

NEWSNOTE

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK...

Happy Wednesday!

I can hardly believe that we are down to the last couple of weeks of school. Where has the school year gone? Continue to keep working hard and striving to be your best. Remember, "There is no substitute for hard work" – Thomas Edison

This past Friday night was our Mega Raffle fundraiser. Thank you to all who purchased tickets and who attended the event. A big thank you needs to go out to the Mega Raffle Committee for all of their tireless work and dedication to make this fundraiser a success!!

This Friday we will be saying good bye to our PreK 4 students. They graduate! On Monday, we say good bye to our Kindergarten students. It is their graduation day. Can't wait to see all of you back in the Fall.

If you have not sent in your registration packets, please send them in to ensure yourself a spot for the upcoming school year.

God's Peace and Love,
Mrs. Kwitowski



Your commitment fee now includes supplies with the exception of Middle School calculators, headphones & other technology needs!

Do you know someone who is interested in joining our family? Registration packets are available in the school office!



Congratulations to our Christian Witness Recipients for the Month of May!
May you continue to be
'...visible examples of Gospel living.'



UPCOMING EVENTS:

- 6/6 & 6/7 - Book Swap
- 6/6 - Spring Concert, 9am, Gym
- 6/7 - Pre-K 3 Last Day
- 6/8 - Pre-K 4 Graduation, 10:00, Gym
- 6/10 - Meat Raffle, 1pm
- 6/11 - Kindergarten Graduation, 10:30
- 6/12 - 6/14 - Middle School Exams
- 6/15 - School Picnic, 1:00 Dismissal
- 6/18 - 6/19 - No School, Recording Days
- 6/20 - Gr 1-8 Last Day of School! 10:45 Dismissal, Awards Assembly 9:30am, 7:00 pm Graduation



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FUNDRAISERS BY THE NUMBERS

SCRIP:

From May 28 – June 3, 2018, the Scrip rebate profit earned for the school was \$170.37.

Monthly Scrip Sales Goal	Monthly Scrip Profit Goal
\$30,000.00	\$1,500.00
May Sales-to-Date	May Profit-to-Date
\$15,527.00	\$829.97



Mega Raffle:

Thank you to everyone who helped sell tickets, especially those who went above and beyond by selling 10 or more tickets: 3 families sold 5 tickets, 1 family sold 6 tickets, 2 families sold 7 tickets, 1 family sold 10 tickets, 2 families sold 11 tickets, 1 family sold 13 tickets, 1 family sold 14 tickets, 1 family sold 18 tickets and **1 family sold 29 tickets!**

As you're all aware - the Mega Raffle fundraiser is critical to keeping the tuition costs down for our SME families. Thank you again for all of your continued support! If you are interested in joining our committee for next year, please contact Mary Kate DeMarzio at megarafl@smeschool.com or 510-1409.

MEGA RAFFLE

This past Friday we held our 3rd Annual Mega Raffle event and the turnout was amazing! We sold out as of 10:00 on Friday and we had roughly 300 people in attendance – almost double last year's event!

All prize winners have been contacted and the winning ticket numbers are as follows:

- The 4 - \$150 prizes went to tickets #559, #120, #355 and #417
- The 2 - \$250 prizes went to tickets #200 and #471
- The 2 - \$500 prizes went to tickets #645 and #589
- The \$1,000 prize went to ticket #610
- The \$25,000 **GRAND PRIZE** went to ticket #439!!

GOLF FUNDRAISER

Our 16th Annual Golf Tournament will be held on Monday, July 23rd! Registration is still open for both single golfers & foursomes. Not a golfer but still want to help? Consider our Sponsorship Opportunities ranging from hole sponsors at \$50 to Gold Sponsors at \$2,000. Please see the flyer coming home today for more information!

Thank you to everyone who has returned your golf raffle tickets. We will remain collecting them until the end of next week. Please take note that the St. Mary's High School Tuition Voucher with a value of \$500 is valid for either the 2018-2019 **OR** 2019-2020 school years! Additional raffle tickets are available in the school office. Please email Amanda Kuhn at secretary@smeschool.com to request more!

