



# Campus Connection

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**Waukesha**  
**Catholic** SCHOOL  
SYSTEM

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## *~ Our Mission Statement ~*

Waukesha Catholic instills faith and inspires futures by nurturing each child's gifts with an education rooted in the Gospel values and a culture of community, compassion, and love.

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## *This Week's Calendar of Events...*

**Thursday, June 1:** Home & School Board Meeting, 6:00 pm at SWC

**Friday, June 2:** SWC - Mass at 9:00 am led by Ms. Pupp's 1-2 class; SMC - Eucharistic Procession and Adoration at 10:15 am; Last day of school uniforms (**Dress code applies until the last day of school on Thursday, June 8!**)

**Monday, June 5:** Last day of school for 8th-grade students only!;

Athletic Board Meeting at 6:30 pm

**Tuesday, June 6:** 8th-Grade Graduation at SJN, 6:45 pm

**Wednesday, June 7:** SMC - 7th-grade stepping up Mass at 8:35 am;  
SMC and SWC Field Day in the morning

**Thursday, June 8:** SWC - Prayer Service at 9:00 am led by Mrs.

McDonnell's K3 class; Last day of school, EARLY DISMISSAL: SMC at 11:20 am/SWC 11:40 am; End of Third Trimester



June 2023 Campus Calendars

- [SWC](#)
- [SMC](#)
  
- Click [here](#) for the 2022-23 school calendar.

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## *Waukesha Catholic News*



### **THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

A huge THANK YOU goes out to everyone who participated in, attended, and donated to last week's Booster Fun Run. The students had a blast running on such a gorgeous day, and we loved seeing friends and family out there cheering them on.

Your generosity helped us raise more than \$27,000 for our school! Woo-Hoo! High-Five! These funds will help provide things like busing for all-school events, assignment notebooks for our older students, supplies and curriculum for our classrooms and most importantly, maintain the quality education Waukesha Catholic continues to provide to our students. Thank you again!

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### **Important Dates for the 2023-24 School Year**

- August 28: First Day of School
- September 1: No School
- September 4: No School - Labor Day
- October 5 and 6: No School - Teacher In-service
- October 19: Early Release - Conferences in the afternoon and evening
- October 20: No school - Conferences
- November 22-24: No School - Thanksgiving Break
- December 1: First Trimester ends
- December 22: Early Release
- December 25-January 2: No School - Christmas Break





- February 3: Waukesha Catholic Dinner and Auction
- February 8: Conferences in the evening
- February 9 and 12: No School - Teacher In-service
- March 1: Second Trimester Ends
- March 4: No School - Teacher In-service
- March 28: Early Release
- March 29-April 5: Easter Break
- May 3: No School - Teacher In-service
- May 27: No School - Memorial Day
- June 7: Early Release - Last Day of School

\*\*\* If any hours or days need to be made up due to inclement weather - we will use May 3rd.

## Busing Request Form – ACT NOW!

The Waukesha School District provides busing to our students who live further than two miles from the campus they will be attending. (To see campus boundaries - [click here.](#)) The school district **REQUIRES** that all students needing busing for the 2023-24 school year complete the form at the link below.



If you do not complete this form, your child(ren) **WILL NOT** receive busing until that paperwork is processed.

If you think you might need busing in the fall, please complete the form. Please complete this form ASAP, but no later than **Thursday, June 15, 2023**. NOTE: Parents will also receive a confirmation so they know that the request was submitted.

If you have any questions, contact Debby Dunk at [Ddunk@waukeshacatholic.org](mailto:Ddunk@waukeshacatholic.org) or 262-896-2929, ext. 5200. If you need assistance completing the online form please call your campus office.

Click the following Transportation Request Form link (for parent use):

<https://bit.ly/privateschoolrequest23-24>

## Band News

Congratulations go out to middle schoolers Cait and Jack O. These two band students auditioned and were selected to participate in the Wisconsin School Music Association's Middle Level Honors Band. Tanner P. also auditioned for the same program, and he was selected as an Alternate.

Cait and Jack will travel to Madison in October to rehearse with a nationally known band director. They rehearse with other talented middle school musicians and then perform a concert with the best middle school musicians in the state of Wisconsin. Congratulations!!!!

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## Home & School News Items

### HOME & SCHOOL NEEDS YOU!

As Home & School plans for next year, we know that the relationships among our amazing staff, parents, and students are vital. Our students and teachers need YOU to be part of the 2023-24 Home & School team.



We have several open roles available for next year:

- **Committee Chairs:** Committee Chairs act as liaisons between Event Coordinators and the Home & School Board. They assist with events that fall under their committee. Committee chairs typically attend most monthly Home & School Meetings.
  - Current Openings:
    - Socials and Events Committee Chair
    - Outreach Committee Chair
    - Fundraising Committee Chair
- **Event Coordinators:** Event coordinators plan and execute single events. Event coordinators are only responsible for the planning of one event and are not required to attend monthly Home & School meetings. They may choose to attend a meeting or two before their event.
  - Current Event Coordinator Openings:  
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E49AEA82CAAFD0-hsevent>

Interested in finding out more about what being part of Home & School is like before you commit? Please join a few current members of Home & School this Sunday, June 4 at 2:00 pm for an Information Session at Pieper Porch Winery!

