

Saint Wendel Newsletter

Week of January 3, 2022

Good Morning! Happy New Year!! We hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas break! We are officially halfway through the school year. We want to share with you some important 2nd semester dates:

- Catholic Schools Week- Jan. 30-Feb. 5
- "Come and See" Open House- Feb. 3 from 5-7pm- INVITE! INVITE! INVITE!
- Muffins with Mom- Feb. 8- More information later!
- Ash Wednesday- Mar. 2- Mass Times TBD
- IREAD- March 8-17 (3rd Grade Only) Please reschedule any appointments before 1pm that would cause students to be out of school.
- Middle School Play- March 17th
- Spring Break- March 19-March 27th
- ILEARN April 19-April 29 (3rd through 8th grade) Please reschedule any appointments before 1pm that would cause students to be out of school.
- 2nd Grade Retreat- April 21 -We would like at least 1 parent to attend
- First Holy Communion- April 24
- May Crowning Mass- May 2
- Last Day of School- May 25



Please continue symptom screening daily at home before sending your child to school. We need everyone to do their part in order for us to continue to be in school. If you have questions about symptoms or are not 100% please keep them home and call the school office or email Mrs. Scheu. Also, if a student is getting tested or anyone in their family, everyone in their household should stay home until the test results come back.

ALL STUDENTS MUST WEAR A MASK EACH DAY! Please note this is considered part of their dress code. If students forget their mask they will be given a dress code violation.

Over the weekend we celebrate the beginning of a new year. We would like to challenge each of our school families to make an effort each weekend to attend Mass together as a family. We would love our school families practicing our faith and teaching the importance of having a strong relationship with Christ. Mass times at Saint Wendel are Saturday at 4:30pm and Sunday at 8:30pm. Everyone is

evented to attend.

Lord Jesus, at this time we can look back to the old year, and forward to the new. We give thanks for the blessings of the past year, and we place into your hands the mistakes we have made. As you are "the Light of the world", take away the darkness in our lives. As you are "the Way", lead us in the year ahead. As you are "the gate of the sheepfold", protect us from danger. We entrust the past to your mercy, Lord, the present to your love, and the future to your providence. Amen.



Friday, January 7th-Free Dress Day!!

Play Practice

Monday January 10- blocking Act 1, scene 1 (p. 1-3) 2:30-3:30

Wednesday January 12-blocking Act 1, scene 2 (p. 3-8) 2:30-3:30



Teacher/staff appreciation sub committee-UPDATE

There will be a teacher/staff appreciation sub committee meeting on January 11th at 6:00pm at Silver Bell Restaurant in Wadesville. We are looking for ideas and help! Everyone is invited!!



Multiple parents have asked how they can help the teacher/staff appreciation committee. Below is an amazon wish list for anyone who would like to help. These are snacks that are being kept in the teacher's lounge for the teachers and staff to enjoy. When purchasing snacks from the wish list they will ship directly to Celeste Eisterhold. You may also purchase items elsewhere and drop it off at the school. For any questions you may contact Celeste Eisterhold celesteeisterhold@yahoo.com, 812-205-6080 or Valerie Miller miller7.20.13@gmail.com, 812-677-0634

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/106EKJOV408I?ref=cm_sw_sm_r_un_un_B0fmcMeSDzRu
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Saint Wendel Fleece jackets

Saint Wendel fleece jackets are available for purchase. The jackets will be available for pickup at Southwest Grafix & Apparel on Franklin street. Please click on the link for purchasing.

https://stores.southwestgrafix.com/saint_wendel_fleece

i-READY RESULTS

Parents, before Christmas break our students kindergarten through 8th graders took their 2nd i-READY...

students who need additional assistance.



Uniform and Dress Code Reminders

All students must be in uniform every day. There will be out-of-uniform days which will be announced during the course of the school year (a dress code for such days is included in this section). If there is a time when the prescribed uniform cannot for some legitimate reason be worn, a note from the parent/guardian must be written to the Principal. Students who are out of uniform without this excuse will be written a dress code violation and the parent will be called to bring the proper clothing. At no time during the school year should students wear any political attire to school. **ALL UNIFORM REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES ARE SUBJECT TO THE DISCRETION OF THE PRINCIPAL AND STAFF.**

Dress Code

The purpose of the dress code/school uniform is to promote neatness, discipline, and a sense of school identity.

The enforcement of the dress code is the joint responsibility of parents, students, teachers and administrators. Parents should see that their children leave the house properly attired. Teachers and administrators are to see that students follow the uniform policy.

Since the following guidelines are subject to some interpretation, the school reserves the right to determine what meets the guidelines when there is a question of acceptance or appropriateness.

“Hoodies” are not part of the school uniform.

Hair & Make-up

Girls’ hair should be kept clean and properly styled. Hairstyles bordering on the extreme are not permitted.

Make-up is NOT allowed to be worn as part of the school uniform or on Spirit Days or Free Dress Days.

Boys’ hair should NOT touch the back collar, should not be over the eyes, and should not be below the ears on the side. Hair should be kept clean and properly styled. Hairstyles bordering on the extreme are not permitted.

Earrings

Due to safety issues, dangling earrings and hoops should not be worn.

Socks/Shoes

As part of the uniform, students should wear solid colored socks in the colors of red, navy, white, black, or brown. Girls should not wear leggings. Tights may be worn. School socks may be crew length or ankle socks.

Tennis shoes are recommended as the type of shoe to wear to school.

Due to safety issues, sandals or thong sandals should not be worn to school. Boots are not allowed as part of the school uniform but, could be worn on Free Dress Days.

