

Shamrock News

<u>MAPS Testing</u>: Spring MAPS testing for students in grades K-8 will be taking place over the next couple of weeks. Please make sure students eat a good breakfast and get a good night's sleep. Virtual students will test at another time.

<u>St. Patrick School Virtual Open House</u>: The virtual open house video is now available on Youtube at <u>https://youtube/</u> AonJI IM4cw.

Would you like to share a testimonial about St. Patrick School? You can easily submit one by going here <u>https://</u> <u>catholicschools4u.org/blog/share-why-you-love-your-familys-</u> <u>catholic-school</u>.

Progress Reports: An email was sent to all parents this week to inform you that progress reports for the fourth quarter (students in grades 3-12) are available on Infinite Campus. In order to view your student(s) progress report, please log into the portal, select Documents, select the appropriate report, view/print.

Elementary and Middle School Yearbooks: Order forms were sent home to order your elementary and middle school yearbooks. They are \$11 each and checks should be made out to HR Imaging. The due date for orders has been extended to <u>May 4.</u>

High School Yearbooks: High school yearbooks are \$30 each until April 30, and for \$35 starting May 1. Contact <u>annebennett@portlandstpats.org</u> with questions. Make checks payable to HR Imaging. You may also purchase books online at <u>http:// book.hrimaging.com/</u>. The discount does not apply for online purchases.

Found: A Nintendo Switch game was found in a St. Patrick parking lot. We have it in the office.

St. Patrick Athletics Rapid Testing Program: All spring sport participants ages 13 - 19 will be tested for Covid-19 on Monday mornings at 7:15. Doors open at 7:10. Students should report to their 1st hour teacher, make a lunch choice then report to their testing room.

May 5, 12, 19 & 26 No Buses - PPS virtual instruction days

Friday, May 14 & 28 No Buses - Portland Public Schools not in session

SPS Middle School Football: St. Patrick School is proud to announce that we will be offering a middle school football program for the fall of 2021. We will be part of the Central Michigan 8-Man Football Conference. The first practice will be Monday, August 23rd. Our MS Football Head Coach is Mr. Joe Cook. Your child will need a physical to begin practices. We encourage all of our middle school students who are interested in playing football to participate in our program. Registration forms were passed out to 5-7 grade students and are available from Mr. Russman.

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 2021-22 school year when dated after April 14.

Students not returning for the 2021-2022 school year: Families will need to complete an exit survey to be unenrolled for the 2021-2022 school year. Exit surveys can be obtained by contacting the school office. If you fail to notify the school about unenrolling a child by June 1, 2021, your SMART Tuition account will be billed for the upcoming school year.

Go Shamrocks!

Calendar of Events



St. Patrick School

122 West Street

Portland, MI 48875

portlandstpats.com

4/30/21

St. Patrick Catholic School ShopWithScrip*

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More information can be found at: portlandstpats.com/school/home/parents/scrip/ Shopwithscrip.com You can also contact your Scrip coordinator: Julie Wight Email : Scrip@PortlandStPats.org Phone: 517-449-6597







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