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Weekly newsletter of St. Thomas More Catholic School

January 24, 2024

Upcoming events:

Wed, Jan 24 No Cook Night, Panera Bread (Elgin), all day JV/Varsity Girls B'ball @ St. Mary (Sycamore) Wed, Jan 24 5/6 Boys B'Ball vs. St. Catherine, Home Wed, Jan 24

Fri, Jan 26 Neon Day!

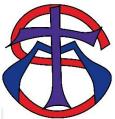
2nd Qtr Report Cards available after 3 pm Fri, Jan 26

Sun, Jan 28 STM School Open House, 1 – 3 pm

Hearing and Vision Screening Tue, Jan 30-Thu, Feb 1

www. stmelgin.org Attendance Line: (847) 742-3959 ext. 154







St. Thomas More Catholic School

January 28th - February 2rd

Sunday, January 28th - Celebrating Our Parish

- Student led Mass at Noon (students should attend in uniform)
- STM School Open House, 1-3 pm

Monday, January 29th - Celebrating Our Community

- Know your school Quiz (drawings all week)
- Baby blankets made with buddy classes
- Corbella Clinic collect baby supplies
- Dress Down Day wear Plaid!

Tuesday, January 30th – Celebrating Our Students

- No Homework Day!
- Board games with Buddies
- Recess/lunch with Buddies
- PJs and Slippers Day
- Special Treat

Wednesday, January 31st - Celebrating Our Nation

- · Volleyball game, Staff vs. Students
- Valentine Cards for Seniors made with Buddies
- D.E.A.R. Drop Everything and Read throughout the day (small stuffed animal optional)
- Teacher Swap

Thursday, February 1st - Celebrating Vocations

- School Religion Bee
- Favorite Color Day wear your favorite color!
- Cards/letters to class seminarians

Adoration by class Friday, February 2nd – Celebrating Our Faculty and Staff

- All School Assembly
- Teacher Luncheon
- Send a thank you note to the teachers CIII CIC COMMUNITY
- Spirit Wear Dress Down Day
- Movie Afternoon

Catholic Schools Week 202



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20%
OF SALES
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January 24, 2024 All Day 369 Randall Road, South Elgin, IL

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OPEN HOUSE

St. Thomas More Catholic School



Join us as we kick off Catholics Schools Week!

School & Classroom Tours

Meet the Principal & Teachers

Refreshments

Alumni Welcome

SUNDAY JANUARY 28 1PM-3PM

Registration for 2024-25 NOW OPEN

WWW.STMELGIN.ORG PH:1(847)742-3959



STM Student Council is sponsoring a Neon Day!
You can be out of uniform that day for \$1.00 and if
you are wearing neon colors!











This year during Catholic Schools Week St. Thomas More School and Parish will be collecting baby items for the Corbella Clinic in South Elgin. Please consider donating one or more of the items below to help a child and family in need!



Bathing:

Hooded Towels Washcloths Toiletries

Diapering:

Baby wipes Diaper bags Diaper rash cream

Nursery Essentials:

Crib Sheets Receiving Blankets Heavier plush blankets Swaddle Blankets

Clothes:

Outfits: Newborn-6mo. (girl)
Bodysuits and pants: Newborn-6mo. (long sleeve, girl)
Sleepers: Newborn-6mo. (boy&girl)















Feeding:

Bibs

Sippy Cups 6mo.+



Please bring your items to the collection bin in the school office or in the church Gathering Space from January 28th through February 2nd, and help make our Baby Items Collection Drive a huge success! Thank you!

Elgin Deanery Catholic Schools Week FOOD DRIVE



Seven schools work together to stock the pantry at Well Child Center in Elgin

St. Thomas More's Theme:

Lovely Lunches! Canned tuna/chicken, soups, to-go lunch kits

ALL ITEMS MUST BE NON-PERISHABLE. THANK YOU!

Donate January 29 - February 2 at your school!



Celebrate Catholic Schools Week 2024

January 28 - February 3 #CSW24







Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest





Sunday 2/4/2024 12:30 - 2:30 P.M.

(first shot 1:00 pm)
St. Patrick's
Downtown Gym
Boys and Girls
Ages 9 - 14

- Proof of age required
- Each participant will have 15 free throws.
- Top scorer in each group will receive a prize.
- All participants will receive a certificate of participation.
- Winners to compete in District contest (about 3:00 P.M.) after awards ceremony.

To Register go to: www.kofc12497.com