Lunch Menu March 16 - 20

Monday - Chicken fajita, Spanish rice, corn, sliced peaches, milk
Tuesday - Chili 3-way, spaghetti, cheese, oyster crackers, applesauce, milk
Wednesday - Shredded PORK BBQ sandwich, sweet potato fries, broccoli, mixed fruit, milk
Thursday - Chicken tenders, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, pineapple, milk
Friday - Cheese pizza, mixed greens salad, garlic bread, sliced pears, milk

From the Desk of Mr. Metz

Dear St. Catharine Parents,

- St. Patrick’s Day and Pancake Breakfast
  Tuesday March 17th will be an out of uniform day, students are encouraged to wear green. We have decided to postpone the pancake breakfast until later in the school year.

- Enrollment for the 2020-2021 School Year
  Reminder, if your child’s enrollment papers have not been turned in by now, then they are no longer guaranteed a spot for next year. We do have two grades that are at or near capacity.

- Help Needed
  We are in need of a temporary cafeteria worker; the hours are from 10:00a.m. to 1:00p.m. Monday thru Friday. Responsibilities are primarily serving and dish washing. Please contact Mr. Metz in the school office if you are interested in applying. All candidates need to be VIRTUS trained and will be required to have a background check along with finger printing.

- Fish Frys
  Tomorrow night, March 13th, through Friday March 27th, fish frys will be held each Friday evening at West Side Brewing, 3044 Harrison Ave. Please stop in for a delicious fish dinner and the chance to mingle with other school families while supporting the athletic association.

- Book Fair
  This year’s book fair will run from March 27th to April 3rd. This is a great opportunity to purchase some books and at the same time help support our school library. We will be hosting a late night on Friday April 3rd during the 2 on 2 basketball tournament.
2 on 2 Tournament
Student council will be hosting a 2 on 2 basketball tournament on Friday April 3rd for students in grades 4-8. Watch for a flyer being sent home soon.

7th Grade Speech Contest
I am proud to announce that all of our 7th grade speech contest participants received medals this year! Congratulations to the following students: (Gold Medals) Samantha Berehane, Erica Wade (not pictured), Cecilia Boenitsch, Yared Misghina, Kiera Fuson, Gillian Ray, Kirubel Habtu, Dagemawit Tekeste, Thomas Durkin (Silver Medals) Sophia Courtney, Chloe Hamilton, Aidan Stahley, Kaleb Abera, Sydney Szempruch, Isabella Clevenger. Special thanks to Ms. Schmitz for helping them prepare for the contest.

Mr. Jerry Metz
Principal

Regional Spelling Bee
We would like to wish Lap Nguyen good luck this Saturday at Cincinnati Hills Christian Academy where he will compete in the Regional Spelling Bee competition at 9 a.m. Good Luck Lap!

Mercy McAuley High School Holds Jumpstart Night for 5th-7th Grade Girls & Parents
Mercy McAuley High School will hold a Jumpstart Night for 5th-7th grade parents and girls on Thursday, April 2, from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. The event is for 5th-7th grade parents and students who are interested in getting a jumpstart in exploring all that Mercy McAuley has to offer. Parents will tour the school and learn about Mercy McAuley’s academics and schedule, counseling and student services, Women Lead Program, campus ministry and service, arts, athletics and clubs, and tuition, financial aid and scholarships. Separately, 5th-7th graders will participate in science lab, art and service activities with Mercy McAuley faculty and students. They can also get a “sneak peek” of Mercy McAuley’s spring musical, Hello Dolly! There will also be refreshments, photo opportunities, and the Spirit Shop will be open. Please RSVP at www.mercymcauley.org/jumpstart by March 30, 2020. Any questions may be directed to Alli Miazga, Recruitment & Admissions Coordinator, at 681-1800 x2272 or miazgaa@mercymcauley.org.

Mercy McAuley Presents Spring Musical, Hello Dolly, April 3-5
Mercy McAuley will present its spring musical, Hello Dolly, April 3 – 5. Shows are at 7:30 p.m. on April 3 and 4, and at 2 p.m. on April 5. This blockbuster Broadway hit bursts with humor, romance, high-energy dancing, and some of the greatest songs in musical theater history. Tickets are available online at mercymcauley.booktix.com or at the door. Tickets are $10 for adults, $8 for students/seniors, and $5 for children under 10.
Elder offers two courses for original credit during the summer session. Students currently enrolled in grades 8-11 may take either or both of the courses.

