to have a couple more volunteers to help serve lunch from 11:45-12:30.

### **Uniform Resale**

Uniform resale will take place the second week in June. If you have uniforms you would like to sell, please drop them off in the school office on Friday, June 4<sup>th</sup>. Each item should have an envelope attached with the size, price, and your family name.



### **Included In This Packet**

Catholic Herald Parenting Magazine  
Boy Scout Banquet Information



### **Looking Ahead**

May 14<sup>th</sup> - 9:00 Mass to celebrate the Grade 2 sacrament of First Communion

May 14<sup>th</sup> - K4 vision screening

May 17<sup>th</sup> - K5 vision screening

May 19<sup>th</sup> - K4/K5 parent orientation for 2010-2011

May 20<sup>th</sup> - Middle School Band Concert

**May 21<sup>st</sup> - K4/K5 new student orientation –for students of the 2010-2011 classes  
(current K5 students do not have school on this day)**