

# Shamrock News

4/12/19

We would like to congratulate kindergarten teacher Mrs. Cortney Smith and welcome her as our PS – 8th grade principal for the 2019-20 school year. Mr. Hodge will serve as the high school principal for the 2019-20 school year.

<u>Diocesan Survey</u>: It is time to complete the annual diocesan satisfaction survey. Please take the time to complete this survey at your earliest convenience. We truly value and appreciate your feedback. <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/">https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/</a>
<a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/">CatholicIdentityParents-Community18-19</a>

(Note: this survey is available in both English and Spanish. The first question will determine in which language the survey will appear.)

<u>Thursday, April 18</u>: There is no hot lunch on Thursday, April 18. Please see the attached letter regarding the Rice Bowl Project. Please note there will be busing at the end of the day on this date.

Report Cards: You should have received an email today to inform you that the third quarter report cards for students in grades DK-12 are available on the Infinite Campus Portal. Please log into the portal, select the appropriate student, select Reports, select Report Card and the appropriate grade level if applicable, view/print.

#### **Congratulations**:

- To 2nd grade student Skylan Bowie who was baptized this past weekend.
- To the varsity boys basketball team who received recognition for being named Basketball Coaches Association of Michigan (BCAM) Honorable Mention Academic All-State.
- To senior Brandon Scheurer who was named Basketball Coaches Association of Michigan (BCAM) Academic All-State in boys basketball.

#### Friday, April 19

No School - Good Friday

Monday, April 22
Full day of school

Sports Physical Forms: In order to participate in practices and play games on a St. Patrick School team, a sports physical must be on file in the school office for all athletes in grades 5-12. The forms can be found on the school website under the About Us tab (in Documents/Forms), on the Michigan High School Athletic Association website, or in the school office. Plan ahead and schedule a physical now. The form will be good for all sports throughout the 2019-20 school year when dated after April 14.

<u>New Website</u>: The newly designed St. Patrick School website is now online. We have done our best to make it look and act like the old site. If you are having trouble finding anything, please contact the webmaster for assistance at stpatrickshamrocks@gmail.com.

**Shorts Season**: Students may wear uniform shorts to school. Shorts may not be worn to Mass.

High School Yearbooks: High school yearbooks are now on sale. Buy the 2017-2018 yearbook for \$45 and the 2018-2019 yearbook for \$45. There is a \$5 discount per book for those who buy both (\$80 total--The discount is available to those who preordered the 2017-2018 yearbook.). In-school sales during lunch have started. Please contact a high school yearbook staff member at 2019spsyearbook@gmail.com for more information.

#### A reminder to use blue or black ink only for writing checks:

Our financial institution requires that we use blue or black ink when writing checks to St. Patrick School or Parish. The scanners will not read other colors and the check will be rejected.



### **Calendar of Events**



4/12	Var. Track @ Fowler Invitational 4p		Drama Club Grades 3-5 5:30-6:30
4/13	Var. SB @ Coldwater Invitational 9a	4/17	8th Grade NET Retreat 7:30a-2:30p
4/14	CMAC Senior Scholar Banquet @ Eagle Eye 4p		Stations of the Cross for grades K-12 9:30a
	Athletic Association Meeting in Parish Hall 6:30p		Art Club grades 6-12 2:30-4p
4/15	Play Practice Grades 6-12 2:30p		Var. BB & SB @ Potterville 4p
	Golf vs. Fulton @ The Emerald 3:30p		Var. Track CMAC Tri @ P-W 4:30p
	Var. BB & SB @ Ashley 4p		PTO Meeting in room 115 6p
	MS Track vs. P-W & Dansville @ Dansville 4:30p	4/18	Rice Bowl Lunch - No hot lunch today
4/16	PFCU - Student Branch open during lunches		Coding Club in room 200 2:20-3:45p
	Play Practice Grades 6-12 2:30p		Play Practice Grades 6-12 2:30p
	Chess Club MS 2:30-3:40p		Var. Golf vs. P-W @ Huckleberry Creek 3:30p
	Var. Golf vs. Bath @ Timber Ridge 3:30p	4/19	NO SCHOOL - Good Friday
	Chess Club Grades 3-5 3:50-5:00p		

#### PTO Color Fun Run/Walk

Please join the St. Patrick School PTO for their first annual color fun run/walk. The event will be held Saturday May 18th at the Red Mill Pavilion. Event starts at 9:00am. Late registration starts at 8:00am. The course is 1.5 miles. Each participant will receive a white shirt to wear for the event. Cost is \$15 if you register before May 10th and \$20 on race day. Maximum cost to a family is \$50 regardless of the number of participants (must register prior to May 10th). Awards will be given for the most festive dress, most school spirit, most colorful, oldest participant, and youngest participant. The SPS class with the highest percentage of class participants will receive an out of dress code day. Event packets can be picked up on Friday, May 17th from 4-6pm at the Parish Hall or the morning of the event. Minimum of 30 participants required for the event to take place.



#### ALOHA

Tuition Raffle Tickets are only \$20 each and the prize is 1/2 off the tuition of your first student at SPS! You do not need to be present to win. Tickets can be purchased

online or in the school office. There is still time to secure your spot to the Shamrock Auction on April 27. Entry tickets get you an all-you-can-eat luau-themed meal and drinks for the night. Buy your \$20 entry ticket and raffle tickets online at: <a href="http://bidpal.net/shamrockauction2019">http://bidpal.net/shamrockauction2019</a>.



