

**K-4 Field Day Dismissal is at
12:30pm on Thursday, May 25.**

There will be bus service, but there will not be aftercare. Please mark your calendars with this and other important dates for the end of the school year.



Sister Magdalena has made it to the Philippines.

Please continue to keep her in your prayers as she visits her community, family, and country.



THE MISSION OF ST. PATRICK SCHOOL is to foster the spiritual growth and academic life of its students, faculty, and staff, and to teach children, with the cooperation of parents, a Catholic way of life.

END OF YEAR INFORMATION

Wednesday, May 24th: PK3/PK4 and 7th Grade End of Year Celebrations. PK3 and PK4 will be dismissed from the park. The 7th grade will be dismissed from school at regular time. This is a regular school day for the rest of the school with normal dismissal time. After care will be provided.

Thursday, May, 25th: K—6th grade will have Field Day/End of Year Celebrations. The 7th grade will stay at the school and help with the K—4th grade field day. Dismissal will be at 12:30. After care will not be provided.

Friday, May, 26th: Last day of school. Dismissal will be at 11:30. After care will not be provided.



Friday is the Last
Day of School



Medications: If your student has medications in the school office, please pick them up on the last day of school

Key Fobs: If you still have key fobs please turn them in to the school office. They are no longer used of before/after care.

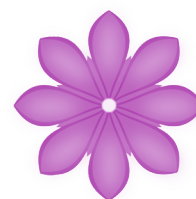
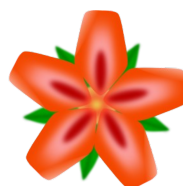
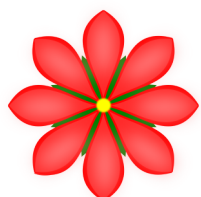
Outstanding Balances: Please make sure all outstanding balances are paid in full. If you have a credit balance in your family lunch account it will carry over to the next school year.

Library: All library books need returned this week if not done already.

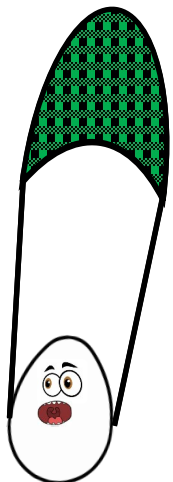
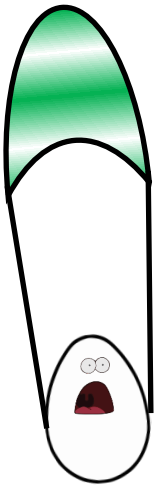


Bus Driver Position

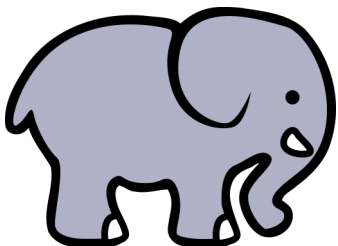
St. Patrick School has an opening for a bus driver for the 2023-2024 school year. The position involves driving the morning and afternoon routes. Applicants must be at least 21 years of age, have a bus permit, and meet the requirements outlined by the State of Illinois for bus drivers. Please contact St. Patrick School at 309-444-4345 if interested and for more information.



8th grade's last science project asked teams to create a structure out of straws, paper cups, popsicle sticks, cotton, a parachute, and tape to save Eggbert! Our first drop was from the top of the lab tables, unfortunately two teams were SHELL SHOCKED and did not make it to the next level! Most teams survived being thrown out of the window onto the playground and 4 teams tied for first place. Eian and Tytan, Ben and John, Grace and Emery, and finally, McKenna and Anna. To determine the Grand Champion, they had to remove any parachute before Mrs. Kapraun hurled them up and out the window. Unfortunately, not one egg survived the toss. It was an EGG-citing EGG-periment to end the year!



PK4 took a field trip to the Peoria Zoo this week. At the zoo, they even got to see some of the animals up close.





This week we celebrated our students' successes in both athletics and academics. Our **Awards Nights** focused on sportsmanship, performance, math facts, Accelerated Reader, Spanish, extra curricular activities to name a few.



SOMMER PARK

Third Grade had a fabulous time canoeing, cooking, and hiking with our parents!





Congratulations to all the athletes that participated in the State Track Meet last weekend at Eastside Sports Complex! We medaled in 9 different events—7 individual and 2 relays.

