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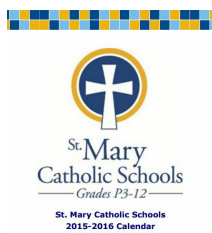
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SMCS Email News Update

Please note that SMCS schools will have regular office hours Monday-Wednesday of next week. On Thursday and Friday (August 25 and 26), the offices will be closed for all-faculty and staff meetings and a retreat.

If you moved or changed your email address or phone number, you must update your contact information. The registration database is used for the directory and by the business, food service, school and advancement offices for all contacts information--no need to notify us anywhere else! Please check to be sure that we have your current information by [clicking here](#).

End of summer got you down? Mark your calendar for some fun family activities as the new school year begins! In addition to events planned by individual schools, don't forget about **SMCS Night at Badger Sports Park** on **September 8** (a fundraiser for the Zephyrs



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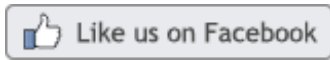
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football teams) and **Grade/Middle School Nights** at the **football** game on **September 9** and at the **volleyball** game on **September 15!**

And plan for a nice night out with other parents at the middle school's **Meet Me in the Middle** on **Friday, September 16**--more details to come soon!

Finally, please consider sponsoring the printed version of our **SMCS Family Directory**. See below for details.

2016-17 SMCS Calendar

Click right below the calendar icon to the left for a link to the calendar page on our website.

The following additions or changes were made this week to the SMCS 2016-17 calendar.

Oct 6 Homecoming Gathering for Alumni @ FAEC

Back by Popular Demand!

SMCS will print a family directory for the 2016-17 school year. Please consider promoting your business to other SMCS families while helping to defray the cost of this project by submitting your 2 x 3.5" business card or advertisement to the [director of communications](#) by **September 9, 2016**.

Please send your check made payable to St. Mary Catholic Schools in the amount of \$25.00 to: SMCS Directory, 1050 Zephyr Drive, Neenah, WI 54956, or submit it to your school office.

Zephyr Athletic Apparel **Deadline Extended!**

Show your Zephyr pride by sporting a t-shirt showing your favorite fall athletic team!

Scroll to the bottom of the [APPAREL page](#) on the SMCS website to find links for **girls tennis, boys soccer, volleyball and cross country**, as well as general **Zephyr athletics** and **Booster Backer** apparel. The deadline has been extended, but only until midnight on *Sunday, August 21*, so order today!

New! Scrip Schedule

The last day of summer Scrip pick up at St. Mary Catholic High School will be on Thursday, September 1. *There will be no Scrip during the week of Labor Day (September 5-9), and the **first delivery to schools will be on Thursday, September 15.***

If you need to change your pick-up location for the school year, send the request to [Ann Harris](#) in the business office ASAP.

Don't forget, all online orders need to be placed by 9:00 a.m. on Monday morning for pick up on Thursday.

SMCS Enrichment Update

The [SMCS Enrichment Program](#) will continue to offer after-school enrichment classes this year for elementary and middle school students! This year we will offer two registration opportunities, and the one for first semester will open on **September 1, 2016.**

Classes will include karate (classes available for preK - middle school), hip hop, VEX IQ Robotics (STEM), Club Invention, KidStage, Girls on the Run, art, lacrosse, Wonder League Robotics (STEM), Zumba and math club. Click here to view the [enrichment schedule](#) for this semester's classes.

Join the SMCS Athletic Committee

The SMCS athletic committee is a *system-wide* group that provides support and guidance to the SMCS athletic directors and administration in developing and promoting the system's sports programs. Their first meeting of the year will be held on Wednesday, **September 7 at 6:30 p.m.** in the IMC at St. Mary Catholic High School, and anyone interested in becoming part of the committee is encouraged to attend.

Employment Opportunities

St. Mary Catholic Schools is looking to fill a few positions, including:

*After-school care provider at St. Gabriel

[Click here](#) for more information and a link to the

application.

In the Media

Did you get your SMCS Newsletter? If you like what you read, why not share your copy or tell your friends and family that they can [read it online!](#)

Support SMCS Athletics, Clubs and Fine Arts

* Choose your level of support and become an **SMCS Booster Backer**. You will earn passes to all Big East Conference home and away games and obtain the newest, *exclusive* Zephyr apparel and gear, available only to SMCS Booster Backer members! [Learn more here!](#)

*Choose your level of sponsorship and become a corporate or friends **sponsor of the SMCS Fine Arts program!** You will enjoy advertisement recognition in the playbills and program booklets for all student fine arts productions, all while supporting the growth of our fine arts opportunities. [Learn more here!](#)

CONNECT 5

This year, the Connect 5 run/walk will raise money for the SMCS Booster Club! The event will be held on **Saturday, October 1**, and will start and finish on the campus of St. Mary Catholic Middle & High Schools. Entertainment and booster-run cash concessions will be available following the walk/run.

It's not too early to start collecting sponsorships, and there's a great reason to start now! The participant who raises the most sponsorship dollars will win four tickets to the Packers/Cowboys game on October 16!

See the [Connect 5 flyer](#) for details and [register online](#) today!

Uniform Shopping? New promotion

Save 35% at [Lands' End](#) from August 19-22 using the promo code POPQUIZ and PIN 8114. Every Lands' End Uniform order of \$50 or more ships free!

School Supply Lists

The [2016-17 school supply lists](#) for our elementary and middle school students are available on the website. High school students do not have a specific list, but should come to school with general supplies and will be informed by their teachers as to what is needed for specific courses.

In the Community

Substitute Teacher Training

CESA 6 is offering training for "new-to-subbing" adults who hold a (four-year) bachelor's degree from an accredited institution of higher education, but do not already have a teaching license or a substitute teacher permit. Training, which costs \$100, includes a comprehensive introduction to the field and assistance with the three-year permit application requirements and process.

The one-day classes will take place at the CESA 6 Conference Center in Oshkosh, and will be offered on **August 25, September 23** and **November 5** from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

For additional information contact Nancy Jaeger at njaeger@cesa6.org or 920-236-0508, or visit their website.

Janssen Forum Speaker Series

Click on the link for the full calendar of Mount Tabor Center's [Janssen Forum Speaker Series 2016-17](#). This year's theme is "touched by mercy."

Each event begins with Mass at 11:15 a.m. in the Mount Tabor Center chapel, followed by a light lunch and the guest speaker at noon. The cost is \$7.00 per session or \$56 for the entire series.

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