SCHOOL PHOTO

Order forms went home with every student on Tuesday, 6/4 for our school wide photo. All orders are due this Friday June 8th to ensure delivery before the last day of school. Pre-K families wishing to order will receive their photo by mail.





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LIVING..."

SCRIP

Thank you to all who have continued to support the SCRIP program throughout the year! The Scrip office will be open and accepting orders throughout the summer. Please keep your eye on next week's NewsNote for our summer schedule!

Please keep SME in mind as you are shopping for all your summertime needs!



PRE-K FUN

Our Pre-K friends in Mrs. O'Grady & Gill's class weren't clowning around as they learned about carnivals this week!



SPORTS REPORT

The Spring Sports Banquet is scheduled for Monday, June 18th at Walden Pond. More information will be in next week's news notes.

A message to all Spring Sports Teams: If your season is over, please send in your uniform to the Athletic office. Please label the bag with your child's name and grade. All uniforms need to be turned in by Thursday, June 14, 2018. If you find a uniform from a prior season, PLEASE send to the Athletic office as well.

2018 Fall sport registration is starting now!

If your child is interested in playing one of the following sports, he/she can get a sign up form from the school nurse during their lunch period.

- Varsity Boys baseball- grades 6th-8th
- Girl's Volleyball- grades 5th-8th
- Co-ed Cross Country- grades 6th-8th
- Co-ed swim- grades K-8th

When filling out the registration form, please make sure you put the grade your child will be entering in the Fall 2018. (ex. 5th graders may get a Cross Country sign up form because they will be entering 6th grade in the Fall 2018. Therefore, please put 6th grade on the form by your child's name and NOT their current grade.) Checks will be held in the office until September and NOT cashed until rosters are finalized. Please note the fees for the Fall sports are different for each sport. The fees are on each registration form.

**All Fall sign up forms are due
Thursday, June 14th!**

Congratulations to SME's track and field athletes who competed on Tuesday, May 29 at the Canisius high school track. Our athletes competed against the top qualifying athletes from 15 schools and did a great job! Medals and ribbons were awarded to these SME athletes:

First Place Medalists:

- Co-ed relay- Marco F., Jake A., Christine W., Chloe S. (set the all-season record among 15 schools)
- Girls' 15 U softball throw- Chloe S. (holds the all-season record)
- Boys' 13 U softball throw- Tyler L. (Holds the all-season record)
- Girls' 15 U jump- Christine W. (holds the all-season record)

Second place winners:

- Mile race- Margaret N.
- 11U jump- Cameron C.
- 11U softball throw- Lucia C.
- 10U relay- Charlotte Z., Ariella M., Allie V., Madison K.

Third place winners:

- 14 U sprint- Marco F.
- 14 U sprint- Alyssa B.
- 13 U throw- Molly K.
- Girls' 800 relay- Bella D., Claire K., Grace A., Alyssa B.
- Girls' 300 relay- Chloe S., Christine W., Claire K., Alyssa B.

Fourth Place winners:

- 13U jump- Luke W.
- 11U jump- Charlotte Z.

5th place winners:

- 11U sprint- Griffin S.
- 9U sprint- Chris G.
- 14U sprint- Jake A.
- 15 U jump- Margaret N.
- 12U boys relay- Griffin S., Luke W., Andrew W., Cameron C.
- 14 U boys relay- Marco. F., Jake A., David D., Tyler L



The 5th graders learned about different Native American cultures of the Western Hemisphere, including the Inca, Aztec, and Maya. They were given a variety of materials to construct a Native American model. The students were required to work with their classmates to make a free standing model that reflected the culture of its region.



THANK YOU

The 8th Grade Class would like to thank everyone who supported them with their bottle recycling fundraiser. Not only is it good for the environment, but yielded their class **\$691.00** this year, toward graduation costs. Thank you staff, students, parents and friends of SME for your generosity.



