Saint Wendel Catholic School

April 2, 2024

Good morning families, we hope everyone had a wonderful Spring break.

On Thursday we will hold our 2nd grade retreat. We ask you to keep them in your prayers on Thursday during their retreat but also on Sunday when they make their First Holy Communion.



We are now getting closer to the end of the year and this means- ILEARN testing. We will begin ILEARN testing on Tuesday, April 16 for grades 3rd-8th. Our testing will take about a week and half. We want our students to do their very best and have good testing environments. If any students have any appointments before 11:30am from April 16-April 26 we ask that you please reschedule them.

***Just a reminder to please check your tuition statements as we are coming to the end of our school year. Statements get sent home monthly. We would like everything paid off by the end of May so we can close accounts by the beginning of June. If you are unable to pay off your balances by then please contact Mrs. Travers or Mrs. Scheu.

**There will be no school on Monday, April 8th due to the Solar Eclipse.

Schedule for the week:

Monday- No School

Tuesday- No School

Wednesday- Edge Youth Group, Math Bowl Practice 2:30-3pm, Track Practice 3:00-4:00pm; Virtual Good News Book Fair;

Thursday- Mass at 7:30am (Giving Day); 2nd Grade Retreat; Armata Bianca 2:30-3pm; Drama Club 2:30-3:30, Virtual Good News Book Fair;

Friday, April 5th is Free Dress Day!!

TOTAL SOLAR ECLIPSE

We are now less than a week away!!

As we have shared during the school year, Saint Wendel Catholic Schools will be closed on Monday, April 8th for students to enjoy this experience at home. We are so thankful to channel 14 for purchasing solar glasses for all our students (PreSchool through 8th Grade). We will be sending home glasses and more solar eclipse goodies after spring break.



This day will be considered a virtual learning day but we will not be sending home devices. Everything will be paper/pencil. Students may begin working on assignments on Friday when they get home and everything will be due on Tuesday, April 9th we they return.

We are so excited for this opportunity for our students.

Link to More Information About the Solar Eclipse

Kindergarten Service Project (April 2nd-12th)



Take & Bake Fundraiser

Our last Take & Bake Fundraiser forms have been sent home. Orders are due by Friday, April 5th. Pick up will be on Wednesday, April 17th from 2:00-4:30 outside the front office.

Take & Bake Fundraiser.pdf

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Get Involved In The Mass At Saint Wendel

We officially have 1 quarter left and we still have open slots to sign up. Masses are on Saturday at 4:30pm and Sunday at 8:30am at Saint Wendel. We usually need 4-5 people to assist with bringing up



the gifts. When you volunteer please make sure that you check in with the greeters when you arrive. Please review the available slots below and click on the link belowhttps://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090b4babab23a1f49-saint1

Saint Wendel is Hiring!



Saint Wendel Catholic School is seeking passionate and engaging staff members for the 2024-2025 school year. All applicants must be team players, full of energy and eager to teach in a Catholic school environment. Send resumes to Hallie Scheu.

ART TEACHER (FULL-TIME)
MIDDLE SCHOOL ELA TEACHER (6TH-8TH)
PRESCHOOL/PREK LEAD TEACHER
PRESCHOOL/PREK ASSISTANTS

SPANISH TEACHER (PART-TIME) FULL JOB POSTING AVAILABLE ONLINE WWW.EVDIO.ORG/APPLICANTS.



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Save the Dates!!



Saint Wendel Mother Son Night



Saint Wendel Night of Skits



Saint Wendel K-2 Spring Program



With our school's application officially being approved at the state level, Mrs. Scheu will begin processing School Choice Scholarship applications for our kindergarten through 8th grade families. Mrs. Scheu will need page 1 of your filed 1040- showing household size and adjusted gross income. If you have questions about the school choice program please contact Mrs. Hallie Scheu at hscheu@evdio.org.

Why Good News Book Fair

8th graders with a section for teachers and parents.

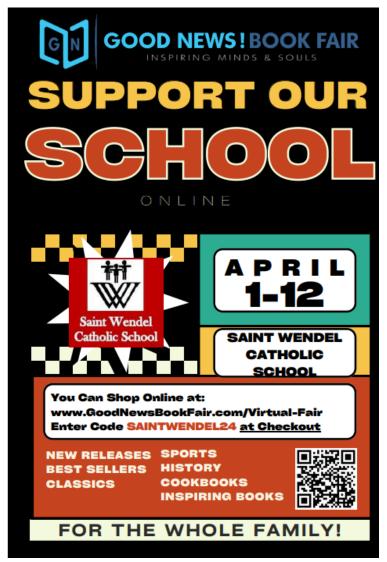


Good News! Book Fair offers a great balance of clean reads, and fun, faith filled books. We are here to support your Christ centered education. Our goal is for students to enjoy reading from a vast inventory of new releases and favorite classics! All titles are reviewed to assure they align with Catholic faith and values. We purchase from a variety of top well-known secular and Catholic publishers creating a diverse collection of titles for Pre-K through

Good News! Book Fair offers books of different genres to choose from such as: mysteries, action/adventure, history, science fiction, wholesome humor, sports, historical fiction and non-fiction stories that keep kids wanting to read more!

