

"Do not lose your inner peace for anything whatsoever, not even if your whole world seems upset. If you find that you have wandered away from the shelter of God, lead your heart back to Him quietly and simply."

-St. Francis de Sales

October 18, 2023

Dear St. William the Abbot Families,

A beautiful morning here at school, beginning with our 6th grade Mass for Peace, followed by the community coming together to pray the Rosary. Special thanks to Mrs. Frank, Ms. Garthaffner, and our 6th graders for preparing a beautiful Liturgy. Mrs. Batsford, we missed you, but we offered up our Rosary for Mr. Batsford's recovery. Please keep our amazing Music Teacher and her family in your prayers!

At this very troubled time, ALL are cordially invited to attend a Candlelight Vigil for Peace next Tuesday night (10/24) at 7:00pm, in the Church. We often wonder what can be done here at home about these conflicts and wars that are thousands of miles away, well here is our chance! Let's unite in prayer, petitioning our Lord Jesus to bring peace to a turbulent world.

Completely shifting gears, the HSA Adventureland event is tomorrow night from 5:30pm-8:30pm. Tickets can be purchased at the door, so don't miss out! Looks like it will be a beautiful evening and always a guaranteed good time for the whole family!

To honor the servicemen and women who have served or currently serve in the United States Armed Forces, SWS is sponsoring a Veterans' Day Poster Drive! We are asking students/families in Nursery - 8th grade to create a poster(s) featuring a family member, a friend, a neighbor...anyone who has served! Posters should be no larger than a standard size piece of oak tag, and are due on October 27, 2023. All Posters will be displayed in the Main Hallway. God bless our Veterans!

We are pleased to host an evening of good music and friendship at RADIO BINGO Night! Please find the flyer in this edition of the Weekly Envelope and consider joining in the fun! Hope to see you there!

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HONORING OUR VETERANS

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CHEER

GIRLS' BASKETBALL TRYOUTS

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SPIRIT WEAR







A friendly reminder that the NCEA Day of Giving will be here before you know it! This year, the Day of Giving falls on November 14, 2023. As previously mentioned, we are looking to purchase new Chromebooks, and your generosity would be greatly appreciated! Corporate donations are welcome! As always, thank you for your support!

Our first School Board meeting of the 2023-2024 school year was held last evening, and I would personally like to thank returning board members, Mr. Michael Walsh (President), Mrs. Jennifer Tsang, and Dr. Shelley Borgia, as well as the newest members of the Board, Mrs. Tricia Holian, Mr. Andrew DeBaredlaben, and Mrs. Maureen Kavic for their service. We look forward to a productive year together!

A friendly reminder that school is closed for students on Monday, October 23, 2023 for a Teacher Professional Development Day.

Peace, Elizabeth Bricker, Principal





2001 Jackson Ave., Seaford, NY 11783



Join us as we gather
as a community of
faith to pray for
lasting peace
throughout
the world

TUESDAY OCTOBER 24TH

7PM IN THE CHURCH

We will also be collecting personal care items not covered under SNAP benefits to replenish our Parish Social Ministry Pantry.

Donations of soap, deodorant, toothpaste/toothbrush, shampoo, conditioner, razors and shaving cream, laundry detergent, all-purpose cleaner, paper towels, napkins, and toilet paper would be appreciated.





THANK YOU VETERANS Honoring All Who Served

WHO: All students in grades N-8

WHAT: Design a poster to honor a Veteran!

(A family member, a family friend, a neighbor, etc.)

DUE: October 27, 2023

All posters will be displayed in the hallways of SWS!

(Posters are to be no bigger than standard size oaktag)

God Bless our Veterans and God Bless America!





HALLOWEEN BAKE SALE



PROCEEDS GO TO STUDENT COUNCIL





















6:30 PM - 8:30 PM



REGISTER HERE!



REGISTER BY 10/25 - NO LATE REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED!

VOLUNTEERS CLICK HERE!

MONITOR_VOLUNTEER_HOURS_ARE_AVAILABLE_ON_THE_VSC
A LIMITED NUMBER OF PARENT CHAPERONES (PARENTS OF GRADES 3-5

IF_INTERESTED_IN_CHAPERONING_PLEASE_FILL_OUT_THE_FORM_BY_10/23.
"ALL MONITORS AND CHAPERONES MUST BE VIRTUS TRAINED"

CHAPERONES CLICK HERE!

