



## **Campus Connection**

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**May 11, 2016**

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**May 9-27** - MAP testing continues for grades 1-8

**May 12-15** - 8th grade play: **JAMES AND THE GIANT PEACH, JR.** at SWC Gym 7:30 p.m. (May 15 at 2:00 p.m.)

**May 13** - SJC: Mass at 8:35, SMC: Mass at 8:40 (1st Communion celebration)

**May 16** - Buffalo Wild Wings night on Sunset 5-8:00 p.m. ([download this coupon to take with you](#))

**May 17** - Last day to order 4 P's lunch for June, School board meeting at 7:00 p.m. SMC

**May 18** - Non-Uniform day, 1st grade field trip

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### **KOVALESKI'S 'KEY' NOTES**

Dear Parents:

Waukesha Catholic has several job openings for the next school year, K4, grade 3 and 8th grade teaching positions, as well as Recruitment & Marketing. If you know of anyone interested in these positions please direct them to the Archdiocese website for more information at [www.archmil.org](http://www.archmil.org).

Lisa Kovaleski, Principal

## **WEEKLY NEWS**

### **Hurry, Hurry, Get Your Tickets Today!**

Thursday night is the kick-off for the 8th grade play - *James and the Giant Peach, Jr!* These students along with the director, assistant director, choreographer, light person, stage design, back stage workers, along with numerous parent volunteers have been hard at work for months! Come out this weekend and show your support. All performances are in the St. William Gym, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday at 7:30 p.m. The Sunday show is at 2:00 p.m. Get your ticket order in by Thursday and it will be at 'will call' at the show. An order form is in your packet or [see this link](#).

### **Baby News!**

Mrs. Jane Egan and Mrs. Kathy Egan, both Waukesha Catholic staff members, had grandchildren born on the same day, May 5th! Logan John (Jane) and Nolan John (Kathy) both entered the world happy and healthy! Congratulations to both families!

### **Tuition Contracts**

Watch for tuition contracts for next year. They will be coming out in mid May.

### **Thank You**

Home and School would like to thank all the wonderful volunteers who helped make Teacher Appreciation Week a success. Thank you to the following people: Jodi Brown, Mary Butler, Sara Carson, Brady Chyla, Karen Chyla, Angela Darling, Shawn Dooley, Steve Eberhardt, Chad Evenson, Sue Hespe, Ann Lottes, Christa Multhauf, Amy Schaefer, Jodi Schwaab, Susan Spaulding, Joy Suzik, Therese Thomson, Liz Wilson and any other volunteers who helped to make a great week for our teachers!

### **Year of Mercy- May- Burying The Dead**

The Corporal Work of Mercy, Bury the Dead, calls us to treat the dead "with respect and charity, in faith and hope of the Resurrection". This is what our focus for May will be. As community members we have been called to mourn and pray for the dead, entrust them to God, and comfort their loved ones. Examples of this could be taking a family member to visit grave sites, praying for those that have passed, support or volunteer at a hospice, supply a dish for a funeral luncheon, be faithful about attending wakes, visitations and funerals of family and friends. At our campuses, students will receive a flower in which they can write names of loved ones on or draw/paste pictures of their loved ones that have passed away. These flowers will be hung creating a garden at each campus. During morning announcements we will continue to pray for those whom have been placed in our garden.

#### **We Bury the Dead**

### **Summer Tutoring Session Opportunity**

Alyssa Narloch (St. William's Campus- K4 teacher) will be offering summer tutoring sessions. Tutoring sessions will be offered on Mondays and Wednesdays, on the hour, beginning at 8 a.m. Sessions will last 45 minutes. Tutoring services will be offered in the areas of reading, math or reading and math. The location for tutoring will not be in the school building but in the parish offices of St. Mary's Campus. Miss Narloch can be reached by email at [anarloch@waukeshacatholic.org](mailto:anarloch@waukeshacatholic.org).

### **New Web Address for Standards Score**

As of April 22, 2016, the electronic grade book we use at Waukesha Catholic called Standards Score has been sold. Many of you know this product as WebGrader. Please use the new address listed below to login to your child's account. **Only the web address has changed. Using the old address will not send you automatically to the new site.** Your current username and password will work as before. The rest of the interface remains the same and will look very familiar.

If you can't log in, or if you have other issues, please contact Patty Callaway at [pcallaway@waukeshacatholic.org](mailto:pcallaway@waukeshacatholic.org) or by phone at 262-896-2932 ext 1322. I will be happy to help.

[www.standardsscore.com](http://www.standardsscore.com)

## **Walk-A-Thon**

Thank you to all the families that have sent in their Walk-A-Thon donations!

Donate online at <https://waukesha.ejoinme.org/walkathon> or click below for Walk-A-Thon forms.

