



NewsNotes

St. Mary's Elementary School

6/7/2017

Happy Wednesday!

Congratulations to all of the Mega Raffle ticket and basket winners. Thank you to all who came out to the raffle and for all of the hard work that the committee put into making this night such a huge success.

This Friday, June 9th will be our last Christian Witness Award Mass for the school year. Also, our Pre-K 4 students will be graduating. Our kindergarteners will graduate on Monday, June 12th.

Tonight is our band concert. It takes place at 6:00. Please come out and support our band and enjoy a lovely evening of music.

Please remember that if you are planning on re-registering to send in your forms and fees as soon as possible.

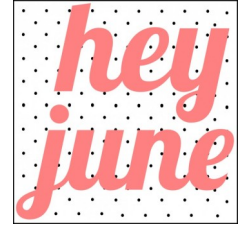
Please note that we will be starting the awards assembly at 9:15 rather than 9:30.

Even though the end of the year is drawing near, the continued safety of our students is a top priority. I ask that you please refrain from propping &/or holding the doors open for others, especially during dismissal time. I appreciate your assistance in this matter.

Included in this weeks folder is a flyer for the 4th of July Parade. We would love to have you join us as we share our love of SME with the community!

God's Peace and Love,
Mrs. Kwitowski

Registration is going strong for the 17-18 school year! We would like to thank all Pre-K and K-8 families who will be joining our SME family next year by offering a \$50 discount off your tuition if you decide to pay your tuition in full by July 15, 2017. Payment will only be accepted by Check or Cash in order to receive this \$50 discount. If you have any questions, please contact Nancy Jezuit, Director of Student Affairs at jezuitn@smeschool.com. Thank you!!



Upcoming Events

- 6/7 - Band Concert, **6:00pm***
- 6/8 - Pre-K 3 Last Day, K-5 Book Swap Part I
- 6/9 - Christian Witness Mass, Pre-K 4 Last Day/Graduation, K-5 Book Swap Part II
- 6/12 - Kindergarten Graduation
- 6/13 - 6/15 - Middle School Exams
- 6/16 - Last School Mass, School Picnic, 1:00 Dismissal
- 6/19-6/20 - NO SCHOOL - Recording Days
- 6/21 - Last Day of School: **9:15am*** Award Assembly, 10:45am Dismissal, 7:00 8th Grade Graduation

* **Corrected / Updated Time**

Mega Raffle

This past Friday we held our 2nd Annual Mega Raffle event and the turnout was great! We had over 175 people in attendance.

All prize winners have been contacted and the winning ticket numbers are posted below:

The 4 - \$150 prizes went to tickets **#2, #353, #463 and #629**,

The 2 - \$250 prizes went to tickets **#234 and #632**,

The 2 - \$500 prizes went to tickets **#418 and #583**,

The \$1,000 prize went to ticket **#100**, and

The **\$25,000 GRAND PRIZE** went to ticket **#86!!**

Thank you to everyone who sold or purchased the required 2 tickets, and to those who went above and beyond to sell additional tickets: 6 families sold 5 tickets, 1 family sold 6 tickets, 3 families sold 7 tickets, 2 families sold 8 tickets, 2 families sold 9 tickets, 1 family sold 12 tickets, 1 family sold 13 tickets, 1 family sold 15 tickets and **1 family sold 20 tickets!** If you are interested in joining our committee for next year, please contact Mary Kate DeMarzio at megaraflfe@smeschool.com or 510-1409.

Golf Tournament

Save the Date!
Monday, July 24th



9:00 AM Registration 10:00 AM Shot Gun Start
Lunch at the Turn

One Hour Open Bar before Dinner

4:30 PM Steak Dinner

Prizes and Awards

More information coming soon!

Sports

FALL SPORTS SIGN UPS ARE AVAILABLE NOW!

If your child is interested in playing a Fall sport at St. Mary's elementary school, they need to get a sign up form from the school nurse, Bobbie Moreno, during their lunch period.

Here is the list of options for Fall sport teams:

Co-ed Swim Team (grades K-8th) registration fee is \$70.00/ 1 swimmer, \$100.00 for 2 swimmers, and \$120.00 for 3 or more swimmers/family.

Girl's Volleyball (grades 5th-8th) registration fee is \$40.00/player

Boy's Varsity Baseball (grades 6th-8th) registration fee is \$40.00/player

Co-ed Varsity Cross Country (grades 6th-8th) registration fee is \$20.00/runner

**DUE DATE FOR ALL REGISTRATIONS:
FRIDAY, JUNE 9th!**

Stay Tuned:

Soccer Picnic / Banquet Date will be announced next week!