Name	Event #1	Division	Performance	Place
Jayce Hughes	1600m	7th Boys	5:43.7	14
Bennet Engstrom	Discus	7th Boys	100'3"	8
Ben Gorsage	110m Hurdles	8th Boys	17.32	7
Petra Chiras	100m	7th Girls	14.32	15
Sadie Gorsage	Long Jump	7th Girls	14'6.5"	6
McKenna Sparks	100m	8th Girls	14.4	10
Ella Reed	400m	8th Girls	1:16.98	15
Emery Warfield	1600m	8th Girls	7:17.01	14
Anna Johannsen	Discus	8th Girls	66'0"	9
Madeline Stevenart	100m Hurdles	7th Girls	18.71	7



Name	Event #2	Division	Performance	Place	Event #3	Division	Performance	Place
Jayce Hughes	800m	7th Boys	2:39.45	12				
Bennet Engstrom	Shot Put	7th Boys	31'9"	9				
Ben Gorsage	400m Dash	8th Boys	57.58	9	Long Jump	8th Boys	18'1.5"	8
Petra Chiras	High Jump	7th Girls	4'4"	6	Shot Put	7th Girls	26'5"	6
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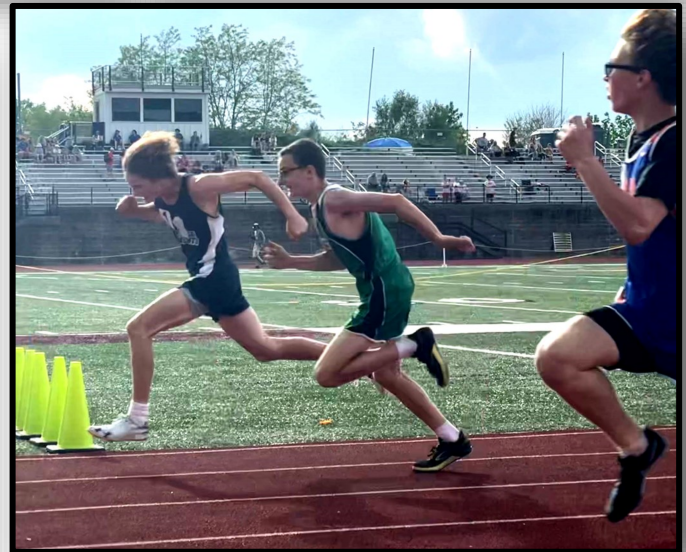
Relay	Division	Runner #1	Runner #2	Runner #3	Runner #4	Alternate	TIME	PLACE
4x100	7th Girls	Kate McDougall	Ava Ritter	Miranda Windsor	Petra Chiras	Ella Reed	57.33	9
4x100	8th Girls	Madeline Stevenart	Sadie Gorsage	Grace Allenbaugh	McKenna Sparks	Anna Johannsen	57.94	8
4x400	8th Girls	Anna Johannsen	Grace Allenbaugh	Ella Reed	Emery Warfield	Etta Strauser	5:14.11	9
4x200	8th Boys	Carter Osmolski	Aiden Crull	Charlie Anthony	Max Armstrong	Caden Smith	1:50.43	16
4x400	8th Boys	Carter Osmolski	Charlie Anthony	Max Armstrong	Aiden Crull	Ben Gorsage	4:05.55	5



**Thank you
to all our
volunteers!**



There were smiles on and off of the track!





Last Week for the Class of 2023

During the last week of 8th Grade, the class of 2023 made many memories together. The class had their class party, went to a picnic with all the 8th graders in town, and said goodbye to grade school in a send off tunnel made by the whole school.



They even got greeted by a unicorn!



Graduation 2023





Congratulations to Anna Johannsen and John Somers for being awarded The Clarence A. Linsey Outstanding Christian Student Award!

The 8th Graders received their Remembrance of Graduation from Mrs. Shipman and Fr. John.



Thank you to all the families who have sent their children to St. Patrick School! The 9 “Graduating Families” who will no longer have a child at St. Patrick were honored after Mass.



Join ICC this summer at College for Kids!

Our enrichment programs are so fun, your child won't even know they are learning. No homework, we promise!

ICC College For Kids has extended registration dates for all Summer Courses. Registration deadline for June Courses is June 6th and for July 1 for July courses. Check out our [course guide](#)!

<https://online.fliphtml5.com/rbtyu/jeze/#p=1>



Important Dates

MAY 19 FRI - 8th Grade Graduation 6pm

MAY 24 WED - PK3/PK & 7th End of the Year
Celebration

MAY 25 THU - 6th grade End of the Year
Celebration

MAY 25 THU - K-4 Field Day run by 7th grade with
Dismissal at 12:30. There will not be After
Care provided.

MAY 26 FRI - Last Day of School - 11:30 Dismissal;
There will not be After Care.