Health—This is an online course. Students may work at their own pace provided they submit completed assignments by the due dates. Students will meet at Elder for approximately one hour on Monday, June 1 at 8:00am to meet the teacher and obtain class information and the textbook. Students will also meet at Elder for approximately one hour on Friday, June 19 at 8:00am to take the final test and return the textbook. Students must have access to email and a computer to complete this course. The cost for the original credit course is $300. Students must be registered by Friday, May 22.

Physical Education—The Physical Education (PE) course is open to students currently in grades 8-11. The PE course may require students to make arrangements for transportation to off-campus sites and pay a minimal additional fee for a few activities. The majority of the activities will take place on Elder’s campus. The course will meet daily from 8:00am-10:30am, June 1-June 19. The fee for the course is $300. Students who successfully pass these courses would receive high school credit. The acceptance of the credit is determined by the individual high school. Registration starts Monday, March 16. Students interested in taking one of these courses should submit a completed registration form and the tuition fee to the main office. Summer school information including the registration form and course descriptions may be obtained from the student’s counselor, the main office, or online at elderhs.org.

Mount Notre Dame

Registration is now open for MND’s 2020 Summer Camp Program. We have a variety of camp offerings for grade school students of all ages. Please visit us online to review full camp descriptions and register. Early registration is recommended as space is limited and camps can fill quickly. We look forward to spending our summer with you! Register at www.mndhs.org/summercamps.

Mercy McAuley High School Summer Camp Registration Now Open

Registration for Mercy McAuley’s Summer Sports & Enrichment Camps is now open! Camp offerings include: • Sports Camps: Basketball; Soccer; Lacrosse; Volleyball • Enrichment Camps: Babysitting; Musical Theatre/Disney’s Moana Jr.; Technical Theatre/Disney’s Moana Jr.; Cooking & Baking Fun; STEM; Test Prep for Incoming 8th Graders; Service Visit www.mercymcauley.org/camps for detailed camp descriptions and dates, and to register and pay. Questions may be directed to Alli Miazga, Recruitment & Admissions Coordinator, at 681-1800 ×2272 or miazgaa@mercymcauley.org.

Elder Strength & Conditioning Camp

The ELDER STRENGTH & CONDITIONING CAMP is directed by Head Strength and Conditioning Coach Adam Rankin and his staff. The camp offers instruction for any and all incoming Elder freshmen as well as for those rising 8th graders. Each day, campers will learn strength and conditioning techniques designed towards safety, improving strength, speed, overall conditioning, and developing great nutritional habits. From improving your speed, to being in better overall health, this camp will fulfill any goal you have of self-improvement!

Spring Session begins Monday, March 23rd
Summer Session begins Monday, June 1st

Find information, and sign up at elderhs.org/strengthcamp.

Summer Camps
Seton High School

Future Saints, get ready to Set Sail at Seton Summer Camps 2020! We are excited to offer a variety of athletic and specialized camps throughout the summer. Whether it is a specific sports camp or a specialized camp such as Art Clay Camp, Girl Power Camp, or our brand new Baking Camp and Seton CSI Camp, we hope you will come aboard and see what being a Seton Saint is all about! For all summer camp information and registration, visit https://www.setoncincinnati.org/summer-camps-2020/.
**Moeller High School Summer Camps**

Registration is now open for summer camps at Moeller HS. Go to [moellersummercamps.com](http://moellersummercamps.com) to see what is available.

**Saint Ursula Academy Summer Camps**

Saint Ursula Academy would like to invite grade school girls to several upcoming events! We have a wide variety of opportunities for 2nd-7th grade girls to join us for our SUA Summer Academy and Athletic Camp Programs over the summer. The registration link and additional information are available at [https://www.saintursula.org/summercamps.aspx](https://www.saintursula.org/summercamps.aspx). Additionally, we would like to invite 6th and 7th-grade girls to visit us on Friday, May 1 for Girls’ Night, a fun and free night of games, friends, and dinner! Registration for Girls’ Night is available at [https://saintursulaevents.com/girls-night/](https://saintursulaevents.com/girls-night/). We hope to see you at Saint Ursula Academy soon!
COVID-19 [Coronavirus Disease 2019]
February 27, 2020

Current Situation

There are no confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Ohio.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) continues to consider the health risk from COVID-19 to be low among the general public in the U.S.

