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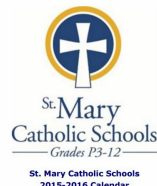
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SMCS Email Newsletter

Our first fundraiser of the year, the middle school's Meet Me in the Middle will take place next Friday evening, **September 16**. Don't miss the opportunity to win a Big Green Egg grill in their raffle! And, mark your calendar for St. Gabriel Elementary's annual **Brewfest**, which will take place on Friday, October 21 at the Riverwalk Hotel in Neenah. Check back next week for event and ticket information!

See you tonight at Grade/Middle School Night! Go Zephyrs!



[2016-17 Calendar](#)

Revised

2016-17 SMCS Calendar

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

No additions or changes were made this week to the SMCS 2016-17 calendar.

August 26, 2016

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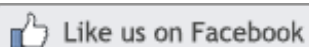
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SMCS Grade/Middle School Nights!

We have *two* exciting nights of Zephyr fun at the upcoming SMCS Grade/Middle School Nights at **football tonight** and **volleyball on Thursday, September 15!** Fans in eighth grade or younger will receive free admission, popcorn and a Zephyr Gatorade! Hang out and have your picture taken with the Zephyrator. Stay tuned for info about cool prizes or contact [Liz Uhlenbrauck](#) for details at 722-7796 ext 157.

A Big Green Egg for You

WIN a BIG Green Egg and help raise funds for Meet Me In The Middle!

Buy your \$10 raffle ticket today to win a Large Big Green Egg grill complete with accessories and charcoal! Contact any middle school parent or the St. Mary Catholic Middle School office to purchase your tickets today. Drawing will be held on Friday, September 16 at 8:30 p.m. at the Meet Me In The Middle 'BBQ & Bluegrass' event.

Tickets for the event can be purchased at the school and are [available online](#).

The Directory Project **Deadline Extended**

SMCS will offer the option of a printed family directory for the 2016-17 school year. Additionally, an electronic PDF version will be available to all at no cost.

The more sponsors we are able to secure, the lower the cost of the printed version for families will be, so 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 16, 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.

VIRTUS Requirements --change of time/location****

Please note that the time and location of the

Virtus training session tomorrow, **Saturday, September 10** are different than originally stated. It will take place from 8:30 a.m. to noon in The Commons at St. Mary Catholic High School.

Contact [SMCS Business Director Jeanne Lee](#) for details.

Weekend Parking Limited

Please note that the parking lots at the high school/middle school campus will be resurfaced over the course of the next two weekends.

For the weekend of September 11/12, on Saturday, the resurfacing will occur in the north driveway (by the tennis courts) and back to the middle school area. It will also include the parking lot in front of the high school. You will be able to access the parking lot behind the high school by using the south driveway (by the FAEC) on Saturday morning and early afternoon. Once the volleyball teams return from their games on Saturday and the VIRTUS class in the HS Commons ends, the resurfacing will be extended to the South driveway.

On Sunday the resurfacing will continue in all of these locations and we will not be allowed to access the campus.

Win Packer Tickets!

This year's **Connect 5** run/walk will raise money for the SMCS Booster Club and the event will be held on **Saturday, October 1, 2016**.

Be the participant who raises the most sponsorship dollars and win ***four tickets to the Packers/ Cowboys game on October 16!***

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

SMCS/St. Baldrick's Event

SMCS is grateful for the support of CCFF (Children's Cancer Family Foundation) and Festival Foods in co-sponsoring our third annual St. Baldrick's Head-Shaving Event, which will be held on **Saturday, September 24** at the Festival Foods parking lot in Neenah from 8:00-

4:00.

You can get involved by raising money to shave your head, getting a hair extension, purchasing food, playing games, making a donation, or just coming out and showing your support for others who are shaving. Don't go bald alone! Bring a friend, or your whole team!

Visit the [SMCS site on the St. Baldrick's website](#) to sign up for a shave; or purchase icons at the checkout lanes in Festival Foods between September 10-24. Please support local children in their fight against cancer and its life-altering side effects. Questions? Contact Mona Sherwood (486-1211) or Sue Peters (540-8239) for more information.

SMCS Enrichment Sign Up

[Complete your registration](#) for preschool, elementary and middle school enrichment is now open! New classes added this week include: Middle School Karate (Wednesdays for 9 weeks), Preschool Math club (Wednesdays for 6 weeks) and Art Classes at St. Gabriel Elementary (Tuesdays for 9 weeks).

Please consult the [SMCS Enrichment Program](#) on the website for additional enrichment information and for fall schedules that list starting weeks for other classes.

Contact enrichment@smcatholicschools.org with any ideas for classes at your campus.

Welcome Signs

A special message to new SMCS Families--we hope you and your family enjoyed the welcome sign that appeared in your front yard in recent weeks!

Did you know that you can trade it in for the sign that has our logo and URL in place of the welcome message? It's a great way for us to be responsible stewards by reusing the welcome signs and for you to continue sharing your enthusiasm for SMCS!

Stop in at your school office to exchange your sign at your convenience. Signs are available to

any SMCS family or business who wants to show their Zephyr pride!



Zephyr Basketball Club Registration

Registration for [Zephyr Basketball Club](#) will be held this **Sunday, September 11 at 6:30 p.m.** in the Jane Bergstrom Fine Arts Education Center. Attendance is highly encouraged for current and new families in order to learn about the many developments taking place within the club. Contact [Jay Zelinski](#) for details.

In the Community

Spirit Alive!

SPIRITUS, a team of young adult missionaries based at the Mount Tabor Center in Menasha, has touched the lives of more than 5,000 youth in northeast Wisconsin. They need our support so they can continue reaching our young people through retreats and other programs -- helping to form future leaders for our Church.

Join Bishop Robert Morneau and SPIRITUS for wine, cheese and chocolate on **Monday, September 26** from 6:30-7:45 p.m. at Mount Tabor Center in Menasha to find out how you can help empower and inspire our Catholic youth by supporting SPIRITUS through financial donations, volunteering and prayer.

Please RSVP by calling Annette Hovie at 920-722-8918. Donations can also be made [online](#).

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