



St. Edward School and Preschool

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Developing students for a faith filled and academically successful future since 1960

Be it known to all who enter here that Christ is the reason for this school. He is the unseen but ever present teacher in its classes. He is the model of its faculty and the inspiration of its students.

March 2015 Newsletter

Our school & parish calendar can be found on our School/Parish websites under the Google Calendar heading.

Thursday, March 19, 2015

Early dismissal at 11:30 a. m. for Parent/Teacher Conferences

Conferences are optional. However if you would like to meet with a teacher, please call the office for an appointment.

There is no bus service before school or at the 11:30 a. m. dismissal

There is no Pearce After Care at 11:30 a. m.

Friday, March 20, 2015

Teacher Institute – No School

HANDBOOK REMINDERS FOR MARCH

As the weather begins to improve please pay attention to the dress code. Also, we are now into the 4th quarter of the year. Eligibility requirements for extra- curricular activities are explained in the handbook as well.

Mathathon A Huge Success!

The results of this year's Mathathon were outstanding. We raised \$3,437.00 and beat our total of \$2,518.00 from last year's event. We want to congratulate all of our students and families for supporting the children of St. Jude. Great Job!

St. Edward Auction; An inspiring Success

A very special **invitation** is extended to all of our St. Edward community to attend and support the St. Edward Auction. The auction is set for Saturday, March 14th. All of the activities will begin following the 4:30 Mass. We ask that you support all who are working diligently and relentlessly to make our auction a success. We have much to be thankful for. Our pastor, parents, parishioners, teachers, staff and students make St. Edward a unique school with an exemplary attitude. We hope to see everyone on Saturday the 14th. Your gracious efforts are greatly appreciated!

St. Edward Catholic School Third Quarter Honor Roll Grades 5 - 8 2014 - 2015

ALL "A" Honor Roll

Abby Haytcher – 5
Ailsa Lionberger – 5
Dagan Martin – 6
Luke Stanek – 6
Devon Timmerman - 6
Rebecca Timmons – 6
Nathan Cluskey – 7
Kate Cluskey – 8
Hunter Mettille – 8
Mark Stanek - 8

"A-B" Honor Roll

Tristin Baker - 5
Teagan Cover - 5
Hope Mettille - 5
Anthony Schol - 5
Luke Auge - 6
Madelyne Baker - 6
Jacob Rupiper - 6
Molly O'Brien - 7
Peyton Roseboom – 7
Giorgio Grivetti - 8
Ben Kerwin – 8
Elisa Ramos - 8

Congratulations to our 3rd Quarter Honor Roll students.

2015 – 2016 Declamation

We want to wish all of our students involved in this year's Declamation good luck. St. Edward's has 19 students involved in the event this year. They will be performing and competing on Thursday, March 19th at Holy Family School in Peoria.

Mrs. Titone and Mrs. Miars coached and worked with all of the students. We also want to thank all of the parents and grandparents in helping our team prepare for the competition, transportation to and from school for practice as well as attending the event on the 19th. Congratulations to All!

Enrollment & Registration Information

Our projected Kindergarten and upper class enrollment figures are extremely encouraging. We have given a number of tours with several new families signing up for next year. We will keep you updated as to registration, enrollment, and calendar information for the 2015 - 2016 school year. If you have any questions please call us at 274 – 2994.

END OF THE YEAR CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

Easter Break – March 30th to April 6th

Classes resume on Tuesday April 7th

Early Dismissal – April 8th Times TBA

8th Grade Confirmation – April 12th

2nd Grade First Holy Communion – April 18th

8th Grade Graduation – May 16th

Faith In Our Future Strategic Plan

Led by our Education Commission, our Faith In Our Future Strategic plan is progressing at a good pace. Our Commission members, led by Mr. Ken Hillard, President, are to be commended for taking ownership of the plan. Collectively, we are making great strides in involving parents as well as parishioners in advancing improvement for our school and parish in the areas of: Catholic Identity, Education, Marketing, Development, Enrollment, Facilities and Grounds, and Finances.

Thank You!

We continue to receive compliments from visiting parents and guests. Their theme is the same, the teachers are great, the kids are very respectful and the standards that have been established at St. Edward is well known, established and respected.

Congratulations to everyone! Keep up the great work. We have much to be proud of.