



The Saints Go Marching On!

**UPCOMING
EVENTS.**

- MARCH 22
Mass 10:00 a.m.
- MARCH 23 & 24
NO SCHOOL
Spring Break
- MARCH 29
Mass 10:00 a.m.
- MARCH 30
3rd, 4th & 5th to
Shrine Circus
- MARCH 31
Roller Skating at
Woodbury
End 3rd Quarter
- APRIL 4
Report Cards
- APRIL 5
Mass 10:00 a.m.
- APRIL 6
3rd & 4th to SS
Sugar Bush
Farm
- APRIL 7
Adoration 1:30
p.m.
Potluck/movie
night
Year Book Or-
ders Due
- APRIL 12
Mass 10:00 a.m.
- APRIL 14 & 17
NO SCHOOL
Happy Easter
- APRIL 19
Mass 10:00 a.m.
Early Out 12:40

Dear Parents & Students,

March is National Reading Month and to celebrate I have challenged the kids to read 200 books by March 31st. Please encourage your child to sit down each night to read. It is proven that students who read on a daily basis will also have higher math scores (as reported by the National Education Association). Please watch our chart in the front hallway to see the students' progress in reaching their goal of 200 books.

During this season of Lent students in grades 2nd through 8th will be participating in reconciliation. Each grade will have a time where as a class they will go to the church, reflect, have an opportunity for reconciliation, and post reflection time. This is a time for our students to prepare for the coming Easter season. We are lucky to have a priest who is so willing to make this a personalized experience for our children. Our 5th grade class will also be leading us in the Stations of the Cross during Mass on April 12th.

Our school is very lucky to have a community that supports and helps to provides cultural opportunities for our students. Students in grades Kindergarten through 8th grade will be guests of The New Richmond Fine Arts Council at a Mu Daiko Drum performance on Monday, March 20th. This is a group that performs a repertoire of traditional, contemporary, and original Taiko compositions. Another wonderful opportunity is being offered by The New Richmond Shriners. On March 30th the 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders will be their guests at the Shrine Circus in the cities.

The rehearsals for the spring musical are underway and the students are doing a marvelous job learning their lines and songs! Ticket night will be held on Thursday, April 6th from 6:00-7:00 P.M. To insure that all families get tickets, each family will be able to reserve 4 tickets to start. Starting on Monday, April 10th the remaining tickets will be made available. Remember there is no cost for the ticket but a free will offering will be collected at each performances. Performances will be held at the Gem Theater on Friday, April 28th at 1:00 & 6:00 P.M.

With the new phone system that was installed parents now have access to the After School Care program after the office is closed. Follow the steps below:

Call the school number: 715-246-2469

Once the voice message begin enter 246

Your call will be transferred to the multi-purpose room.

I hope everyone has a nice spring break next Thursday & Friday. Hopefully Mother Nature will cooperate and send us some warm spring weather!

Blessings, Mrs. J

Monday's Field Trip

The drum performance (Mu Daiko) at Paperjack Elementary on Monday is made possible by a generous grant given by the New Richmond Fine Arts Council. The \$1 cost is for the bus.

This organization has been promoting participation in and appreciation of the arts in the New Richmond area since 1959. The NRFAC is funded solely through memberships and free-will contributions.

PRESCHOOL NEWS

In preschool a couple weeks ago we decided to go on a vacation to HAWAII! We hopped on an airplane and went to warm weather! When we were on vacation we learned how hot it can get down there, and where Hawaii is located at. We even learned how long it would take to get there.

One of the children's favorite games that we played was feeding the shark. We blind folded the child, then spun them, and then they had to feed the shark (pin the fish on the shark).

During this week the children got to wear flip flops, shorts, and sun glasses. **THEY LOVED IT!**

God Bless from: Ms. Anderson Preschool and Wrap Around

Bits-n-Pieces Mrs. Mitchell

Year book order forms are in the family folder. I must have the number of orders by April 7th.

Home, School, & Church minutes are attached.

PLAN AHEAD! The last day of school is Thursday, June 1st and it is an early out day. **THERE WILL BE NO AFTER SCHOOL CARE** that day.