### Home & School Dine-Out Nights

Mark your calendars for our Home & School sponsored dine-out night at Panda Express listed below:

- Thursday, June 8

The event hours are from 11:00 am-8:30 pm at Panda Express, 601 E. Sunset Drive in Waukesha.



### Before and After Care Position Open

We are looking to hire a Before and After Care position at our St. Mary Campus. You can make it work for your schedule! Afternoon shift 3:10-6:00 pm. Work as much or as little as you want. This is an ideal job for a college student, retired person, or someone just wanting a great part-time position that is fun and rewarding! Please email [care@waukeshacatholic.org](mailto:care@waukeshacatholic.org) for more information, and to set up an interview.

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## *Hot Lunch Nibbles and Notes*

### **Balance Transfer and Refund**

Do you have a student graduating or leaving Waukesha Catholic, but they still have a balance left on their Hot Lunch Account? If so, you can transfer their hot lunch funds to a sibling or have their balance refunded after the completion of school. Please contact Joy Suzik to request the funds transferred or refunded before the end of the year at [jsuzik@waukeshacatholic.org](mailto:jsuzik@waukeshacatholic.org).



### [June 2023 Lunch Menu](#)

Volunteer Opportunities in Hot Lunch: [SMC](#) / [SWC](#)

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## *Athletics*

**Saturday, July 1** – Last day to sign up for volleyball for the 2023 season; First day that Concussion Acknowledgement and Sudden Cardiac Arrest required sports forms can be submitted for 2023-24 school year

**Monday, August 14 and Tuesday, August 15** – Volleyball season begins (splits and practices)

**Wednesday, August 16** – (tentative) Volleyball coaches' meeting (practice schedules set)

**Monday, August 28** – School begins

**Friday, September 8 and Saturday, August 9** – League volleyball games begin

**Friday, September 29** – Last day to sign up for basketball for the 2023-24 season

**Saturday, October 28 and Sunday, October 29** – Last league volleyball games

**October 23-27 and November 4-5** – Seton Volleyball Championships (8th grade)

**Tuesday, November 7 and Wednesday, November 8** – Basketball season begins (splits and practices)

**Thursday, November 9** – (tentative) Basketball coaches' meeting (practice schedules set)

**Saturday, December 2** – (tentative) Basketball league games begin (they will take 1-2 weekends off over Christmas)

**Early March 2024 (date TBD)** – Last day to sign up for track for the 2024 season

**Late March/Early April 2024 (date TBD)** – Track season begins

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## *Final 2022-23 Board of Directors Meeting*

- The final Board of Directors meeting is Wednesday, June 28 at 6:00 pm at St. William Campus
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## *Campus Updates*

**St. William Campus (Click Here)**

**St. Mary Campus (Click Here)**

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### *Scrip News (RaiseRight)*

There will be one more Scrip order this school year on Monday, June 5. There will also be the opportunity to place orders this summer. Many of the Scrip cards that you have ordered throughout the year can be reloaded at any time - check the website or RaiseRight app for details. You can also place an order on the following Mondays throughout the summer:

- June 19
- July 10 and 24
- August 7 and 28 (first day of school!)

This summer you can pick up your orders at the School Administrative Office or Parish Offices / Parking Lots (contact Charlotte to set up a pick up place).

Place your next Scrip order by Monday, June 5 at noon for delivery on Wednesday, June 7.

The Scrip Program is easy to use - order gift cards from over 750 top retailers. You can give the cards as gifts or use them for your regular purchases. Almost every store and restaurant you visit has a gift card offered through the Scrip Program - check out the options at [www.RaiseRight.com](http://www.RaiseRight.com). If you are new to the Scrip Program you will need to create an account and use our Waukesha Catholic code D62CEALE1142 to register.

Do you have questions about the Scrip program? Contact Charlotte, our Scrip Coordinator, at [scrip@waukeshacatholic.org](mailto:scrip@waukeshacatholic.org) or 262-896-2929, ext. 5208 for more information.

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### *Community Messenger*

#### **Waukesha Public Library Summer Information**

Every summer, Waukesha Public Library facilitates a summer reading program and hosts a variety of programs to keep kids and families engaged over the school break. Their hope is that our students will take advantage of the programming they offer this summer.

The library has shared their summer reading flyers in English and Spanish, as well as a short [video](#) (Spanish video) highlighting their programs. Please feel free to check out what the Waukesha Public



Library has to offer!

We look forward to seeing lots of students at the library this summer! Feel free to use the links below for more information:

[Summer Programs/English](#)

[Summer Programs/Spanish](#)

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## St. Mary Parish Rummage Sale

Click [here](#) for a list of dates and times that you may drop off your rummage items. The dates and times of the actual rummage sale is listed here also.



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