Congratulations to Kristina who's artwork/cover was chosen for this years yearbook!

Please note that we have a limited number of extra copies of the yearbook available in the school office. If you are interested in a copy please send in your payment (cash or check payable to SME) clearly labeled with your child's name and grade and a book will be sent home with them.



St. Mary's Elementary
2 St. Mary's Hill
Lancaster, NY 14086

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of gospel living."

Scrip

SCRIP would like to thank the following parents of children from our graduating 8th grade class, who have volunteered with the SCRIP program for many years.

Their dedication to SCRIP has made our program the success it is. We will miss you!

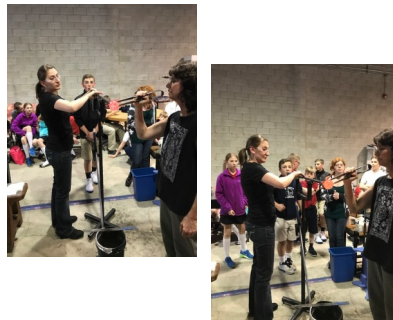
Cory Brown
Paula Meller
Renee Okon

Kim Dobiesz
Ann Murphy
Dawn Weldon



Save The Date! The school picnic will be on Friday, June 16th. Our students enjoy a day of play following our last school Mass. We are still in need of volunteers to help during the picnic. If you are able to help please email

Amanda Kuhn at secretary@smeschool.com. A hot dog lunch is provided for every student. If your child would prefer either a cheese or sun butter/jelly sandwich please send your request to Amanda at secretary@smeschool.com.



The 7th grade students took a class trip to the Corning Museum of Glass. Students toured the museum and were able to witness a live glass demo. Following the tour, students traveled to the hands on glass studio, where they were able to make their own hand blown glass ornament.

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4TH OF JULY



St. Mary's Parents and Students..... We need your help!!!

It's that time of year again! What better way to share our family with the community than to participate in the biggest parade of the year? Once again, SME will have a float in Lancaster's 4th of July Celebration.

Please join us as we decorate the float on July 4th then walk in the parade or ride on the float with us. Parents, Grandparents, siblings and anyone else who loves SME is welcome to join the fun! Please be sure to wear your SME attire or some red, white & blue.

If you are able to join us please complete and return the bottom portion of the page by **Monday, June 12th** so we may proceed with planning.

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Kierejewski at kierejewskis@smeschool.com or 683-2112 ext. 125

Yes! Our Family will be joining in the 4th of July Parade!
Our family will have adult(s) and child(ren) participating

We will be available to help decorate the float prior to the parade on July 4th, time TBD.

Family Name Phone # Email

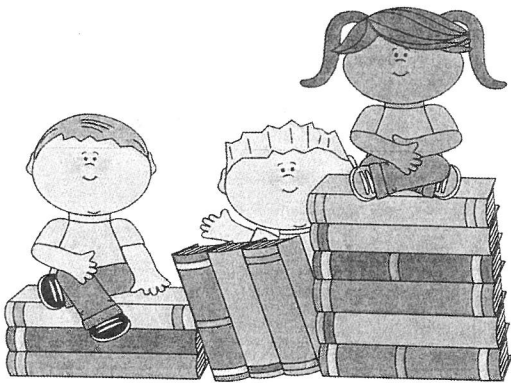
Attn: Jenny Fulciniti –Float Coordinator

The Book Swap

Once a month, during lunch periods, Mrs. Wojcik and Mrs. Gasiiecki will host a book swap! Students can bring gently used books from home they are finished with to "swap" for new books. We hope to encourage reading at home, without costing families any money!

How it works:

- This will be a two day process. Day 1: students bring in their books and get a ticket for each book they turn in. Day 2: students exchange each ticket for one book.



- Notifications of the dates each month and reminders will be posted in the newsletter.
- Grades 2+ will have to show responsibility by keeping track of their tickets. We will track grades K and 1.
- Students may "swap" up to 3 books. Books need to be "like new" condition, but not brand new. Books with torn or missing pages will not be accepted.
- We kindly ask parents not to come to help your children pick out books, as we want them to make their own choices (we will monitor this, of course ☺).

Books must be grade level appropriate!

