



Shamrock News

The yearly St. Patrick School Calendar is [here](#).

8/29/24

Morning drop-off procedure: Students dropped off before 8:20 a.m. must be signed in at before-school childcare in room 209. Elementary students can begin to be dropped off **after 8:20 a.m.** Supervision is provided from 8:20-8:35 a.m. Students will enter the school at 8:35 a.m.

Picture Days: Students in grades preschool - 5th will be photographed on **Tuesday, September 3**, and preschool and 6-8 on **Wednesday, September 4**. Students must dress in school uniform. Any high school student who was absent for orientation will be photographed on Sept 3. Please note that picture re-take day has been scheduled for Tuesday, October 22. To order pictures online: inter-state.com/order the order code is: 90321RA. If you need a paper order form please stop in the office.

Parent/Student Handbooks: Handbooks were emailed to parents last week. The completed forms are due in the school office as soon as possible. Please contact the office if you need a hardcopy of the handbook or the last page, which needs to be signed.

Text or Email Reminds for Parents: Don't miss out on important reminders and emergency information. For grades PS-8 text 81010 with the message @4464h2. For high school text 757.847.9886 with the message @793fhh. You can also receive them via email by going to remind.com. This app allows you to receive the messages in real time for emergencies and general information. The school website and Facebook page are also great sources for information.

NHS Blood Drive: EMERGENCY BLOOD SHORTAGE! St. Pat's NHS is hosting our first blood drive of the year on September 24th from 8AM to 2PM in the Parish Hall. Please sign up to donate today at redcrossblood.org The need is urgent!

Mega Rock Raffle Tickets: Tickets were sent home to school families last week. Please consider purchasing the tickets. This is our main fundraiser for the parish, school and athletic programs. Students receive an out of dress code slip for every 4 tickets that are sold.

Shamrock Pride

Friday - Monday Aug. 30-Sept. 2

No School - Labor Day Break
Daycare closed Sept. 2

Friday, Sept. 13

No afternoon busing—Portland Public Schools 1/2 day of School

Friday, Sept. 27

1/2 Day of School - Parent/Teacher Conferences
No Preschool, No After-School Childcare

St. Patrick Sporting Apparel

Click on the links below to see what is available for each sport. Choose from t-shirts, long sleeved shirts, or sweatshirts.



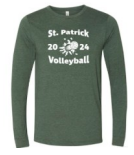
[Cross Country](#)

This Pre-Order will close on August 30th, 2024 at 8pm. Please make sure all orders are submitted before then. All garments will print and distribute within 2-3 weeks of the Pre-Order close date.



[Football](#)

This Pre-Order will close on September 2nd, 2024 at 8pm. Please make sure all orders are submitted before then. All garments will print and distribute within 2-3 weeks of the Pre-Order close date.



[Volleyball](#)

This Pre-Order will close on September 10th, 2024 at 8pm. Please make sure all orders are submitted before then. All garments will print and distribute within 2-3 weeks of the Pre-Order close date.

PPS Bus Route Reduction (Aug/Sept 2024) - Weekly

Week	No Transportation		
Aug 21 - Aug 23	Bus A (4)	Bus B (5)	Bus C (11)
Aug 26 - Aug 29	Bus D (14)	Bus E (12)	Bus F (16)
Sep 3 - Sep 6	Bus G (17)	Bus H (1)	Bus I (2)
Sep 9 - Sep 13	Bus J (3)	Bus K (15)	Bus L (18)
Sep 16 - Sep 20	Bus A (4)	Bus B (5)	Bus C (11)
Sep 23 - Sep 27	Bus D (14)	Bus E (12)	Bus F (16)
Sep 30 - Oct 4	Bus G (17)	Bus H (1)	Bus I (2)



Calendar of Events



8/30-9/2 No School - Labor Day Break
8/30 Var. FB vs. Coleman @ PHS 7p
9/3 Picture day for PS-5
9/4 Picture day for PS & 6-8
Mass for grades 9-12 9:30a
JV & Var. VB vs. Laingsburg @ SPS 5:30p

9/5 Mass for grades DK-8 9:30a
9/7 5/6 VB vs. St. Mary & St. Gerard @ SPS 10a
Var. CC @ Central Montcalm Inv. 10a
5/6 VB vs. Our Savior Lutheran & St. Mary @ SPS 12:30p
Class of 1974 - 50th Reunion
Var. FB vs. Webberville @ PHS 7p
9/8-10 Senior Class Trip to Mackinaw

2024 Fall Trap Open House Thursday, September 5th 6:30pm to 8pm



2023 Spring Trap Conference Champs

Join us at **Oak Hill Gun Club** 1900 S. Pline Rd, Lyons MI 48851. Learn more about competitive trap shooting. Coaches will answer any questions that you may have. See additional information below.

SPS Trap 2024 Fall Season

Open to students in grades 6-12 League info available at miclaytarget.com
New shooters will need to complete hunters safety before the season starts.
Sports physical needed on record.

Shooting Days:

All Shooting during the league takes place at Oak Hill Gun Club. Student must shoot 2 competition rounds of 25 shells each per week during the following available times:

Thursdays 6pm-8pm (competition scored).

(Minimum two practice rounds per week are encouraged to enhance skills)

Coaches: Craig Corbeil, Mike Bozung, Troy Smith

2024 Fall League Schedule

- 8/1:** Team and student athlete registration opens
- 9/9:** **Athlete registration closes – All Athletes must be registered by this date – NO EXCEPTIONS**
- 9/18:** Conferences announced
- 10/29:** Final Results published

- 9/5:** Practice & Open House
- 9/12:** Practice
- 9/19:** Practice/Reserve Week
- 9/26:** Week 1
- 10/3:** Week 2
- 10/10:** Week 3
- 10/17:** Week 4
- 10/24:** Week 5 – Last competition week

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