



Now that we are in May, the rest of the school year feels like a runaway train. Walk Day, Fine Arts Fair, Field Day, Graduation, awards, report cards, and the last day of school will all be completed three weeks from today!

Today we gathered the students to talk about a new raffle for the Festival this year. Your student is really fired up about dunking John Dickhaus or one of our teachers on Field Day! See the [Festival Raffle FLYER](#) for details

I also spoke to 5<sup>th</sup> graders briefly about a trip to **Camp Joy** on August 21<sup>st</sup>. This is the Monday before school starts and it is also the day our new 6<sup>th</sup> graders will receive their tablets! This has become a tradition for our students, and it is a terrific experience. Please check for the forms in today's book bag. Forms and payment are due by the last day of school. Can't find them? Back-up copies for [Camp Joy HERE](#).

- Forms for **yearbook orders** went home earlier this week. They are **due May 12**.
- **Iowa Test results** were sent home with students, today.
- **The Calendar** for next year is [POSTED](#).

I received one nomination from Mrs. Julie Schultz for Member At Large for the PTO elections. The deadline for nominations was May 1. Since the board will be able to welcome Mrs. Schultz, unopposed, we will not create an unnecessary ballot. There is still an opening for the position of Vice President. The PTO Board will seek an appointee for that position, and all other members of the board will continue to serve next year. Questions? See a board member at **next week's PTO MEETING** or email Kelly at [kellybrokamp@gmail.com](mailto:kellybrokamp@gmail.com).

**Next PTO Meeting: Thursday, May 11, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. at Don Rigo**

Walkathon	Field Day	Awards
Our annual Walk-a-thon is scheduled for tomorrow, Friday, May 5 <sup>th</sup> . Students need a packed lunch and drink. Dress for the weather!	Preparations are underway and will be communicated shortly.	End-of-year awards will be given after 8:15 Mass on May 24 to students in grades K-8. Special awards for graduation will be awarded in the evening during that ceremony.

**Looking ahead...**

- **Friday, May 5 – WALK DAY!** Students are out of uniform, wearing their class spirit shirts. (Students often “sign” one another shirts. If you prefer to keep the class shirt pristine, a plain shirt may be worn.) Please dress for the weather – cool, cloudy, with intermittent showers. Students must **PACK A LUNCH and DRINK. The cafeteria is closed tomorrow.**
- **Wednesday, May 10 – All school Mass – 8:15 a.m.** Please join us!
- **Friday, May 12 – Spirit Day!** Cheer on the Cincinnati Reds, the St. B Sabers or your homeroom (spirit t-shirts), wearing uniform bottoms. Also: **YEARBOOK ORDER FORMS ARE DUE** and so are [Girls Volleyball Registrations](#).
- **Monday, May 15 – FINE ARTS FAIR!** The Art Show begins at 6:00 p.m. in Stievenard Hall and the Concert begins at 7:10 in the gym. See you there! (Mrs. Lana's instructions for what to wear will be emailed 5/5/17.)

**I will be sending out information about our enrollment numbers for next year in a separate email in the next day or so. Please keep an eye out for this information.**

Blessings!

NEW Schoolbelles sale begins TODAY and ends May 13! Discounts on **PLAID!** See the [MAY FLYER](#).

\* Did you know Schoolbelles now carries our logo for white polos? \*

**Summer Program Info...Classes begin in JUNE**

**Great sessions – different interests!!** [Young Rembrandts Summer Workshops at Summerside, Merwin](#)  
And [Young Rembrandts Summer Workshops at Williamsburg Elementary](#).