

## BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT SPIRIT WEAR SALE!!!

Our new logo for 2019-2020 Spirit Wear will be available for purchase on **Wednesday, September 11th** and **Wednesday, September 18th**

Don't forget to stop by the Spirit Wear tables when you attend your child's Back to School Night!!

If we sell out of an item or a particular size, we do take orders for items through **September 24<sup>th</sup>!!**

That order should be filled and delivered on or about the **third week of October**

\*OLD LOGO Spirit Wear will be on sale for \$5.00\*

Cash and Checks accepted.

Welcome Back to School!!

# Back to School Night

September 10, 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Back to School Night for Grades 5-8 will be held on Wednesday, September 18, 2019 beginning at 7:00 p.m. in Assumption Hall. **This night is for parents only.**

Your attendance at Back to School Night is strongly encouraged. It is here that you will receive information about the upcoming school year and is also a great opportunity to meet your child's new teacher as well as to review classroom policies and expectations.

We kindly ask for 5<sup>th</sup> grade parents to provide **bite size** desserts that night. You can send the dessert in with your child on Wednesday morning or you can bring the dessert with you that evening.

Note: The PTA will be collecting PTA Dues in the amount of **\$15.00** per family at "Back to School Night".

Thank you,

The St. Mary School PTA



# *Crusader Day Cornhole Tournament*



**Date:** Saturday, September 28<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 10:00 am – 11:30 am (Grades K-4), 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm (Grades 5-8)

**Place:** Assumption Hall

**Cost:** \$15.00 per student includes a t-shirt

**Two SMS students per team in three age groups: Grades K-2, Grades 3-5 & Grades 6-8  
Food will be available to purchase**

## *Crusader Day Cornhole Tournament –*

*Must be turned in by Friday, Sept. 13<sup>th</sup> for t-shirt orders  
(Please be sure to put “Y” or “A” for Youth or Adult sizes)*

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_ A B

**T-Shirt Size:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Partner Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Grade** \_\_\_\_\_ A B

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**Total Amount Enclosed \$** \_\_\_\_\_



***St. Mary School  
Crusader Night Out  
Beef-n-Beer***

***“80’s Theme”***

All adults 21 and over come out for an 80’s themed night of music and dancing to benefit St. Mary School Athletics.

**Date:** Saturday, September 28th

**Time:** 7:00 pm – 11:00 pm

**Where:** Assumption Hall

**Cost:** \$20 per person, \$30 per couple

**Raffle baskets, 50/50, dinner, beer and dancing  
BYOB (for anything other than beer)**

**Send money in to the St. Mary School Main office to purchase tickets.**

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***“Crusader Night Out” Beef-n-Beer***

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Grade** \_\_\_\_\_ **A B**

***Number of Tickets:***

***Qty. \_\_\_\_\_ Single Tickets @ \$20.00/each***

***Qty. \_\_\_\_\_ Sets of Tickets @\$30.00/couple***

***Total Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_***

# St. Mary School Crusader Day/Night

Dear Parents/Guardians:

We are kindly asking our parents/guardians for monetary donations for the raffle baskets for the annual St. Mary School Crusader Day/Night. The room parents for each grade will purchase the items for their grade's theme.

Please send donations **CASH ONLY** in an envelope with your child's classroom and mark **"ROOM PARENT"**. **All donations need to be received by the Room parents no later than Friday, September 20th.**

The Room parents will contact you soon to let you know the theme for your grade. If you prefer, you may donate an item or gift card for the basket.

Thank you in advance for helping to make St. Mary School Crusader Day/Night a success!

Sincerely,  
St. Mary School Athletic Department

# LUNCH PARENTS NEEDED

St. Mary's lunch program needs your help to supervise the children during lunch. If you are able to assist between 11:15 a.m. and 1:15 p.m., please fill out the form below and send it to school as soon as possible.

To be a volunteer, you will need to go through a criminal history check as per diocesan policy. We will contact you about the proper procedure. St. Mary's will cover the cost of the criminal history check.

If you have any questions about the lunch program, please feel free to send in a note to our attention.

Thank you!