## St. Patrick Rice Bowl Project 2019



Each year the junior high school helps put together the Rice Bowls for St. Patrick Parish. We are holding our 6<sup>th</sup> annual school wide Rice Bowl Project.

The students will be provided a hotdog and chip lunch. This will be provided by the staff and student council of St. Patrick School. In the spirit of Lent we ask that a free will donation be contributed to the large Rice Bowl created for the project. One of the suggested Catholic Relief Services activities is eating a conservative family meal and giving the saved portion to the project. We are taking this idea and doing it as a school family wide Rice Bowl Project.

The recommended donation is what you would normally spend on your school lunch. Please bring your donation to school on Thursday, April 18, when the hotdog lunch will be provided in the cafeteria. At the end of the lunch line you can place your donation in the Rice Bowl and enjoy your lunch knowing that you have made a difference for many needy families. If your child is unable to have a hotdog lunch please bring a sack lunch.

The proceeds of the project will be contributed to the Catholic Relief Services Collection at the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday.

Thank you for support of the project.

Patrick Russman St. Patrick School

# St. Patrick High School and Middle School

# Honor Roll for Third Quarter 2018-2019

#### 12th Grade

Zakary Arwood Alana Brown Leah Cook Paul Cook Cordelia FoxElster Annalise Gunderman Alexis Hass Jerika Kihn Kaitlyn Kwiecinski Nathaniel Leahy Nathan Lehnert **Brett Price** Jacob Pung Jenna Pung Summer Russman **Brandon Scheurer** Kara Shaw Natalie Smith **Grace Timmer** 

#### 11th Grade

Joseph Timmer

Stephen Wernet

William Trierweiler

Graham Wohlscheid

**Gracelyn Bowers** Tyler Coyne Jeffrey Davlin Seth Hoppes Alexander Kissane Leah Kissane Riley Kissane Ryan Lay Mya Luna Samuel Mauren Judith Pohl Anna Schasser **Edward Smith** Zachary Spitzley **Breton Weller** Emma Weller Veronica White

#### 10th Grade

Karley Beachnau Aurora Beckhold Marlie Bengel **Brice Cook Connor Cross** Chase Fitzsimmons Austin Fleischer Devon FoxElster Matthew Frazee Lindsey Hodge Brian Kwiecinski Hailee Lay Marian Pearson Colette Pohl Emma Scheurer Evan Schrauben **Amy Shaw Grace Thelen** Sophia White Avery Zimmerman

#### 9th Grade

Peyton Brown
Shane Cook
Sarah Davlin
Kayla Florian
Jamelyn Forist
Cole Kinsman
Tessa Lawson
Irene Mackowiak
Lydia Meredith
Isabella Myers
Katelyn Russell
Carly Scheurer
Mara Schrauben
Christy VanderMey
Abigail Weller

#### 8th Grade

Zachary Boyd Cozette Brown Simon Brown William Chislea Hannah Fears Alex Fedewa Hayley Fleischer Moriah Hass Emma Honsowitz Mya Kahn Nicholas Rooks Payton Russman Samantha Smith Joshua Snitgen Natalee Teachworth Mekbul Timmer Martin White

#### 7th Grade

Devin Cook Alaina Forist Arianna FoxElster Kyra Kinsman Isabelle Kissane Therese Mackowiak Ellavna Meredith Nevaeh Miller Riley Mosser Olivia Pung Tessa Roe Victoria Sandborn Addison Scheurer Rylee Scheurer Sophia Schrauben **Emily Snitgen** Marley Weems Nicole Weems Hannah Weller

#### 6th Grade

Samantha Fears Kenzie Fedewa Anna Morris Krish Muralidhara Canaan Pohl Erica Russman Isabella Russman Brayden Simon Kayra Vazquez Gabriel Wernet Simon White

## Attention SPS Parents, Family & Friends!



# SAVE THE DATE





# Saturday, April 27 @ the Portland K of C Hall Begins at 6:00 p.m. Tickets are \$20 / person

#### Don't miss this night of fun!

Tickets include delicious food, drinks, and entry into the Shamrock appreciation raffle, as well as a live and silent auction, raffles, 50/50, entertainment and more!

The Shamrock Auction fundraiser was implemented in 2003 in an effort to boost fundraising profits. It has become one of the largest fundraisers for the school with proceeds split 50/50 between the school and athletic association. With your help, we hope 2019 is the year we surpass \$1,000,000 in total funds raised to date.

To reach this goal, we are asking every St. Patrick School family to donate \$25 cash or an item that will bring at least that value at the auction. Please complete the donation commitment form attached at the bottom of this letter no later than Friday, March 1, 2019.

All donations can be turned into the School Office between the hours of 9:00-3:00 and must be dropped off by April 1, 2019. Questions? Contact Mike or Ann Kissane @ kissanes@hotmail.com

As always, thanks for your continued support for St. Patrick School.

Mike & Ann Kissane and Jason & Jennifer Chamberlain, Shamrock Auction Co-chairs

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Family Name:	Donation:	Unable to donate
	Cash amount/description of item	