**If you see someone with-
out a smile, give them
one of yours.
— Dolly Parton**

Last Week's Virtue



St. Patrick School - 100 Harvey Street Washington, IL 61571

309-444-4345 * <https://school.stpatswashington.com>

EMMAUS DAYS 2023



[COMEANDFOLLOWME.ORG/EMMAUSDAYS](https://comeandfollowme.org/emmausdays)



ST. JOHN CATHOLIC
NEWMAN CENTER

SESSION I:
COLLEGE +
ADULT MEN
JUNE 9-11

SESSION II:
11TH + 12TH
GRADE MEN
JUNE 23-26



PEORIA NOTRE DAME
HIGH SCHOOL

SESSION III:
9TH + 10TH
GRADE MEN
JULY 16-19

SESSION IV:
7TH + 8TH
GRADE MEN
JULY 19-21

SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER TODAY

ST. PATRICK IRISH 2023 BASKETBALL CAMP



WELCOME

“The goal of our camp is to provide each camper with a positive fun-filled learning experience. The camp is designed to provide personal attention to each camper, in an effort, to help improve his or her basketball fundamentals. Each camper will have the opportunity to develop team skills during competitive play each day. The camp will be staffed by St. Patrick’s coaches. Register now and get in on the fun.”

INDIVIDUAL DAY CAMP

May 31-June 2

Afternoon Session: 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. daily (Boys & Girls- **Grades 4-8** – Fall 2023)

An instructional camp for boys and girls entering **4th to 8th grade** featuring the St. Pat’s basketball coaches.

Each day, campers will participate in instructional stations, games, and contests. The instructional stations are designed to help improve each camper’s individual skills and team concepts. The games and contests provide each camper an opportunity to utilize their station instruction in a competitive environment.

Camps are offered to allow each camper the opportunity to work and play within their own age group.

Deadline for camp T-Shirt: May 22, 2023

CAMP FEES / REFUNDS

All St. Patrick’s Irish camps require a registration form and full payment to guarantee a spot. **Your registration will not be processed without the full payment. Refunds will ONLY be given when we receive a notice from a doctor stating that the athlete is physically unable to participate in the camp. If this occurs, a \$15 administration fee will be deducted from your refund.**

CAMP FEATURES

INDIVIDUAL

- Camp T-Shirts
- Player/Coach Ratio of 10:1 or less
- Contests within each age division

INDIVIDUAL CAMP REGISTRATION

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip Code _____

Phone _____

E-Mail _____

School _____

Grade (Fall 2023) _____

Age _____

Amount Enclosed _____

T-Shirt Size (**Circle**) YL AS AM AL AXL

Individual Day Camp: May 31- June 2

Afternoon Session: 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. daily (Boys & Girls- **Grades 4-8** – Fall 2023) _____

\$40.00

Enrollment is limited. Session will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis.

You must have a valid physical on record with the school to participate. Please send your registration form, medical information and emergency form, and full payment to the school office.

Checks should be made payable to: St. Pat's Athletic Committee

For further information, contact Jeff Draeger at jdraeger@stpatswashington.org



PEORIA NOTRE DAME



The Peoria Notre Dame Dance Team will be having a dance camp for girls 4 years old through 8th grade.

It will be held from 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM June 12 - 15, 2023.

The cost is \$60 per dancer.

Visit the link below to sign up:

<https://pnddanceteam.weebly.com/2023-summer-kids-camp.html>

Please email us at

pnddanceteam@gmail.com

if you have any questions.

Hope to see you there!





WASHINGTON JFL

REGISTRATION OPENS MAY 1



Washington JFL operates Flag, Tackle, and Cheerleading programs in the City of Washington for youth ages 5-14

Our mission is to provide a no-fault atmosphere, so the boys and girls of Washington have a safe and competitive environment to play football or cheer. It is our goal to make football and cheerleading fun and to send as many of these kids to the next level - eventually playing under the Friday Night Lights at Babcock Field in the Mid Illini Conference!

Practice begin July 31, Games begin September 2

Early Registration: May 1st through May 31st

Flag, ages 5-7	\$75
Tackle, ages 8-14	\$225
Cheerleading, ages 6-14	\$75

Registration after May 31st

Flag, ages 5-7	\$100
Tackle, ages 8-14	\$250
Cheerleading, ages 6-14	\$100

Visit our website for registration: <https://www.washingtonjfl.com>

Volunteer Coaches needed at all levels & all programs!!

Please email washingtonjfldirector@gmail.com for more information or questions.

The Junior Football League of Central Illinois (JFLOCI) is the Midwest's preeminent youth sports league, offering Flag Football, Tackle Football, and Cheerleading. The JFLOCI is committed to ensuring a positive youth sports experience and advancing player safety by providing league-wide coaching education and teaching resources that benefit players, parents, and coaches. To enhance this commitment, the JFLOCI partners with local high schools to host yearly training clinics for first year coaches and an online clinic for all coaches.

JFLOCI Executive Director, Zo Evans, said, "The JFLOCI is about more than just a game; it's about teaching lifelong lessons such as teamwork, humility, honesty, integrity, hard work, structure, and determination. Each one of our Areas has developed a family atmosphere that fosters growth in our young athletes. This growth is something that will forever enhance their lives and we are proud to carry out that responsibility. A championship trophy is won based on the outcome of a game, but we are far more concerned with equipping our young athletes with life skills and a 'championship character' than anything else."