K-1: books with pictures

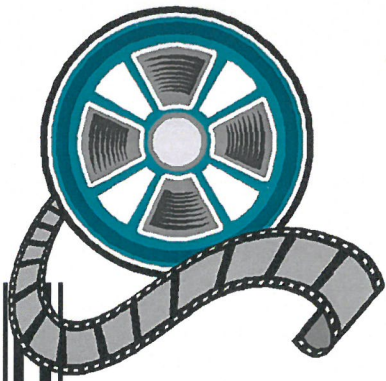
2-5: at least one book must be a grade appropriate chapter book

Our LAST swap will start on Thursday, June 8th .

We hope you will encourage your students to participate!

If you have any questions, please email us at: wojcikk@smeschool.com or gasiieckih@smeschool.com

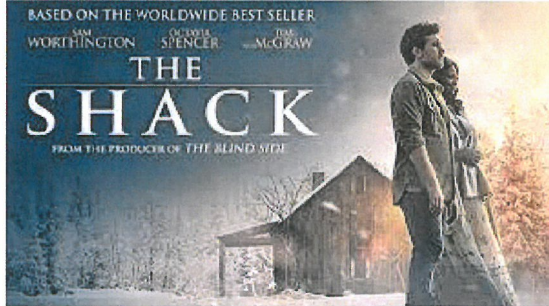
Mrs. Wojcik & Mrs. Gasiiecki



WINGS (Women In God's Spirit)

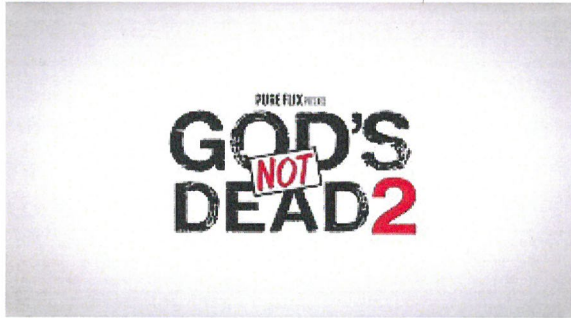
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MOVIE NIGHT



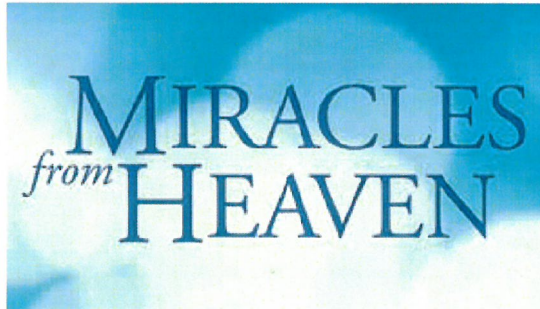
The Shack

Tues., June 20th



God's Not Dead 2

Thurs., July 27th



Miracles From Heaven

Weds., August 16th

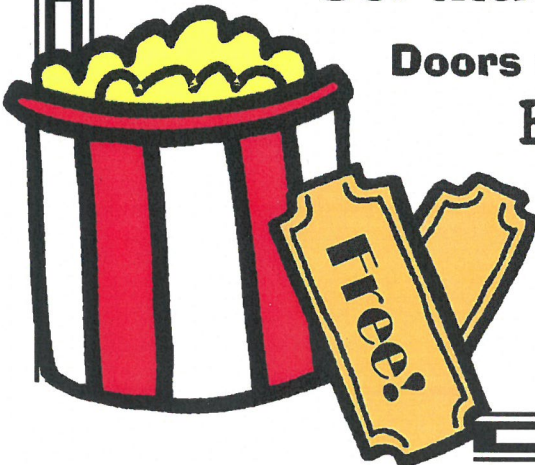
St. Mary's Elementary Gymnasium

Doors open at 6pm, movie starts at 6:30pm

Bring a chair, a friend & snacks

Pizza & pop provided

For more info: (716) 200-2261



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FOR MORE INFORMATION

If you have other questions about the MBA Basketball Camps, please contact Camp Director, Mike MacDonald at 716.818.1100

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CAMP DIRECTOR



MIKE MACDONALD

2015 New York State Coach of the Year

CAMP STAFF

Our basketball camp is staffed by some of the finest coaches in the country. These coaches have worked at every level of basketball, and they will be assisted by college and professional basketball players.

