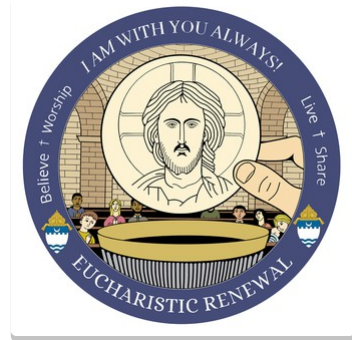


Saint Wendel Catholic School

February 6, 2023

We hope everyone had a wonderful weekend!

Last week was AMAZING!! Thank you to all the parents who helped with celebrating the different dress up or theme days. Thank you to all the families who attended our Family Dinner Night last Monday. Thank you to the teachers and staff for preparing and working our Family Dinner Night. Thank you to the students who did a FANTASTIC job completing their virtual learning assignments. We had 100% completion! Thank you to the parents and grandparents for being flexible and understanding over those two days. Thank you to the teachers and staff who created engaging lessons and were acceptable to their students. Thank you to the families who invited new families to our open house last Thursday. Our Open House was a HUGE success.



Friday, February 10th is Spirit Dress Day!!

Counting Our Days Together Fundraiser

We have a fun and exciting fundraiser this year! This fundraiser runs from Monday, February 6 to Friday, February 24. One calendar is going home with each family printed on pink paper.

How does it work?

Your child(ren) will ask someone to pick one (or more) day(s) on the calendar to sponsor. For example, if Uncle Bill chooses the 5th, he pays \$5. If Grandma Sue picks the 15th, she pays \$15 and so on. If they want to write a check, have them make it payable to Saint Wendel. Payments should be collected and turned in when you turn in your completed calendar.

Who does it benefit?

100% of the donations go to our Saint Wendel School Funds which benefits every teacher, staff member, and students at Saint Wendel. (Make any checks payable to Saint Wendel. If possible one check for each family turned in with the particle or full completed calendar.)

Are there prizes?

Of course!!! Every family who gets the entire calendar filled and turns it in by Friday, February 24, gets extra free dress days for your student! On top of the extra free dress days, your family gets entered to win one of our four awesome prizes!

Can we fill more than one calendar?

YES! Once you fill your calendar, go to the school office to get another one. The more calendars you complete the more chances you have to win.

What are the four prizes?

Grand Prize: Getaway weekend at the French Lick Resort (Value over \$600)

1st prize: 9 ft. Arcade Speedball (Value \$510)

2nd prize: Family Fun Package (Value \$100)

3rd prize: Spirit wear Package (Value \$50)

Any family that cannot get their calendar filled may turn in what they have by February 24 and your family will get to enjoy a free dress day on Monday, February 27th with the students who participated in the fundraiser.

Counting our Days Together Saint Wendel Catholic School Fundraiser

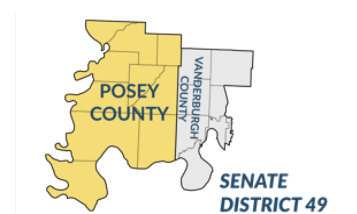


Family Name (Students)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
February			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	Thank you for donating to Saint Wendel Catholic School!			

Senator Tomes Visiting on Friday!

On Friday, February 10th Senator Jim Tomes will be visiting Saint Wendel. The purpose of his visit is for us to share with our legislatures the great things happening at Saint Wendel. Saint Wendel partners with an organization called INPEA (Indiana Non-Public Educators



Association) to help keep us informed of information during the legislative sessions. There are a few bills that plan to be submitted during this legislative session that could expand the school choice

program once again. The areas of the school choice program that they want to admend Saint Wendel is in support of. We would love to see universal school choice, increase income guidelines, elimination of pathway, SGO used in PreSchool/PreK and much more.

During his visit we do plan to share why supporting the School Choice program is so important to Saint Wendel families and students. If your family is currently using the School Choice Program to get free tuition and fees and you would be willing to write a quick letter to Senator Tomes thanking him, we encourage you. If you write a letter you can send to the main office and Mrs. Scheu will make sure he reads them. If your family is not participating in the School Choice Program and would love to see the program expanding we encourage you to write to him as well.