Lynn Bock  
Lunch Coordinator

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## LUNCHTIME VOLUNTEER

Volunteer Name \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name and Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

I can help on the following days: (Circle all that apply)

Monday    Tuesday    Wednesday    Thursday    Friday

Please check if you are:    \_\_\_\_\_ CAP/Virtus Trained    \_\_\_\_\_ Fingerprinted

# N.U.T. CARDS

## NO UNIFORM TODAY

Purchase a N.U.T. Card in the amount of \$10.00 per card and give your child *three* opportunities to come to school dressed in casual clothes from **Friday, November 1, 2019 through Tuesday, March 31, 2020 only.**

All N.U.T. Cards are limited to **ONE** per child and can be purchased from **Wednesday, September 11<sup>th</sup> through Wednesday, October 2nd.** Please send your order in an envelope marked “N.U.T. Card” to your homeroom teacher. All orders must be sent in by **Wednesday, October 2nd** and will not be able to be purchased through the office. Thank you for your support. SMS PTA

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### NUT CARDS

Child: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Child: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Child: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Child: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_



## Race for Education News

Dear Parents/Guardians,

As St. Mary School prepares for our seventh “*Race for Education*,” we are excited about the financial potential this fundraiser has for our school!! Last year we raised close to \$40,000.

We will be sending “sponsor mailers” to prospective donors throughout the United States. We are hoping that school families will help with the mailing costs, either by contributing one book of stamps (twenty 55 cent stamps) or by giving a monetary donation to help with the mailing costs.

As our way of saying “*thank you*” to St. Mary School families who donate toward our mailing costs, your name will be placed into a drawing for a **\$25 WaWa gift card**.

If you are able to help our school, please check one of the spaces below. Please have your child return the bottom of this form and give the book of stamps or donation to his/her teacher by Monday, September 23.

Thank you so much for your support!

Gratefully,

Patricia Mancuso, Principal & Jackie Kern, *Race* Coordinator

**(Stamps and monetary donations are tax deductible.)**

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**(✂ Please detach and return by Monday, September 23)**

\_\_\_\_\_ I am enclosing one book (20/ 55 cent stamps) to help cover mailing costs.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am enclosing a donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to help cover mailing costs.

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Name \_\_\_\_\_



# SMS Performing Arts Club

St. Mary School will be offering the students of Grades 4 to 8 the opportunity of participating in the SMS PERFORMING ARTS CLUB. The club will meet every Monday and Thursday from 2:45 to 4:30 pm under the direction of Miss Erin Whittaker. We ask parents to be prompt in providing transportation at 4:30 pm.

Miss Whittaker is in her 11th year of directing shows for St Mary School and looks forward very much to this year's productions.

The students will be introduced to the many facets involved in dramatic productions. These will include diction, stage presence, dramatic readings, vocal developments and choreography. The cost will be \$60.00 per member, which will cover the expense of staff and materials.

On Wednesday, December 11<sup>th</sup>, we look forward to featuring our 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders in our Christmas musical with 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders in the chorus. Our spring performance on March 20<sup>th</sup> and March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020 will star our 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade talents and feature our 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders in the chorus.

If interested, please fill out the form below and return it to school by **tomorrow**. Please return it even if you only plan on participating in the spring musical!!!!

The first meeting of the club will be **Monday, September 16<sup>th</sup> from 2:45 pm – 4:30 pm.** Auditions for 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students for the Christmas Show will be held on **Thursday, September 19<sup>th</sup> until 4:30 pm.**

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## **Performing Arts Club Registration Form**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade/HR \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

**Please check one:**    \_\_\_\_\_ **Performing Arts**    \_\_\_\_\_ **Stage Crew**



## “Jenny’s Garden”

Our school garden was made possible by contributions from families in memory of Jennifer Lowry. Jennifer’s service and dedication to her children and our school will be remembered by all who tend this garden and sit on the memorial bench at this site.

If you’d like to donate to this project or serve on the garden committee, we welcome the help and contributions.

The mission of Jenny’s Garden is to nurture an appreciation of God’s creation as stewards of the land, enhance classroom lessons in science and health by growing a sustainable organic vegetable garden and in time, contribute to our community by sharing fresh vegetables to those in need through our parish food pantry, which helps more than 80 families weekly.

