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Dear Parents and Guardians,

PTO has launched another fun-filled event: St. Bernadette School Night at the Beechmont Rollarena! It's this coming Tuesday night from 6:30 - 8:30. See the details below.

TESTING

We are more than halfway finished with Iowa Testing! We have two more testing sessions next week: Monday 3/20 and Tuesday 3/21. Please make every effort to have your child here on time with a breakfast in their tummy. Students may drink water and have peppermints during the tests. Please note: only peppermint is permitted because the aroma helps stimulate the brain. Other flavors of mints or

candies are not permitted.

SIGN UP FOR THE FLYING PIG!

See the information below about the 26th mile Flying Pig event for children. We'll walk/run that last mile as a school! Running Club is getting underway to help children work on miles one through twenty five. Check out the article below!

RAFFLE TICKETS for the festival's grand prize are now available for purchase. Don't miss this opportunity to win \$10,000! Only 2000 tickets will be sold, so get yours now!

Reminders:

Sixth and seventh grade families are asked to provide desserts for tomorrow night's Fish Fry. Scroll down to see the poster for details.

Check out the links for Totus Tuus Registration, **and** for volunteering to assist. We also have links to get volunteer information about the festival, and the Grand Raffle. See the "Church News" info box below.

Have a blessed evening, Mrs. I

Buy Raffle Tickets Here!



Friday, March 17 - St. Patrick's Day

Friday, March 17 - Lenten Fish Fry (5-7:30pm)

Sunday, March 19 - 4th Sunday of Lent

Friday, March 24 - Last Fish Fry (5-7:30pm)

Sunday, March 26 - 5th Sunday of Lent

Sunday, April 2 - Palm Sunday

Friday, April 7 - Good Friday (No School)

Sunday, April 9 - Easter

April 7-16 - Spring Break



Athletic Booster Meeting: Monday March 20th, 2023 at 7:00pm in the gym.

We will hold nominations for elected officers, as well as many more topics to discuss! Elections will take place in April.

2023 Kids' Marathon & Cincinnati Children's 26th Mile Event

- The Kids' Marathon program is designed (but not limited to) children ages 6-12 years old, along with their fitness buddies.
- IT IS NOT A RACE! Using the Hog Log, you can begin now



- and walk, jog, or wheelchair the distance of a marathon (26.2 miles) in small increments, at your own pace.
- You will also have the exciting opportunity to be a part of the real Flying Pig Marathon by finishing your 26th mile on Saturday, May 6, 2023 @11:00am during the Cincinnati Children's 26th Mile event in downtown Cincinnati on our actual course and cross the "Finish Swine".
- Registration includes a shirt, finisher medal and goodie bag at the Finish Swine. (\$15 through April 20, 2023, \$20 after April 21, 2023).
- For students running the 5K (\$25 with promo code 25FPM5KYOUTH through April 20th) on Saturday, May 6, 2023 @9:00am. (The discount is taken off the final screen before you submit and pay)

To register, copy and paste this link to your browser to be part of the St. Bernadette Team: https://raceroster.com/registration/157ba883-bccb-4d47-891e-aa9d3b1d496c/entry?team=468063

For additional information, see the attached Flying Pig flyer or contact Jenn Pikal or Sarah Kramer at stbrunningclub@gmail.com .



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Online Registration Instructions for the 2023 Flying Pig Youth Events:

· To register, copy and paste this link to your browser to be part of the St. Bernadette Team:

https://raceroster.com/registration/157ba883-bccb-4d47-891e-aa9d3b1d496c/entry?team=468063

This takes you to Race Roster, who handles registration for all Pig Works events. If you do not have a Race Roster account, you will need to create one.

• Select In-Person and then make sure your respective event is selected (Kids' Marathon 26th Mile or 5K (Note: You can register multiple registrants for different events in one transaction).

For The Cincinnati Children's 26th Mile:

- Once the Kids' Marathon 26th Mile, presented by Cincinnati Children's event is selected, scroll down to complete the online registration form
- IMPORTANT: Under the team section, select "Yes, add this registrant to a school or youth group team" and then select St. Bernadette from the drop- down menu
- . Be sure to select shirt size (youth and adult sizes available)

For the Fly Up to 5K (Flying Pig 5K Event):

- Select Flying Pig 5K, and complete the form
- IMPORTANT: Under the team section, select "Yes, add this registrant to a school or youth group team" and then select St. Bernadette from the drop-down menu
- Enter promo code 25FPM5KYOUTH (children only) before confirming registration

(The discount is taken off the final screen before you submit and pay).