When it comes to faith books, what better way for students to learn about the Holy Sacraments than engaging them with age appropriate books such as beautifully illustrated picture books, biographies, even graphic novels and comic books of the lives of the Saints!

Good News! Book Fair's gifts are truly must have keepsakes! Our custom jewelry, T-shirts, and other fun inspiring products reinforce Catholic identity! We are also a fundraiser for your school! As parents and teachers, we are often in search for what is best for our children and St. Pope John Paul II's advice comes to mind. "Do not be afraid. Do not be satisfied with mediocrity." Good News! Book Fair is committed to do the research for you and find books that will inspire minds and souls!









Book Fair Flyer

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Saint Wendel Soccer Sign Ups (PreK-8th grade students- Boys and Girls)

Saint Wendel students who are interested in playing soccer during this coming fall should us the information below to sign up. The Saint Wendel students are put on the same teams.

CUB LEAGUE (6th-8th): Registration for CUB MD soccer opens today, <u>April 2nd, and will close May</u> <u>13th</u>. Cub will hold Evaluations for incoming 6th, 7th and 8th graders on May 14th and <u>15th.To</u> participate in Evals, the child must be registered and fully paid. More information to follow.

2024 FALL SOCCER Feeder and Cub League



Online registration is required for all players in the Mater Dei Soccer Feeder program.

Our program continues to grow, with over 600 sign-ups in 2023. Each year, we strive to improve the program to the best of our abilities.

Again this year, PreK/K will be Academy style, with instruction/games being held on Sundays. Times are TBD.

Volunteers Needed!

Coaches, help w/ field prep, & concession workers needed.

Once again, we'll run the concession stand with the help of volunteers.

The soccer club is operated by volunteers! Do your part to help sustain our program –

ALL families are requested to volunteer at least 1 adult per child this year.

QUESTIONS CAN BE SENT TO MATERDEISOCCER@GMAIL.COM



MATER DEI FEEDER SOCCER

Registration Open as of April 1st!

Feeder Deadline is May 31st Cub Deadline is May 13th

*Cub Evaluations May 14th & 15th – registration on eval day is discouraged, but will be allowed

No LATE Registration Accepted!

Team formation based on school and grade is dependent on timely registration information.

Please go to: www.materdeisoccer.com and complete your registration.

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Co-Ed	PreK-K	\$55.00
Co-Ed	1 st	\$55.00
Girls	2 nd /3 rd & 4 th /5 th	\$60.00
Boys	2 nd /3 rd & 4 th /5 th	\$60.00

2024 FEEDER KEY DATES

(*Subject to change with any weather implications*)

July 22 Practices may begin
 August 3 Opening Day

Sept 20 Regular Season Ends
 Sept 21 Tournament Begins

Sept 28 Championship Games



April 2024

Saint Wendel School Lunch Menu

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1 No School Easter Monday	Chicken Strips w/ Cornbread Peas Cheesy Potatoes Veggies/ side salad Fruit variety Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Ham w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey & Cheese Sandwich	Cheesy Garlic Bread Broccoli Veggies/side salad Fruit variety Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Ham w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey & Cheese Sandwich	4 Papa John's Pepperoni Pizza Corm Veggies/side salad Fruit variety Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Ham w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey & Cheese Sandwich	5 Hamburger or Cheeseburger Baked Beans Potato Wedges Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Ham w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich
No School Solar Eclipse	9 French Toast Stick Eggstravaganza Potato Smiles Veggies/side salad Fruit variety Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich	10 Loaded Nachos Corn Refried Beans Veggies/side salad Fruit variety Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich	11 Spaghetti Garlie Breadstick Green Beans Carrots veggies/side salad fruit variety Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich	12 Manager's Choice Peas Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk No Alternates
15 Chicken Smackers with Roll Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Peas Veggies/side salad Pruit variety Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham & Cheese Sandwich	16 Chili Dog with Cheese Fries Baked Beans Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham & Cheese Sandwich	17 BBQ Pulled Pork with Corn Bread Macaroni & Cheese Sweet Potato Fries Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham & Cheese Sandwich	Papa John's Cheese Pizza Green Beans Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham & Cheese Sandwich	Mini Pizza Bites or Buffalo Cheese Bites Seasoned Fries Broccoli Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham & Cheese Sandwich
22 Chicken Alfredo Garlic Breadstick Corn Broccoli Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Ham w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Sun-Butter Sandwich	23 Salisbury Steak w/ Roll Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Carrots Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Ham w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Sun-Butter Sandwich	24 Apple Cinnamon Texas Toast Sausage Links Tater Tots Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Ham w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Sun-Butter Sandwich	25 Crispy Chicken Sandwich Fries Edamame Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Ham w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Sun-Butter Sandwich	26 Manager's Choice Green Beans Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk No Alternates
29 Chicken on the Beach Tortilla Chips Broccoli Veggies/side salad Fruit variety Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey & Cheese Sandwich	Georgia Cheese Garlic Bread Broccoli Veggies/side salad Fruit variety Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey & Cheese Sandwich	May 1	May 2	May 3 No School

