
COUGAR TRACKS

Mission: Saint Joseph Catholic School Community is committed to all students to provide spiritual and personal growth, academic excellence, and service to others.

"Love Like Jesus"

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Mass Schedule

Next week we will have Mass on Tuesday and Thursday. The 3rd & 4th will have Mass parts. All parents, grandparents, and parishioners are welcome join us!



Speech Meet

This weekend some of our 7th & 8th grade students will participate in the regional speech meet in Boonville. They will all be presenting duet speeches. We know they will represent St. Joe well!

Penny Hoff & Addi Vollrath, Tyson Martin & Lucas Watring, Bennett Schuster & Jackson Inskip, and Charlie Watring & Natan Imhoff

AR Pizza Party/3rd Qtr.

Incentive

Those students that met their AR goal for the 2nd quarter enjoyed a pizza party on Wednesday. Congratulations to all students that meet their AR goal! For the 3rd quarter students that meet their AR goal will have an ice cream party.

Inclement Weather

As with the last few snow days parents will be notified via OptionC alerts in the event of a snow day. It will also be on local news stations. Since we utilize the public school bus system we follow what they decided. We have six snow days built into our calendar so the previous snow days will not have to be made up.

Grade Cards

2nd quarter report cards have been sent home or are being sent home today for students in PK-8th grade. Students in 1st-8th grade will have Star reports and new AR goals, if they were not sent home before break. If you have any questions about your child's progress, please do not hesitate to reach out to your child's teacher to discuss.

No School

There is no school on Monday, January 20th in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

Honor Roll

Congratulations to our students that made honor roll for the 2nd quarter! These students can invite a guest to join them for donuts after Mass on Tuesday, January 21st in the church basement, approximately 8:45.

Distinguished Honor Roll: Natan Imhoff, Tyson Martin, Henry Stark, Lucas Watring, Kody Fenical, Penny Hoff, Walker Mitchell, Bennett Schuster, Miles Schuster, Addi Vollrath, Marina Wirths, Lila Imhoff, Aria Kliethermes, Willa Wolfe, Joseph Inskip, Cora Kammerich, Eli Shadwick, Henry Watring, Allison Wolfe, Brennan Imhoff, Wade Leonard, Payton Chadwick, Jed Fenical, Alivia Ivy, Isla Kammerich, Jayce Lorenz, Stella Reuter, John Schuster, William Schuster, Brock Shadwick, Greta Watring, and Boone Williams.

Honor Roll: Colton Hodges, Owen Rental, Charlie Watring, Cole Weber, Audrey Wolfe, Jackson Inskip, Savannah Watring, Emma Wolfe, Heath Fenical, Garrett Hodges, and Dean Martin

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 1/18-Regional Speech Meet
- 1/20-No School
- 1/21-2nd Quarter Honor Roll Donuts
- 1/24-CSW Lock-In
- 1/26-All School Mass
- 1/27-1/31-Catholic Schools Week
- 2/4-Blood Drive
- 2/6-Home & School Meeting
- 2/7-Mid-Quarter

All School Mass

Our next All School Mass will be on Sunday, January 26th at 8:30. Students with Mass parts are listed below. We will have one more Mass on Sunday, March 2nd. If your child will not be able to make it, please let Mrs. Watring know as soon as possible.

Servers: Lucas Watring and Bennett Schuster

Song Leader: Willa Wolfe

1st Reading: Tyson Martin

Response: Henry Stark

2nd Reading: Marina Wirths

Petitions: Stella Reuter, Payton Chadwick, Jayce

Lorenz, Brock Shadwick, Colter Ivy, Connor

Kliethermes, Caden Tavenner, and Charlotte

Leonard

Baskets: Ben Fenical, Jack Fenical, Maverick Fosse, and Bennett Lorenz

Superintendent Visit

Dr. Vader, our superintendent will be visiting our school next Tuesday, the 21st. She will join us for Mass and donuts and then visit the classrooms.

We love having her visit to see the great things happening at St. Joe!



Super Student Shout Out

PK: Beckett Grissum

K: Oliver Sommer

1st & 2nd: Oakley Dodson

3rd & 4th: John Schuster

5th & 6th: Garrett Hodges

7th & 8th: Miles Schuster

Catholic Schools Week

Next week we will kick off Catholic Schools Week with the all-school lock-in on Friday night! The following week, 1/27-1/31, there will be different themed dress up days. An outline of the week is included in folders this week along with a permission slip for the lock-in. Any parents interested in volunteering to help at the lock-in or donate an item can make it on the permission slip.

This year each class is choosing a state to learn more about and then transforming their classroom into that state! We are inviting parents and grandparents to come and vacation with us! The classrooms will be open for tours on Friday, January 31st from 7:45-8:30 and from 2:00-2:45. Parents and grandparents are welcome to come visit at that time, but there is no obligation. We will also be making video tours of each classroom and posting them on Dojo for families to see.

Virtue

Our 2nd quarter virtue was compassion. Throughout the quarter we focused on showing compassion to our classmates through our actions and words. The following students showed exemplary compassion during the 2nd quarter:

PK: Ayven Inskeep **3rd & 4th:** John Schuster

K: Maverick Fosse **5th & 6th:** Aria Kliethermes

1st & 2nd: Nora Stark **7th & 8th:** Natan Imhoff

Super Student Shout-Out

Our Super Students are listed below. The positive attributes we are looking for are:

1. Showing respect for others
2. Taking responsibility for their actions
3. Practicing kindness and empathy
4. Demonstrating strong work ethic.

Virtue of the Quarter: Kindness

- Kindness means showing God's love through our words and actions by being caring, gentle, and thoughtful toward others.

Saint of the Month: St. Anthony of the Desert