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L STAR SPORTSWEAR

NEW VENDOR FOR POLOS,

SWEATSHIRTS AND FLEECE!

St. Bernadette School is expanding our partnership with All Star Sportwear to include

uniform polos, sweatshirts, and fleece. <u>Click here</u> to see what is on our page so far. All Star Sportswear has been our vendor for class shirts, house shirts, and athletic gear and will be giving us the same great service for uniform items, too. All Star Sportswear is located at 787 Ohio Pike, right across from Thomas More School. Orders can be placed online and picked up at the store. Questions? Call Brian at 753-1400.



2023 ST. BERNADETTE BOOSTERS FISH FRY

WE ARE IN NEED OF DESSERTS TO SELL FOR EACH NIGHT OF THE FISH FRY.

We are asking for support from our St. B family to provide desserts again for the evenings of the Fish Fry. Grade levels have been assigned for specific nights. Please leave desserts with Mrs. Ell in the office or in the cafeteria at 4:30 that evening.

Thank you for al your continued support! All proceeds for the baked goods go to the 8th grade trip!

> Kinder & 1st: February 24, 2023 2nd & 3rd: March 3, 2023 4th & 5th: March 10, 2023 6th & 7th: March 17, 2023 Everyone: March 24, 2023



ST. BERNADETTE FISH FRY

5:00 PM - 7:30 PM

February 24, 2023 March 3, 2023 March 10, 2023 March 17, 2023 March 24, 2023

Dine-In or Drive-Thru

SVTM Football & Cheer OPEN HOUSE!



Stop in anytime on

Monday, May 1 from 5:30pm- 7:30pm

at the St. Veronica Parish Ministry Center

Meet the Coaches and learn more about the programs.

Grades K-8 register at:

https://mysports.io/stm-svtm

Cheerleaders will be sized for uniforms and get information about cheer camp this summer.

Questions about the event:

Football: gosvtm@gmail.com

Cheer: meredith_strickland1@yahoo.com



Plans are under way for this year's festival. The dates are Friday Aug 18th and Saturda mark your calendar and come join in the fun. To help make it as successful as we can, your help with donations for Bid N Buy and the Basket Raffle.

The list below gives each grade a few suggested items which you should be familiar with since your children were that age the year earlier. Feel free to be creative! Additionally we are planning a kitche and a laundry baset. You may pick or hoose from the suggestions below. If you have other items to donate, or if you would like to create your own basket, that would be greatly appreciated.

Boxes will be in your teacher's room and we will collect items between March 13th and March 24th.

infant to 4 years rattles teethers books bibs etc. Kindergarten preschool items flash cards, books, toys 1st Grade Kindergarten crayons, coloring books 2nd Grade toy trucks 1st grade 2nd grade books, games, puzzles 3rd grade 4th grade 6th grade 5th grade crafts, jewelry, 6th grade 7th grade 8th grade 7th grade

Kitchen: towels, dish rags, dishwasher soap, sponges, sos, etc. Laundry: spray and wash, tide, bounce

Thanks for participating!

2023 Booth Chairpersons



ST. BERNADETTE SCHOOL NIGHT

TUESDAY MARCH 21ST 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM \$4.00 ADMISSION

\$3.00 for regular skate rental \$5.00 for speed skate rental \$5.00 for skate mate rental

Beechmont Rollarena www.beechmontrollarena.com 513-753-6868





All Volunteers and Staff must register with SafeParish™

Instructions for setting up your SafeParish™ account are HERE.

New to volunteering? You start by opening a SafeParish™ account, get the needed on-line training, and learn about any required background checks. Click on the link to get started!



A special message from Mrs. Lana

Music is VERY analytical, greatly enhances critical thinking, and improves math scores and self- confidence! Kickoff the new year with Piano Lessons with Mrs. Lana. Special discount for our St. Bernadette students ONLY! Contact Mrs. Lana for details about

registration, screening, learning materials, and scheduling before space runs out! llana@stbernadetteamelia.org





Mercy McAuley Theatre presents SEUSSICAL

Showtimes:

March 24 & 25 March 26 7:30 p.m. 2 p.m.

Tickets: mercymcauley.ludus.com

Mercy McAuley ade School Theatre Night (5th-8th graders) March 23, 6 p.m.

Pizza, meet the cast, and watch the dress rehearsal!