- **Ready, Set, Walk!** Waukesha Catholic's Ninth Annual Walk-A-Thon will take place on Friday, May 27th, after the All School Mass. For information on the Walk-A-Thon see the links below. [General Information](#) | [Ideas Needed](#) | [Loose Change Competition](#)
- **Family Created Wish Lists** Thank you to all who submitted ideas. A majority of families requested playground and/or recess type equipment. Some specific suggestions were large balls and building blocks at SWC, soccer nets and a top lot basketball hoop at SMC, and a stationary bike at SJC. Another common idea was a field trip fund to help offset some of the costs of field trips.
- **Principal's Prize** We are excited to announce that if we reach our goal of \$7000 the principals will participate in an inflatable bumper ball race! Ms. Kovalski, Mr. Heinecke and Mrs. Suarez will race each other while wearing inflatable ball costumes.
- **Volunteers** We need your help to make the Walk-A-Thon event a success. Please visit the sign up genius link at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E49AEA82CAAFD0-walkathon2> and volunteer on May 27th!
- We have completed week 2 of the loose change competition at SMC & SWC. We currently have Ms. Starker's class in the lead at SMC with \$44.22 donated and Ms. Pupp a close second at \$39.42. At SWC, we have Mrs. Matyas' class in the lead with \$38.12 donated and Ms. Narloch's class is a close second with \$34.84 donated. Week three has begun and we are looking for donations of dimes this week. Please send in any loose change, specifically dimes for week 3, and help your class compete for a pizza lunch and extra recess time. Good luck to all the classes!!!

## **Teacher Requests for 2016-17**

As we look towards the end of another great year, we as staff begin to think about student placement for the 2016-17 school year. I, in consultation with the present classroom teacher(s) and associate principals, work very diligently to determine student placement for the fall. As we do this, we carefully consider the following: the academic, personal, social-emotional and any other related learning needs of the individual student, along with the teaching style and personality of the teachers in the next grade. The teachers at Waukesha Catholic are dedicated individuals who have the best interest of each and every child in mind. Their judgment is important in student placement and they take this task very seriously.

Due to our knowledge and understanding of the students, classroom teachers, classroom dynamics and curriculum expectations, placement requests will only be considered for extenuating circumstances and if the rationale is justified. If you feel you have adequate reason to make a request, it must be made utilizing the Teacher Request Form, available by calling Teresa Landry at 262- 896-2929, ext. 1330 or emailing [tlandry@waukeshacatholic.org](mailto:tlandry@waukeshacatholic.org). These requests are due no later than May 16th, 2016. All placement decisions are final.

Thank you for your understanding, cooperation, and trust in this process!

## **ATHLETICS**

### **Important Dates to Remember**

- Please note that on Tuesday, May 24th we will be having sports sign-up for the 2016/17 school year. The sports sign-up is for current 4th-7th graders who are interested in signing up for any or all of the sporting activities for the 2016-17 school year. Sign-up will be from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. in **St. Mary's Community Room**.
- Also, starting at 6:00 p.m. in **St. Mary's Gym** (on May 24th) there will be a short meeting to introduce new families to Athletics at Waukesha Catholic. Please see the Waukesha Catholic Athletic website (<http://www.waukeshacatholic.org/athletics>) for all the forms that are needed for the upcoming school year.
- The 8th grade banquet will be held on Monday, May 23rd at St. Mary's Community Center.

### **Track**

The track season is wrapping up!! Which means it is time for the end of the year party. This will be held on Tuesday, May 31st from 5:30 to 7:30 at St. Mary's.

### **Looking for Athletic Board Members**

The Waukesha Catholic Athletic Association is looking for members to serve on the Athletic Board for a two year term beginning this July. The Athletic Board has eleven elected members, five of which are open for the upcoming year. Athletic Board members must be parents or guardians of a Waukesha Catholic student.

Athletic Board members attend monthly meetings, assist in the operation of the athletic program, and supervise competitions hosted by Waukesha Catholic, among other duties. Candidates must submit a letter or email of interest to Mark Hickok, Athletic Board President, at [mark.hickok@milwaukeeetool.com](mailto:mark.hickok@milwaukeeetool.com) by May 6, 2016 to be considered. If there are more candidates than available positions, an election will be held at the Spring Sports Sign-Up Meeting.

If you have any other questions or concerns, please contact Jeremy Greasby at [athleticdirector@waukeshacatholic.org](mailto:athleticdirector@waukeshacatholic.org).  
GO KNIGHTS!!!!!! BE LOUD! BE PROUD!! BE RESPECTFUL!!!

## **PARISH & COMMUNITY NEWS**

Go to this link for [2016 Summer Camp/Training Opportunities](#).