As of February 24, 2020, the CDC reports 14 cases of COVID-19 detected and laboratory-confirmed in the U.S., with 17 related to travel and two from person-to-person spread.

General Information and Precautions

Currently, you are only at risk if you (1) are displaying symptoms; and (2) have traveled to China in the 14 days before feeling sick or have been in contact with someone who has confirmed COVID-19. By and large, travel history is key.

ODH recommends precautions used for reducing the risk of infection for other illnesses, such as flu. Actively encourage staff to follow these precautions:

- Frequently wash your hands for 20 seconds or more with soapy water. If unavailable, use hand sanitizer.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, or mouth with unwashed hands.
- Avoid contact with people who are sick.
- Stay home when you are sick (except to visit a health care professional) and avoid contact with others. Employees who have symptoms of acute respiratory illness are recommended to stay home and not come to work until they are free of fever (100.4°F [37.8°C] or greater using an oral thermometer), signs of a fever, and any other symptoms for at least 24 hours, without the use of fever-reducing or other symptom-altering medicines (e.g., cough suppressants). Employees should notify their supervisor and stay home if they are sick.
- Cover your mouth/nose with a tissue or sleeve when coughing or sneezing.

Staying informed about COVID-19 through the CDC, the Ohio Department of Health and your local health departments.

Sharing prepared CDC fact sheets/posters with families and staff. These can be found at [https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/communication/factsheets.html](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/communication/factsheets.html)

Sharing the CDC travel fact sheet with families and staff who recently traveled back to the U.S. from China. It can be found at [https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/communication-resources.html](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/communication-resources.html).
FISH FRY MENU

COD SLIDER
single piece on bun  $4
with fries and slaw  $6
with fries and mac & cheese  $7

3 PIECE COD DINNER PLATES
with fries and slaw  $10
with fries and mac & cheese  $12

3 PIECE COD TACOS
topped with slaw and chipotle crema  $10

SIDES  FRIES  $3
MAC & CHEESE  $3

CincItalia
the cincinnati italian festival
May 29-30-31
Harvest Home Park

LEARN ITALIAN WITH US
Musica dal Vivo  Live Music
Vino e Birra  Wine and Beer
Ristoranti Locali  Local Italian
Tutti Benvenuti  Restaurants
All Are Welcome

Presented by St. Catharine of Siena Parish
St. Catharine 7th & 8th Grade Present

Annie Jr.

April 1st and 2nd at 7:00 P.M.
$1 for students, $3 Individual, $6 for Family
See what’s NEW at the
SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

Dates, Times, and Place

March 26th - April 3rd in Parish Meeting Room
Teacher & Student Preview Days: Thurs March 26th & Fri March 27th 7:50am-2:30pm
Shop During Scheduled Library Times: Mon March 30th-Wed April 1st 7:50am-2:30pm
Evening Shop: Friday April 3rd 2:30pm-8pm
Shop Online Anytime & view additional information at https://www.scholastic.com/bf/ctcatharine

All purchases benefit our school!

SCHOLASTIC
Westwood Town Hall Recreation Center
3017 Harrison Ave, 45211 • 513.662.9109

COST
$1650.00 total*

DATES
June 1, 2020–August 14, 2020

TIME
Monday–Friday
7AM–6PM

AGES
Ages 6–12
5-year-olds are accepted if they’ve completed all-day kindergarten

OPTIONAL
$1430.00 total*
Monday–Friday
9AM–4PM

Register online at https://web1.vermontsystems.com/wbwsc/ohcincinnatiwt.wsc/splash.html*
For more information, contact Andrea McCarthy at 513.662.9109

*$200 non-refundable deposit due online at time of registration. Half of the total payment for the summer is due by June 1, 2020. Full payment is due by July 6, 2020.