# SMS Garden Club

Meetings will begin on Tuesday, September 17th with Grades 1-8 from 2:45–4:00 pm every other Tuesday.

### NEED CHANGE OF CLOTHES, SIGNED PERMISSION SLIP

This fall, we’ll meet through our pumpkin harvest in November. We will pick back up again in early spring with a hiatus from December through February. We are asking participating students to contribute \$10 to support our programming and to purchase supplies. Other planned fundraisers will hopefully defray this fee in the future.



Yes, my student has permission to attend the SMS Garden Club:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact #: \_\_\_\_\_

\$10 fee for participation enclosed: CASH \_\_\_\_\_ CHECK \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNED: \_\_\_\_\_



**CHESS CLUB**  
**2019 - 2020**

Dear Parents/Guardians,

We will be offering a Chess Club again this year for students in grades K through 8<sup>th</sup> here at St Mary School. Chess is a wonderful game to help build critical thinking and organizational skills. We will add checkers for our younger students. The students will meet on the **First and Third Thursday** of most months. **Please see dates for Chess Club below.** We would like to invite parent volunteers to help, especially when we get started.

Your student does not have to know how to play the games to join us. Learning how to play is part of the fun. The club will meet from 2:45-4:00 in the Science Lab. You may pack a light snack that they can have from 2:45 until we start to play at 3:00. The students will clean up the tables before we start so they will need **a napkin or paper towel to place under their snack.** You will also need to provide transportation home. You must pick up your child on time and at the 8<sup>th</sup> grade doors by the science lab at 4:00 pm.

Our first meeting will be Thursday, October 3rd.

Please fill out and return the form below if your child is interested in joining our Chess Club.

Sincerely,

Mr. Brian Wolf  
7<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher

Mrs. Debbie Van Pelt  
5th Grade Teacher

Ms. Kirstin Forte  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher

**Chess Club Dates:**    **Oct. 3, 17**    **Nov. 7**    **Dec. 5**    **Jan 2, 16**    **Feb 6, 20**  
                                  **March 5, 19**    **April 2**    **May 7 (last day and parent day)**

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**CHESS CLUB**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Rm \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_

My child would like to join the Chess Club. I agree to provide transportation home and be there by 4:00 pm to pick up my child.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Parent

I will be able to help on the 1st Thursday \_\_\_\_\_  
on the 3rd Thursday \_\_\_\_\_

# Music Ministry

Rehearsals for our school choir, which will sing at our school masses, will begin soon. Rehearsals will take place on the first Tuesday of each month. **Rehearsals will be held during the school day not after school.**

Music Ministry is open to all students in 3<sup>rd</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade.

Please fill in the form below and return it by Monday, September 16<sup>th</sup>.

Sincerely:

Mrs. Kaston

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Student Name and Grade

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I give my child permission to sing and attend rehearsals for Music Ministry.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Number \_\_\_\_\_

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# YOUTH

## Spirit Wear Order Form

PULLOVER HOODED SWEATSHIRT	NAVY	M__ L__ XL__	\$25
PULLOVER HOODED SWEATSHIRT	GRAY	M__ L__ XL__	\$25
LONG SLEEVE T-SHIRT	NAVY	S__ M__ L__ XL__	\$15
LONG SLEEVE T-SHIRT	GRAY	S__ M__ L__ XL__	\$15
SHORT SLEEVE T-SHIRT	NAVY	S__ M__ L__ XL__	\$8
SHORT SLEEVE T-SHIRT	GRAY	S__ M__ L__ XL__	\$8
NAVY SWEAT PANT WITH LOGO		S__ M__ L__ XL__	\$25
FLANNEL LOUNGE PANTS		S__ M__ L__	\$25

CHILD'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ HOMEROOM: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ AMOUNT ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_

REMEMBER SPIRIT WEAR SHORT AND LONG SLEEVE T-SHIRTS CAN BE WORN FOR GYM CLASS ALONG WITH OUR SPIRIT WEAR SWEAT PANTS!! NO FLANNEL LOUNGE PANTS!!