April 2024 Lunch Menu.pdf

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Menu Updates

April 2nd and 3rd- No Salad Options

April 12th- will be Salisbury steak, tacos (soft shell), spaghetti, Crispy Chicken Sandwich and PreSchool/PreK will have mini corn dogs- NO ALTERNATES ON THIS DAY

April 26th- BBQ Pork Rib, Fish Shapes, Chicken Strips, Hamburgers and PreSchool/PreK will have hamburgers- NO ALTERNATES ON THIS DAY

Holly's House-April 15th-19th (Grades K-6th)



Dear Parent:

Holly's House has been invited to present our child abuse prevention program with your child's classroom. Since 2010, over 100,000 students in Gibson, Pike, Posey, Vanderburgh, Spencer, Dubois and Warrick counties have experienced this program. Holly's House teaches students skills to help them stay safe from abusive situations including physical, sexual, and emotional abuse, bullying, and exploitation. Students will be taught the importance of treating others with respect, developing personal boundaries, recognizing healthy versus unhealthy relationships, telling about unsafe secrets and relying on trusted adults to help when there is a concern for their personal safety.

Holly's House also teaches children how to identify sticky situations that are consistently used in predatory crimes against children. The content includes both awareness about being approached by people in face to face situations and through the use of digital communication. Through these age-appropriate presentations, your child will learn essential personal safety skills to improve self-reliance and raise self-esteem, all while being constantly reassured that most people are kind, safe and committed to their well-being. The program also includes lessons on internet safety, the lure of drugs or alcohol, bullying, and school violence prevention.

Children whose parents and guardians support such education are less likely to be bullied, abused or otherwise mistreated. Therefore, we invite you to be our Partner in Prevention by reinforcing the program's safety messages whenever possible.

We truly appreciate the opportunity to share these valuable lessons with your child. In addition, please feel free to contact us anytime with questions. After the program, we invite you to provide feedback through our online parent survey at https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TFSSParentSurvey

Thank you for being a partner in your child's safety,

Donna Grant

Donna Grant Assistant Director, Prevention dgrant@hollyshouse.org

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Saint Wendel Catholic Church Information



WOMEN'S RETREAT COMING THIS MAY

Is there any woman who doesn't want to be beautiful? Every woman longs for beauty, and yet a beauty lacking in truth and goodness can leave her feeling empty. Our Holy Mother Church knows our hearts as women and that our longing for beauty goes

deeper than mere appearances. Join us in this Retreat for Women, to allow the Holy Spirit to beautify your heart and allow it to rest in the heart Our Lord Jesus Christ, He who is beauty, truth, and goodness incarnate. Saturday, May 11 from 8:00am-2:00pm at Saint Wendel Church. The retreat will feature talks from Sister Gabriella Yi, O.P. from the Nashville Dominicans as well opportunities for adoration, reconciliation, and Mass. Lunch will be provided. Cost is \$30. For more information and to register, go to https://faithformation-sfx-sw.weebly.com/womens-retreat.html or contact Sherie Cooley 765.427.8199 scooley@evdio.org





The Saint Wendel Men's Club Annual Golf Scramble - will be held Sunday, May 5th, at Cambridge Golf Course, with a shotgun start at 7:30 am. The cost is \$90.00 per person. Lunch will follow. Reserve your team's entry or sponsor a hole, by calling Duane Koester at 812-483-6048 or Chris Herr at 812-455-0844. Attendance prizes will also be given away! Please join us for this fun outing!

WILL YOU JOIN US AT THE NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS?

NATIONAL Eucharistic Congress

This summer, tens of thousands of Catholics will gather at the feet of Jesus in Indianapolis, boldly anticipating a new Pentecost. The

people of God will come from every corner and every parish in our nation to bring the holy fire back to their local community. Your life—and our Church—will never be the same. Don't miss this historic moment!

Let us know if you are interested in participating in the National Eucharistic Congress! Dates are July 17-21, 2024. Tickets are available for all 5 days or 1-2 days. We would like to organize a parish group. Let us know if you would like to join! Complete the interest survey at https://faithformation-sfx-sw.weebly.com/ or contact Sherie Cooley 765.427.8199 or scooley@evdio.org For more congress details, check out https://eucharisticcongress.org

Making Payment Online

Again, this year you will be able to make tuition payments, lunch payments, 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://osvhub.com/saint-wendel-parish/giving/funds

Mater Dei Information Other Information







Summer Reading Flyer



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