Last Friday we celebrated our students who sold 20 or more boxes of chocolate with a Slip & Slide party. Thanks to the generous donation by Daryl Cassata, from Arric Corp, students were able to enjoy a 20' x 100' piece of plastic sheeting as the slide down the hill in the teacher's parking lot. The weather was warm, the slide was slippery, and the Popsicles were just the perfect treat to finish to the day. Thank you students for all of your hard work. Thank you Mr. Cassata for making it the best Slip & Slide at St. Mary's Elementary ever!!

LIBRARY NEWS

Notes are being sent home regarding outstanding library fines, and books that need to be returned.

All fines need to be paid IMMEDIATELY to clear academic accounts. Please pay the exact amount in the envelope provided. The library has no way of issuing change. All over payments will be considered donations.

Notes that ask for books to be returned are being sent home because the book YOUR student was issued was not returned. Each student is responsible for the book that was checked out to them.

Thank you for your cooperation.

STAY IN THE KNOW

Save the Date: 6/6 & 6/7, Book Swap

Save the Date: 6/7 - Pre-K 3 Last Day

Save the Date: 6/8 - Pre-K 4 Graduation Day

Save the Date: 6/11 - Kindergarten Graduation Day

Save the Date: 6/15 - School Picnic

Save the Date: 6/20 - Last Day of School

St. Mary's Elementary School



Sponsored by the St. Mary's HSA

Sunday, June 10, 2018

St. Mary's Elementary School

2 St. Mary's Hill, Lancaster 14086

Doors open at 1pm - First Spin at 2pm

\$5 Presale, \$7 at the Door

Admission includes Beer, Wine & Pop

Don't forget: your own snacks, LOTS of Dollar Bills &
a cooler of course for your winnings!!!

50/50 Splits & Basket Raffle

For ticket info please call

(716) 683-2112

NO OUTSIDE LIQUOR ALLOWED!

SME Picnic 2018

We are excited to be sponsoring the annual School Picnic next Friday, June 15th. The children will begin the fun immediately following mass.

We ask that you please make note of the following information:

- ❖ Class Shirt Colors - Dress down day, please have your child arrive in their class color.

K – Spirit Attire	4 – Yellow	8 – 8 th grade T-Shirts
1 – Purple	5 – Orange	
2 – White	6 – Red	
3 – Green	7 – Grey	

- ❖ We will be providing a Hot Dog lunch for all the students. If your child would prefer a PB & J or Cheese Sandwich please return the alternate lunch request below.

If you have volunteered to work the event with us we ask that you please arrive by 8:30, sign-in and make your way to your assigned station. If you have any questions please contact Annelis.

Thank you!!!

The HSA 2017-2018 Team

Please Return by Wednesday, June 13th

My Child would prefer (Please Circle choice)

Sunbutter & Jelly Sandwich

Grilled Cheese Sandwich

Childs Name: _____ Grade & Teacher: _____

Parent Signature _____



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 **Wednesday, June 13th** 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

JK

Look at what your kids can do this summer!
Limited spots are available, so reserve yours
today!



Available Dates: July 9th - August 3rd Monday - Thursday

Time: 8am-2pm

Location: St. Mary's Elementary

Phone number: 716-683-2112

Students will participate in a variety of indoor and outdoor activities. Our activities will reinforce our core subjects as well as our stream program. This program will allow your children to have fun, and gain knowledge that will help them next year.

Each week the students will take part in a weekly theme that will provide learning, creativity and fun! Each week the students will be working on STREAM related activities.

Students will be required to bring in a peanut free snack, lunch and water bottle. All activities will be inside and outside so please wear appropriate sneakers.

Cost for summer camp:

The 4 week summer camp cost will be \$ 500 per student.
Registration and Payment due by June 13th.

SME Summer Camp Program 2018

Please fill out and sign registration form.