- CMH Jr. Crusader basketball [Go to this link to see the flyer](#).
- CMH 2016 Summer Camps go to: [www.catholicmemorial.net](http://www.catholicmemorial.net).

### **Vacation Bible School - Cave Quest: Following Jesus, The Light of the World**

The Catholic Community of Waukesha presents the brightest week of summer! [Read more at this link](#). You can [register here](#) with the paper copy. On-line registration (via Google form) is also available for families who prefer that option: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1uiq52T-bpNpNqktnoBt5ia6nrANXEiYkrFHlycPTphg/edit>.

## St. Joseph Campus

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### Included in This Week's Packet

Graduation Packet Grade 8 Only

Spring Concert Letter/Permission Slip *Band/Choir Only*- [see this link](#)

Buffalo Wild Wings Coupon – [see this link](#)

Board Members needed for Athletics – [see this link](#)

Camp Reminder 6<sup>th</sup> grade – [see this link](#)

### Attention 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Parents

The 8<sup>th</sup> grade graduation committee and teachers are in the process of finalizing plans for Graduation 2016. The Mass, reception, and dance will be held at St. Mary's on the evening of Thursday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>. As in past years, the 7<sup>th</sup> grade parents volunteer their time so that the graduates and their families are able to enjoy the evening. The help of every 7<sup>th</sup> grade family is essential in order for the graduation festivities to run smoothly.



We ask you to volunteer your time and/or make a donation to the reception. All donations should be dropped off at St. Joes' school office by Friday, May 27<sup>th</sup>. We truly appreciate your time and please know you will benefit next year when others do the same. Thank you for your support!

Use this link to access Sign up Genius:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080c4cada72ca13-8thgrade>

### Reminders

- Walk-A-Thon and Band /Chorus permission slips are due Friday, May 20<sup>th</sup>!

- **BUS**

Dear Parents of Children at St. William, St. Mary & St. Joseph Campuses:

This is your opportunity to request busing for the next school year. Below is the link for the transportation request for the 2016-17 school year. If you are unsure at this point, but you MAY need it, please continue to complete this form. Even if you are unsure if you qualify, please continue to complete the form below. To qualify for busing you must live more than two miles from the campus you attend and within the boundaries. The bus boundaries may be found at this link: <http://waukeshacatholic.org/busing>.

The school cannot do this for you. It is up to you to request busing for your child/children.

<http://tinyurl.com/privateschooltrans16-17>

Parents will also receive a confirmation so they know that the request was submitted.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

# St. Mary Campus

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## Fun Day at St. Mary Campus

On June 8<sup>th</sup>, as part of our end of the year activities, students in grades K5-5<sup>th</sup> grade will participate in “Fun Day” which will be held at the St. Mary Campus. Students in grades K5-5<sup>th</sup> grade will be placed in multi-grade level groups and rotate/travel to a number of planned games/activities from 9:00 a.m. until 11:15 a.m. Students from the St. Joseph Campus (6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> grade) will run the games for our students. At 11:30 a.m. all students will eat lunch together and then return to their designated campuses in the afternoon.

We are in need of parent volunteers to supervise the student groups and “travel” with them from game to game with their assigned multi-grade level groups. We have created two “shifts” for which we are in need of volunteers. Please consider volunteering your time for one or both shifts. This is a truly FUN DAY for all those involved. If you are available to help please complete the included form and return it to school no later than Wednesday, May 18<sup>th</sup>!

## Fun Day Lunch

Please remember that all Subway orders and money for Fun Day are due no later than **Friday, May 20<sup>th</sup>**. We need to get totals to Subway as soon as possible so do not delay in returning your order forms to school. Thank you!

## Looking Ahead

May 12 <sup>th</sup> - 15 <sup>th</sup> :	8 <sup>th</sup> grade play, <i>James and the Giant Peach Jr.</i> , St. William Gym
Friday, May 13 <sup>th</sup> :	First Communion Mass, 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade, 8:40am
Monday, May 16 <sup>th</sup> :	Buffalo Wild Wings Night on Sunset, 5:00-8:00pm (coupon required)
Tuesday, May 17 <sup>th</sup> :	Last day to order hot lunch from 4 P's for June
Wednesday, May 18 <sup>th</sup> :	Non-uniform day 1 <sup>st</sup> grade field trip to First Stage

## Included in Today's Packet

Fun Day volunteer form  
Buffalo Wild Wings coupon  
Athletics flyer

## **St. William Campus**

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Permission slips for the Waukesha Catholic Walk-A-Thon are due by Friday, May 13<sup>th</sup>. If you have not turned in your slip, please send this in by Friday. Thank you.

### **Looking Ahead**

May 13 – Prayer Service

May 26<sup>th</sup> – K5A BUGZ Play 1:30 in the Parish Hall

May 27<sup>th</sup> – All School Mass & Walk-A-Thon