PFresh Orders Coming Home Today!



TAKE & BAKE MEAL FUNDRAISER



We've partnered with P Fresh Kitchen's Meal Kit Fundraiser program to sell ready-to-heat family dinners. You get a break from cooking and 20% of the sales will be donated to our organization!

Each Chili Mac meal pack will include:

- Hearty Chili with Noodles & Cheddar Cheese (with heating instructions)
- Bowl of Fresh Salad with Buttermilk Ranch Dressing
- Combread and Honey Butter
- Azzip Chocolate Chunk Cookies

Orders and payment due by February 16th. Pick up will be February 23rd from 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm at the main Saint Wendel drop off location.

Seller Name: _____

	Purchaser Name	Small - \$32 Feeds 3-4	Medium - \$40 Feeds 5-6	Large - \$48 Feeds 6-8	Vegetarian	Contact Info (Email or Phone)	Total \$	Paid?
1.								
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	Totals							

Make Checks Out To: Saint Wendel Catholic School

Return Forms By: February 16th

Questions? Contact Hallie Scheu at hscheu@evdio.org

Total Collected



Saint Wendel Enrollment Applications Release on Wednesday!

On Wednesday, February 8, 2023 Saint Wendel will release their enrollment applications for the 2023-2024 school year for students going into Kindergarten through 8th grade.

Did you know.....

that Saint Wendel Kindergarten through 8th grade students participate in music, physical education and visual arts class each week.

Starting in 5th grade Saint Wendel students also have the opportunity to participate in band. All 5th through 8th grade students take Spanish as a foreign language. All Saint Wendel 8th graders take Algebra and have the opportunity to test out of Algebra for high school credit. New this school year Saint Wendel students will also have the opportunity to test out of Spanish I. The curriculum at Saint Wendel is very rigorous. Students get daily/weekly technology and STEM classes.

If you have any questions about enrollment please contact Mrs. Scheu at hscheu@evdio.org.

Current School Choice Income Guidelines for 2023-2024 School Year

Choice Scholarship Program Income Limits by Household Size	
Household Size	300% of Free/Reduced Lunch Eligibility
	Annual Household Income Limit ¹
1	\$80,919.00
2	\$109,446.00
3	\$137,973.00
4	\$166,500.00
5	\$195,027.00
6	\$223,554.00
7	\$252,081.00
8	\$280,608.00
9	\$309,135.00
10	\$337,662.00

¹Add \$28,527 for each additional family member.

Muffins with Mom

Muffins

With Mom

Mom, bring your student(s) to school on Tuesday, February 14, 2023, celebrate Mass at 7:30am and enjoy breakfast with us! (For Preschool and PreK- similar to Donuts with Dad.)

(if mom can't make it, your student can bring a grandma, aunt, older sister, or a family friend)

7:30am-9:00am

Location: Saint Wendel Church & Wendel Hall

Penny War Donations

Last week during Catholic Schools Week we held a "Penny War." We challenged our students to bring in donations for our sister parishes in Haiti- Saint Michael the Archangel and Saint Albert the Great. We collected \$1,429.21!!!



Our top 3 homerooms were:

Fourth Grade-- \$332.44

First Grade- Mrs. Foury-- \$250.42

Fifth Grade- \$219.50

Valentine Candy Grams

Student Leadership is selling Valentine Candy Grams starting Monday, February 6th until Friday, February 10th. Students can purchase a Candy Gram for 50 cents to send to any of their friends or staff members at school for Valentine's Day. A Student Leadership member will come to every classroom (K-8) at 2:15 each day, starting Monday, 2/6. Students will fill out the Valentine Candy Gram and return them to Mrs. Foury's classroom. Please make sure they put their own name, their friend's name of who they are sending it to, the friend's homeroom teacher, and a short message. Student Leadership will deliver the Valentine Candy Grams with a piece of candy on Tuesday, 2/14. The money will benefit the Student Leadership and any future projects. Thank you!