Submit form and payment to the main office by June 13th.

Child's Name _____ Parents' Names _____

Home Address _____ Email Address _____

Home Phone # _____ Mother's Cell # _____ Mother's Work# _____

Child's DOB _____ Father's Cell # _____ Father's Work # _____

Please list the names and numbers of two alternate adult contacts, available during program hours in case of emergency.

Name _____ Relationship to Child _____

Home # _____ Cell # _____

Name _____ Relationship to Child _____

Home # _____ Cell # _____

Please list any medical concerns or allergies. _____

Please list anyone NOT able to pick up your child.

I understand that SME Camp runs Monday - Thursday from 8:00 - 2:00, July 9th- August 2nd, at the cost of \$500.00, (which is due by June 13th). I understand that class size is limited, and that spaces will be filled on a first come, first served basis. No phone or mail in registration will be accepted. SME reserves the right to cancel due to insufficient registration.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Office Use Only- _____

(Registration Form and Payment Received- Date and Time)

KK

St. Mary of the Assumption Parish presents...

The 16th Annual St. Mary's Golf Tournament

Chestnut Hill Country Club
1330 Broadway
Darien, NY 14040

Monday, July 23, 2018

9:00 AM Registration
10:00 AM Shotgun Start
Lunch at the Turn
One Hour Open Bar before Dinner
4:30 PM Steak Dinner
Prizes and Awards

Prizes for... Longest Drive · Highest Team Score
Lowest Team Score · Closest to the Pin
Putting Contest · Hole in One Contest



Sponsorship Opportunities

GOLD SPONSOR \$2,000

1 Golf Foursome
Company Name on Tournament Banner
2 Hole Signs
Recognition on SME Website

SILVER SPONSOR \$1,000

1 Golf Foursome
Company Name on Beverage Cart
1 Hole Sign
Recognition on SME Website

BRONZE SPONSOR \$750

1 Golf Foursome
Putting Green and Driving Range Signage
Recognition on SME Website

LUNCH SPONSOR \$600

1 Golf Foursome
Lunch Reception Signage
Recognition on SME Website

RECEPTION SPONSOR \$300

Signage at Cocktail Hour
1 Hole Sign
Recognition on SME Website

CONTEST SPONSOR \$100

1 Contest Sign
1 Hole Sign
Recognition on SME Website

HOLE SPONSOR \$50

1 Hole Sign
Recognition on SME Website

**Proceeds to benefit
St. Mary's Elementary School**

Registration Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

email: _____

\$100 – Individual Golfer (will be assigned to a group)

\$400 – Foursome _____

\$40 Dinner Only

I am unable to attend, but would like to make a donation in the amount of \$ _____

Please make checks payable to: St. Mary's Elementary School

Forms may be mailed to: SME GOLF COMMITTEE, 2 St. Mary's Hill, Lancaster, NY 14086 · 716-683-2112

Sponsorships:

___ GOLD	\$2,000
___ SILVER	\$1,000
___ BRONZE	\$ 750
___ LUNCH	\$ 600
___ RECEPTION	\$ 300
___ CONTEST	\$ 100
___ HOLE	\$ 50

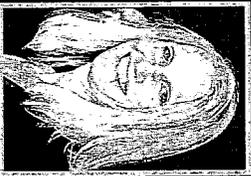
MAIL TO:
Daemen Girls Basketball Camp
4380 Main Street, Box 816 • Amherst, NY 14226

FURTHER INFORMATION

If you have other questions about Daemen College Basketball Camps, please contact Camp Director, Jenepher Banker at 716.839.8336.

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 members of the 2018 Daemen Wildcats.



On April 14, 2016, Jenepher Banker was introduced as the next head coach of the Daemen women's basketball program. Banker becomes just the fourth head coach in the modern era of the program which began in 1986 and she brings to Daemen nearly 30 years of coaching experience at various levels, ranging from Division I to high school.