PLEASE WRITE THE NUMBER OF ITEMS YOU ARE ORDERING NEXT TO THE SIZES

**\*\*ORDERS CAN NOT BE EXCHANGED OR RETURNED\*\***

WRITE CHECKS OUT TO "SMS SPIRIT WEAR" SEND CHECK OR CASH INTO SCHOOL, IN AN ENVELOPE MARKED "ASHLEY FAZZIO SPIRIT WEAR"

PLEASE DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS TO: [spiritwear@smarys.org](mailto:spiritwear@smarys.org)

# ADULT

## Spirit Wear Order Form

PULLOVER HOODED SWEATSHIRT NAVY S\_\_\_ M\_\_\_ L\_\_\_ XL\_\_\_ \$25

PULLOVER HOODED SWEATSHIRT GRAY S\_\_\_ M\_\_\_ L\_\_\_ XL\_\_\_ \$25

LONG SLEEVE T-SHIRT NAVY S\_\_\_ M\_\_\_ L\_\_\_ XL\_\_\_ \$15

LONG SLEEVE T-SHIRT GRAY S\_\_\_ M\_\_\_ L\_\_\_ XL\_\_\_ \$15

SHORT SLEEVE T-SHIRT NAVY S\_\_\_ M\_\_\_ L\_\_\_ XL\_\_\_ \$8

SHORT SLEEVE T-SHIRT GRAY S\_\_\_ M\_\_\_ L\_\_\_ XL\_\_\_ \$8

NAVY SWEAT PANT WITH LOGO S\_\_\_ M\_\_\_ L\_\_\_ XL\_\_\_ \$25

FLANNEL LOUNGE PANTS S\_\_\_ M\_\_\_ L\_\_\_ XL\_\_\_ \$25

CHILD'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ HOMEROOM: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ AMOUNT ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_

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# CHILDREN'S CHOIR

## OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH

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(PLEASE PRINT)

NAME OF CHILD: \_\_\_\_\_

AGE: \_\_\_\_\_ (students must be able to read)

CONTACT INFORMATION:

PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN NAME:

\_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

Rehearsals will be every Wednesday (unless notified) beginning promptly at 4pm and ending promptly at 5pm in the Church. For Child's safety, we ask that Children be brought into Church and picked up in Church. Please contact Ronnie Adams at 856-629-5923 if your student(s) are interested. The children sing on the 3rd Sunday of the month at the 12pm Mass and at the 4:00 pm mass on Christmas Eve.

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Parent Signature Date

# JUNIOR YOUTH GROUP JESUS' FISH 6TH-8TH GRADE



## SEPTEMBER

Sunday, September 15th:

**Youth Group KICK OFF!!!**

Come start the Youth Group school year at our "Ninja Warrior in Faith" theme Kick Off! There will be a bounce obstacle course, popcorn machine, cotton candy, giant Jenga, face painting, games, food and Faith-filled FUN!

All from 2:45-4:15pm in Assumption Hall.



Also on Sunday, Sept. 15th:

**Service Opportunity:** Help is needed for Ministry Weekend after all Masses at the Youth Group table. Please let Kari know if you can help!

## OCTOBER

Sunday, October 13th:

**Youth Group/Faith Trivia Night!** Join us for a fun night of trivia all based around our Catholic Faith and our Youth Group. Prizes for winning team, and also some "fun" for the losing team! 7-9pm in Assumption Hall.

### ***Guys and Girls Spiritual Guidance Groups Every Thursday in the Youth Office***

Join us every Thursday, Starting on 9/19, from 2:45-4:15pm for Guys & Girls faith sharing groups led by Fr. Mazz, Youth Ministers Kari & Dan, and our CORE Team Youth Group Leaders. Free Pizza will be served from 2:45-3:15pm followed by the sharing from 3:15-4:15pm. SMS Students please send in a cars & walkers note to come over. Other students can come late during the pizza time (we will save you some)!

Enter through St. Joseph's room back entrance of the Parish Office.  
FREE Pizza is served. (NO Spiritual Guidance on 9/5 and 9/12)

**EVERY youth needs a "General Permission Form" on file for June 2019-June 2020  
It can be found on [www.YouthGroupInfo.com](http://www.YouthGroupInfo.com) under "Download Forms"**



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