Valentine's Day Parties

PreSchool and PreK Parties will be held on Monday, February 13th from 10am-11 am.

Kindergarten through 8th grade Parties will be held on Tuesday, February 14th at 1:45pm.

All volunteers need to enter the main office doors and sign in.



Saint Wendel Play Practice Schedule

Tuesday Feb 7-blocking Act 2 (p.30-36) 2:30-3:30

Thursday Feb 9-blocking Act 2 (p.37-42) 2:30-3:30

Tuesday Feb 14- run through Act 2 (p.30-42) 2:30-4:00

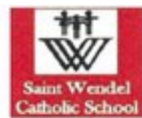
Thursday Feb 16- blocking Act 2 (p.43-48) 2:30-3:30

A Message from Our Cafeteria Manager

Thank you to everyone who was flexible last week when we had to move the lunch menu because of a busted pipe.

If you have questions or concerns please reach out to me at cwhitledge@evdio.org or call school at 812-963-3958.

Thanks- Carlie Whitledge



February 2023

Saint Wendel School Lunch Menu

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		1 Chicken Parmesan Crinkle Cut Fries California Veggie Blend Diced Peaches Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Diced Ham ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich	2 Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce Mini Salads Green Beans Applesauce Garlic Toast Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Diced Ham ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich	3 Hamburger/Cheeseburger Cooked Carrots Potato Wedges Mixed Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Diced Ham ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich
6 Mini Cinnis w/ Sausage Links Tater Gems Broccoli and Cheese Diced Peaches-OR- Orange Juice Milk ALT: Chef Salad- Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham and Cheese Sub	7 Walking Taco Refried Beans Corn Shredded Lettuce & Tomatoes Mixed Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad- Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham and Cheese Sub	8 Mini Corn Dogs Mashed Potatoes Baked Beans Diced Pear Milk ALT: Chef Salad- Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham and Cheese Sub	9 Popcorn Chicken Potato Wedges Green Beans Sidekicks Milk ALT: Chef Salad- Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham and Cheese Sub	10 Bosco Sticks w/ Pizza Sauce Baby Carrots Corn Mandarin Oranges Milk ALT: Chef Salad- Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham and Cheese Sub
13 Sausage Egg Cheese Biscuit Tater Gems Broccoli and Cheese Diced Peaches - OR- Orange Juice Milk ALT: Chef Salad- Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey and Cheese Sandwich	14 Super Nachos Refried Beans Corn Salsa Diced Peas Milk ALT: Chef Salad- Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey and Cheese Sandwich	15 Chicken Nuggets Potato Wedges Green Beans Applesauce Milk ALT: Chef Salad- Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey and Cheese Sandwich	16 5th Grade Day Bosco Sticks w/ Pizza Sauce Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Potato Smiles Baby Carrots Sidekicks Milk ALT: Chef Salad- Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey and Cheese Sandwich	17  NO SCHOOL
20  HAPPY PRESIDENTS DAY	21 Burrito Refried Beans Corn Mixed Fruit ALT: Chef Salad- Diced Ham ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich	22 Ash Wednesday Breaded Fish Nuggets Potato Wedges Baked Beans Hot Cinnamon Apples Dinner Roll ALT: Chef Salad- NO MEAT ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich	23 French Bread Pepperoni Pizza Mini Salad California Veggie Blend Diced Peas Milk ALT: Chef Salad- Diced Ham ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich	24 Mac & Cheese Baby Carrots Green Beans Mixed Fruit ALT: Chef Salad- NO MEAT ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich
27 French Toast Sticks w/ Sausage Patty Tater Tots Broccoli & Cheese Diced Peas - OR- Orange Juice ALT: Chef Salad- Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey and Cheese Sandwich	28 Beef Taco Refried Beans Corn Mixed Fruit ALT: Chef Salad- Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey and Cheese Sandwich			

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PTO meeting

Just a reminder our next PTO meeting will be on Wednesday, February 8th in person at 6:30 in the Wassmer Room. Childcare will be provided. Attending the PTO meeting gives your student(s) an extra free dress day.