Kallie Banker completed her first season as Assistant Women's Basketball Coach at Daemen. Prior to that, she played Division I basketball at University of Rhode Island and University of Vermont where she started 72 games over her career. In high school, Kallie enjoyed a standout career at Grand Island where she is the All-time leading scorer and the All-time leader in assists. As a point guard, she led her team to five straight Section VI championships. She was a three-time All-state selection and a four-time All WNY selection.

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.

Daemen College sports camps may limit attendance based on several factors, such as age, number of participants and grade level. However, camp attendance at Daemen is never restricted by a camper's skill level or competitive experience.



4380 Main Street
Amherst, NY 14226



GIRLS BASKETBALL CAMP

DAY CAMPS

• for girls ages 7-17

- SESSION 1:**
June 25-29
- SESSION 2:**
July 16-20



Jenepher Banker, Director

DAEMEN COLLEGE

4380 Main Street, Amherst, NY 14226

716.839.8336 • Email: jbanker@daemen.edu

REGISTER ONLINE:

daemen.edu/sportscamps



WILDCATS BASKETBALL

2018 SUMMER CAMP PROGRAMS

SESSION 1: June 25-29; SESSION 2: July 16-20
9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. each day • Cost is \$200/week

CAMP FEATURES

- Every camper goes home with a Daemen Basketball reversible jersey and ball; other giveaways and prizes given out during the week
- Strong emphasis on the fundamentals, especially shooting
- Parents & families welcome all week; Championship Friday features contest finals, league championship games, and trophy presentations
- Team and individual awards
- **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

\$200 per camper per week

FAMILY DISCOUNT FOR SIBLINGS:

\$10 off second child, \$15 off each additional child

*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

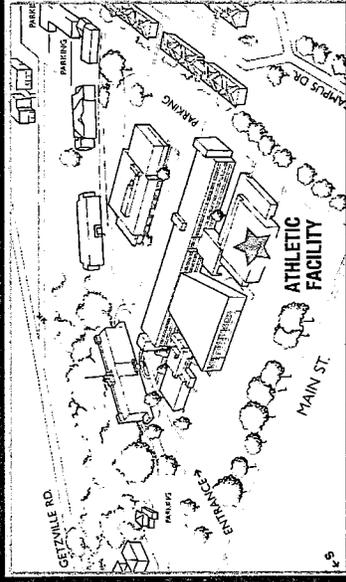
Each participant is required to have medical insurance. Any medical bills incurred will be billed to the camper's insurance company. Any medical expenses not covered by your insurance policy are the responsibility of the camper's parents or guardians.

DAILY SCHEDULE

- 8:00-9:00 Early Drop-off
- 9:00-9:05 Announcements
- 9:05-9:15 Stretch
- 9:15-11:00 Individual Instruction and Stations
- 11:00-1:00 Games/Contests/Lunch
- 1:00-1:30 Daemen Olympics
- 1:30-3:45 Games/3 on 3/Guest Speakers
- 3:45-4:00 End of Day Recap and Dismissal
- 4:00-5:00 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 Daemen Girls Basketball Camp 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.

2018 BASKETBALL CAMP REGISTRATION FORM

Daemen College Girls Basketball Day Camp
All requested information below is required to complete camp enrollment.
PLEASE PRINT

NAME _____
 EMAIL ADDRESS _____
 HOME PHONE _____
 STREET ADDRESS _____
 CITY, STATE, ZIP _____
 Age: _____ Grad Year: _____
 Entering Grade (Sept. 2018): _____
 SCHOOL _____
 EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME _____ PHONE NO. _____
 HEALTH INSURANCE PROVIDER _____
 HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY NO. _____

Please indicate the camp session(s) you are registering for:

- Session 1: June 25-29 Session 2: July 16-20

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

Please call to confirm amount.

Please make all checks payable to:

Daemen College Girls Basketball Camp

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

I hereby give Daemen College the absolute and irrevocable right and permission with respect to the photographic images that the College has taken of my son/daughter 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 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 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 _____