Pre-Show Party
(Families with kids age 10 & under)

Pizza, meet the cast, crafts, games and more!

Register & Pay (\$10/family): ww.mercymcauley.org/seussical-party

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Set up your Titan Account for school lunches.

Lunches are provided through West Clermont School District and are made on our premises. Lunches are \$3.00 this year.

To set up your account, you will need your child's school ID number. This is the same ID number seen on your child's Gradedlink page.

You should be able to create your <u>Titan account</u>, load the **PaySchool account** and <u>apply for free or reduced priced lunches.</u>

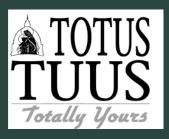


You May Be Eligible

Even families who don't receive government subsidies can be eligible for Free or Reduced Priced lunches. Go to your Titan account and click on "Meal Application." Click through the form until you are able to note your income or other qualifying circumstances. Although families receiving SNAP benefits are automatically eligible, they still have to apply every year. Make sure you've taken advantage of this service, if you are able.

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Church News



TOTUS TUUS 2023

Seems incredible, but we are preparing for Totus Tuus 2023. Teens meet Sunday June 11 – Thursday June 15, 2023, 7:00pm-9:00pm. Click for the **Teen Registration forms**. Children in Grades 1 – 6 meet Monday June 12 – Friday June 16, 2023 from 8:40am-2:30pm. See Children's Registration Forms. Full SE6 Parish Family Pot Luck is Wednesday June 14, 2023, 5:15-6:15pm in the St Bernadette Gym. This is a full SE6 Parish event, so we will have room for 150 children and 80 Teens. We will need over 100 volunteer adults and four host families from the 4 churches of our SE6 Parish to make this work for all. Click HERE to volunteer!



SUMMER FESTIVAL

Thank you to those of you who have already signed up to help with the 2023 festival. We are currently looking for booth chairs, as well as help with set-up and clean-up. Please use this sign-up link for more information. If you have any questions about volunteering for the festival, please contact Jennifer Harris (513-604-6851) or Jennifer.harris411@yahoo.com. Let's work together to help make the festival this year a success!!

The Grand Raffle this year will be online only. Please share the link below with your family and friends.

Celebrate Life! St Bernadette 2023
Festival Grand Raffle by St Bernadette
Parish Festival | BetterUnite

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Help PTO with School and Parent Events!

This button will take you to a sign up form...All kinds of help is needed...everything from helping to set up a concert to organizing an event. A few of these may require SafeParish registration.

PTO and School Event Assistance

Supervise Students During Lunch Periods

Lunch supervision is a big help to the teacher in the cafeteria! Requires SafeParish registration.

Cafeteria Assistance

Recess Volunteers

This service requires SafeParish registration. Get your steps in and spend a half hour from 10:00-10:30 for morning recess, or about an hour during lunch recess. Your presence will increase playground safety by giving the teacher on duty another pair of eyes, and the kids will love seeing you there!

Quick Links

<u>Lunchroom volunteer sign-up</u>

Recess volunteer sign-up

St. Bernadette volunteer sign-up

Newsletters/Handouts

2022-2023 School Calender

Parent/Student Handbook under revision

Parish Website

To set up Lunch Instructions

Free and Reduced online application

PTO

Schoolbelles (code S1952)

Gradelink

FACTS Login

Remind Sign-up

Virtues in Practice (at home materials - Year 3, Year of Charity)

Kroger Rewards

Box Tops Bonus App

1n5 Foundation (great mental health information)

Mind-Peace (to find mental health providers - click on "Search for Providers")

Beacons of Light - Pastoral Planning and Parish Families

SafeParish instructions

COVID-19 LINKS

Ohio COVID Vaccine Program
Get the Shot Ohio
Search Available Vaccine Sites
Myths and Facts: COVID Vaccine
Cincinnati Children's COVID site
Clermont County Public Health

If you or your child is exposed to someone with COVID, wear a mask for 10 days. If symptoms develop, assume you are positive for COVID and start the isolation period. If you remain symptom free, test on Day 5. If the test is negative, finish out the remaining 5 days wearing a mask. If you test positive, begin your isolation period.

If a parent is positive, it is important to isolate away from your child(ren) at home, otherwise you continue to expose the child to COVID and the mask wearing will continue 10 days past your last date of infection. (yikes) Children who are close contacts should absolutely stay in school and stay masked for 10 days. Teachers will also be masked whenever they are a close contact.

We have a modest supply of rapid tests. Call the office if you need one.



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