Blouses/Polo Shirts/Dress Shirts/Sweatshirts/Sweaters/Fleece

Dress polo shirts/blouses can have either long sleeves or short sleeves. Solid red, white, navy, or black polo shirts may be worn. Solid red, navy, white, or black turtlenecks may be worn. Solid polos, dress shirts, or turtlenecks should not include writing or logos. The official Saint Wendel Sweatshirt, in the colors of navy, red, or black, or Saint Wendel Fleece, may be worn over the white shirt, blouse, polo shirt, or turtleneck. Sweaters in the solid colors of white, navy, red, or black may be worn over the white shirt, blouse, polo shirt, or turtleneck. Any kind of sweatshirt or sweater with hood attached is not considered part of Saint Wendel School uniform.

Pants/Shorts/Skorts/Jumpers/Skirts/Belts

Navy or khaki (tan) uniform pants or shorts may be worn. Shorts must have cuffs or hem. Pants should not have flares. Pants must have belt loops and be worn with a belt. Jumpers in the colors of plaid, navy, or khaki may be worn. Navy or khaki shorts may be worn. Belts, worn as part of the school uniform, should be in the solid colors of navy, black, or brown. **Skirts/Shorts should be no shorter than three inches above the knee.** Tights may be worn with skirts and must be white, navy, or black.

Hip huggers or Capri pants are NOT acceptable as uniform pants.

Jackets/Coats/Hoodies

Jackets/coats/hoodies are NOT to be worn during class time unless a faculty member/administrator has given permission.

Spirit Day Clothing

At least once a month, students are given the opportunity to wear "Spirit Day" clothing. This is the "spirit wear" clothing which is sold, yearly, by the Saint Wendel School Athletic Committee. Uniform pants/shorts/skorts, or skirts must be worn with the "spirit wear". Jeans are NOT to be worn on Spirit Days. Diocesan theme t-shirts may be worn on spirit day. Saint Wendel School hoodies can be worn as part of spirit day clothing.

Free Dress Clothing

At least once a month, students are given the opportunity to wear "free dress". Jeans can be worn on "free dress", along with other casual clothing. The principal of Saint Wendel School will make

decisions concerning when “free dress” of a student is inappropriate. Students should remember to dress “modestly” and in “good taste”. Leggings are not allowed on Free Dress Days.
Good Rule: If you think you shouldn't wear it, you shouldn't.

2022-2023 Approved School Calendar Below



Saint Wendel Catholic School Calendar 2022 2023 - Table 1
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January Lunch Menu

Starting today we have some new lunch prices. These lunch prices are listed below.

NEW PRICES

Extra Entrée Students (\$2.00)	SAME
Extra Entrée Staff (\$2.25)	SAME
Extra Vegetable (.75)	SAME
Extra ALT. Sandwich (\$2.00)	SAME
Extra Bread (.50)	SAME
Breakfast Snack (\$1.00)	SAME
Extra Fruit (.75)	SAME
Adult Lunch (\$4.60)	SAME
Salad Only (\$2.00)	\$2.25
Rice Krispie (.25)	0.5
Bug Bites (.50)	SAME
Water (.50)	\$1.00
Chips (\$1.00)	SAME
Muffins (1.00)	\$1.25
White Milk (.50)	SAME
Chocolate Milk (.50)	SAME
Strawberry Milk (.50)	SAME
Morning Milk (.50)	SAME
Orange Juice (.50)	0.75
Cheese Stick (.50)	0.75
Fruit Snacks (\$1.00)	SAME
Gold Fish (.25)	\$1.00



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Saint Wendel Summer Camp Updates

Saint Wendel Parents, for the past couple of summers Saint Wendel offered a daily summer camp for Saint Wendel students for 8 weeks. This past summer we had a major decrease in attendance and overall need for summer camp. We have started the discussion about the possibility of no longer offering summer camp. In order for us to continue to offer summer camp we would need around 60 campers to commit to attendance 4 or more days a week and we would need to hire a director and all new staff members. We will also have to hire a bus driver for the field trips each week which will increase the cost. We have started discussion and we would have to at least double each rate amount to cover our expenses. If you are interested in summer camp please contact Mrs. Scheu by Friday, January 14th.

New Year's Challenge- Growing in Faith

Everyone is welcome to attend adoration days at Saint Wendel Catholic Church. Come and pray! Church is open from 8am-10pm on the following days for quiet prayer.--Feb 1; Mar 15; Apr 26; Jun 7; Jul 19; Aug 30; Oct 11; Nov 22



Online Giving

Again, this year you will be able to make tuition payments, lunch payments, and morning care, and aftercare payments online through Online Giving. You will be able to set up automatic transfers weekly, monthly, etc. Please use this website to "Create New Account." There is also an app that you can download. Payments usually take about 24 hours to process through the bank and are reflected on the online giving website. You can also find a direct link on our website under School Info and then School/Parish Payments.



<https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/1778>



USI's Building Reading Skills for Grades 1-5 - Starts Tuesday 1/25/2022

12 week Building Reading Skills course, taught by USI pre-service teachers and supervised by EVSC teacher and USI adjunct faculty, Ms. Briana Campbell. We are offering this low-cost customized tutoring experience again starting Tuesday, January 25, 2022

Sessions will be held on Tuesday evenings, via Zoom, for 40 minutes at a time. We have two timeslots available: 6-6:40 p.m. or 6:50-7:30 p.m.

If you have any families whose children are in grades 1-5 and need a bit of extra reading help, this is a wonderful opportunity. Families can learn more by calling me directly (812-465-1117) or by visiting our web site:

<https://www.usi.edu/outreach/lifelong-learning/youth-programs/building-reading-skills-grades-1-5/>