Attention St. Wendel softball league players

Uniform fitting night will be this Thursday, Feb 9th at the Armstrong Recreational Center for the following times:

U8 5:30

U10 6:00

U12 6:30

Any questions please call Laura Weinzapfel 812-774-3300

Saint Wendel Parish Information

MIDDLE SCHOOL ICE SKATING

Westside parishes invite students in grades 6-8 for ice skating at the Swonder Ice Arena on Sat., Feb. 18 from 4-6pm. \$10 includes admission to private rented rink, skate rental, and snacks provided by the parishes. RSVP by next Wednesday, Feb. 15 to Sherie Cooley at (765) 427-8199 or scooley@evdio.org. Waiver and medical forms required - download at <https://faithformation-sfx-sw.weebly.com/youth-ministry.html>

THE CATHOLIC PARISHES OF THE WEST SIDE OF EVANSVILLE INVITES
STUDENTS IN GRADES 6TH-8TH



ICE SKATING

@ Swonder

FEBRUARY 18TH, 2023

\$10 PER PERSON

INCLUDES ADMISSION TO PRIVATE RENTED RINK, SKATE RENTAL, SNACKS PROVIDED BY PARISHES

4:00-6:00PM

SWONDER ICE ARENA || 209 N. BOEKE RD.

RSVP: BY FEB. 15 TO YOUR PARISH CONTACT

****DIOCESAN EVENT PERMISSION & MEDICAL FORM REQUIRED**

CORPUS CHRISTI: CECILIA REISING
HOLY REDEEMER: MARY JO KEEN
RESURRECTION: ANNIE-ROSE KEITH
ST. BONIFACE: JENNY MAYER

ST. JOE: JESSICA RECKELHOFF
ST. PHILIP: JESSIE BACON
ST. WENDEL/ST. FRANCIS XAVIER: SHERIE COOLEY
GORETTI (GIBSON COUNTY): BRYAN MACKE

Sherie Cooley (765) 427-8199 or scooley@evdio.org Download forms at <https://faithformation-sfx-sw.weebly.com/youth-ministry.html>

Grace Marriage

Marriage is meant for MORE!!! A marriage that is under grace and the direction of the Lord is one that is more than we could ask or imagine on our wedding day.

Two people full of life equals LOTS of life and a marriage that is abundant in communication, connection, intimacy, and joy.

We want your marriage to be MORE than you can imagine! Grace Marriage is an opportunity for you to learn practical ways to invest and have a blast doing so. Join us each quarter, starting Sunday, February 19 at Saint Wendel!

Sign up by this Sunday, Feb 12! To learn more and register visit <https://faithformation-sfx-sw.weebly.com/marriage-enrichment.html> or contact Sherie Cooley (764) 427-8199 scooley@evdio.org.



Elements of the Catholic Mass

Our goal for the rest of the school year is offer short videos and handouts to help educate and form our families in the faith. If you ever have questions about the videos or the topics please let us know.

Episode #4- The Church Building (Below)

Episode 4 - The Church Building





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THEOLOGY ON TAP

Young people in their 20's and 30's are invited on the second Thursday of the month at Damsel's Brew Pub to connect and learn more about the Catholic Faith. Join us February 16 with Fr. Dusty Burns for "Endless Possibilities Becoming Fully Alive in a Wounded World." Doors open at 7:00 and talk begins at 7:30pm. For more info about young adult events, check out <https://www.evdio.org/young-adult-ministry.html>



Mater Dei Information

Boys Soccer Call Out Meeting Information:

The Mater Dei Boys Soccer team is inviting all 8th grade boys and their parents to a call out meeting on February 23. The meeting will take place in the Mater Dei High School cafeteria from 6 -7pm. We will be going over the upcoming season, the start of a JV season for 2023, weight training, and limited contact training this spring. If you are interested, please fill out your information in the attached link.

<https://forms.gle/tQ9Nj2F9MXt1xB4s7>



If you have any other questions please contact Coach Scott Wilson via email (scott.wilson@henderson.kyschools.us) or call at 270- 860-8922

Other Information