STAFF AT PREVIOUS CAMPS INCLUDED:

Bill Beilein, Niagara County Community College

Gerald Beverly, Canton Charge (NBDL)

Torrence Dyck, European Professional Player

Chris Kensy, Amherst High School

Gabe Michael, Williamsville South High School

Des Randall, Timon-St. Jude High School

Chris Simpson, Grand Island High School

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BOYS BASKETBALL CAMP

DAY CAMPS • FOR BOYS AGES 5-14

SESSION 1 | July 10-14

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THE MACDONALD BASKETBALL ACADEMY



2017 SUMMER BASKETBALL CAMP

SESSION 1 | July 10-14
SESSION 2 | August 7-11

9AM-4PM EACH DAY • \$250/WEEK

CAMP FEATURES

- All campers receive their "MBA" which includes: a reversible jersey, a basketball, T-shirt, and water bottle
- Strong emphasis on the fundamentals, especially shooting
- Team and individual awards
- "Mini-Mac" League (ages 5-8) with smaller basketballs and special attention
- **WORKING PARENTS SPECIAL:** Free early drop off and late pick-up. Gym will be supervised for 1 hour prior to the start of camp and 1 hour after camp ends.

COST

\$250 PER CAMPER — 2 week campers receive a special gift!

TEAM RATE: \$225 each (Must enroll 5 from the same team)

FAMILY RATE: \$235 each (2 brothers) or \$230 each (3 brothers)

* **Please note:** Application must be received one week prior to the start of camp to receive the discount rate. All forms must be sent in together.

INSURANCE

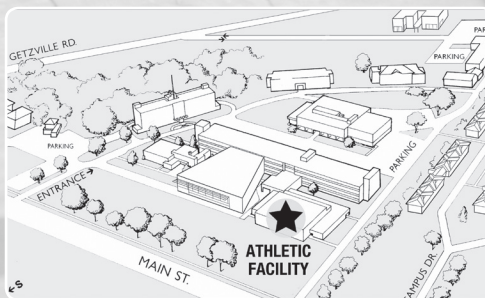
Each participant is required to have medical insurance. Any medical bills incurred will be billed to the camper's insurance company. Any medical expenses not covered by your insurance policy are the responsibility of the camper's parents or guardians.

DAILY SCHEDULE

8AM - 9AM	Early Drop-off
9AM - 9:05AM	Announcements
9:05AM - 9:15AM	Stretch
9:15AM - 11AM	Individual Instruction and Stations
11AM -1PM	Games/Contests/Lunch
1PM -1:30PM	Daemen Olympics
1:30PM - 3:45PM	Games/3 on 3/ Guest Speakers
3:45PM - 4PM	Binky's Bag
4PM - 5PM	Late Pick-up

FACILITIES

The basketball camp is held on the campus of Daemen College on Main Street in Amherst, NY. Facilities include Lumsden Gymnasium the home venue of the Wildcats.



MEDICAL STAFF

The MacDonald Basketball Academy @ Daemen College will be fully staffed with two athletic trainers, and we have a fully equipped training room to meet all of the campers' needs.

CONDUCT

The Camp Director reserves the right to dismiss any camper for misconduct. No refund will be given in that case.

APPLY NOW

Due to our popularity as a teaching basketball camp, it is necessary to limit the number of participants. Therefore, it is important to apply in advance by mailing in your application form as soon as possible. Those accepted will receive an acknowledgement by return mail.

2017 BASKETBALL CAMP REGISTRATION FORM

All requested information below is required to complete camp enrollment.

(PLEASE PRINT)

NAME: FIRST _____ LAST _____

STREET ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

AGE _____ GRADE (SEPT. 2017) _____ DOB ____/____/____

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME _____ PHONE NO. _____

HEALTH INSURANCE PROVIDER _____

HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY NO. _____

PLEASE INDICATE THE CAMP(S) YOU ARE REGISTERING FOR:
 MacDonald Basketball Academy @ Daemen College
 COST: \$250/week

___ **SESSION 1** | July 10-14 ___ **SESSION 2** | August 7-11

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

Please make all checks payable to:
THE MACDONALD BASKETBALL ACADEMY

*A \$25 service charge will be assessed for all returned checks

I hereby give the MacDonald Basketball Academy and Daemen College the absolute and irrevocable right and permission with respect to the photographic images that they have taken of my son during their participation in summer sports camps to use, re-use, publish and republish the same in whole or in part, individually or in conjunction with other photographic images in any medium and for any purpose whatsoever, including (but not by way of limitation) illustration, promotion and advertising and trade. I hereby release and discharge the MacDonald Basketball Academy and Daemen College from any and all claims and demands arising out of or in connection with the use of photographs, including any and all claims for libel. This authorization and release shall also ensure to the benefit of the legal representatives, licenses and assigns of the MacDonald Basketball Academy and Daemen College, as well as the person(s) for whom the photographs were taken. I have read the foregoing and fully understand the contents thereof.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____