Costumes encouraged! No weapons of any kind, including swords, knives, guns, staffs, sporting sticks, i.e. lacrosse sticks, baseball bats, hockey sticks; no masks or fake blood.

THIS IS A DROP OFF EVENT. IF YOUR CHILD IS ABSENT FROM SCHOOL OR LEAVES EARLY ON OCTOBER 27, 2023 THEY WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO ATTEND.







Order up a spooktacular snack mix for a lunchtime treat on 10/31!



WHAT'S INSIDE

Pretzels (with eyes!)
Popcorn
Chex Mix
Candy Corn
Halloween Colored
Chocolate and M&Ms

ON SALE NOW THROUGH 10/26 ON BOONLI*

*PLEASE NOTE WE ARE UNABLE TO CANCEL ORDERS AFTER THE ORDERING WINDOW CLOSES.





Middle School (GRADES 6-8 ONLY) Dance



REGISTER BY 11/2 - NO LATE REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED!

MONITOR VOLUNTEER HOURS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE VSC
A LIMITED NUMBER OF PARENT CHAPERONES (6-8 GRADE PARENTS ONLY) WILL BE
PERMITTED. IF INTERESTED IN CHAPERONING PLEASE FILL OUT THE FORM BY 11/2.
CHAPERONES WILL BE NOTIFIED BY 11/6.

ALL MONITORS AND CHAPERONES MUST BE VIRTUS TRAINED

THIS IS A <u>DROP OFF EVENT</u>. IF YOUR CHILD IS ABSENT FROM SCHOOL OR LEAVES EARLY ON NOVEMBER 9, WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO ATTEND. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO ADHERE TO THE DRESS CODE.

HSA NEWS AND UPDATES

• Thank you to everyone who came out to the HSA Meeting on Monday, 10/16. Couldn't make it? Check out the minutes here:

HSA Meeting Minutes 10/16

- Our next open HSA meeting will be held on Monday, 11/13 at 6:30 p.m.
- Check out the VSC many opportunities to volunteer are being added!
- Committee chairs will be reaching out to individuals who filled out the "Committee Interest" Form - be on the lookout!
- We are looking for a volunteer to run the Santa Stage at this year's Christmas Fair -email the HSA if interested!
- Have an idea, suggestion or feedback for the HSA? Fill out the form to share your thoughts! We'll be keeping this form open all year long:

HSA Ideas and Suggestions

THANKSGIVING PIE & BREAD FUNDRAISER

St. William the Abbot School HSA

Featuring some of the Best Pies in America, Delicious Breads & More from White Post Farms Bakery

Baked goods will be available for pickup in St. William's Church Abbey on Tuesday, November 21st from 2pm to 6pm Please bring the completed order form and check in a sealed envelope labeled "SWS Thanksgiving Pie Sale" to the main office. Please make checks payable to St. William the Abbot HSA. Orders must be submitted no later than Wednesday, November 8th. Please contact Renee Frawley at stwilliampiesale@gmail.com with any questions.

Name:	Phone:	Email:
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Classic Pies (42 oz)					
Item	Price	Qty	Total		
Apple	\$25				
Apple Crumb	\$27				
Blueberry	\$26				
Blueberry Crumb	\$28				
Pecan	\$26				
Dark Chocolate Pecan	\$28				
Peach Raspberry Crumb	\$28				
Pumpkin	\$25				

Cookie Towers (12 oz)					
Chocolate Chip	\$8				
Oatmeal Raisin	\$8				
M&M's	\$8				

Gluten Free (12 oz)				
GF Banana Bread	\$10			
GF Banana Nut Bread	\$10			
GF Banana Dark Chocolate Bread	\$10			
GF Zucchini Bread	\$10			
GF Chocolate Chip Cookies	\$9			

Jumbo Breads (24 oz)				
Item	Price	Qty	Total	
Banana	\$15			
Banana Nut	\$15			
Banana Dark Chocolate	\$15			
Banana Campfire S'mores	\$15			
Hot Chocolate & Oreo Cookie	\$15			
Pumpkin	\$15			
Pumpkin Dark Chocolate	\$15			
Apple Crumb	\$15			
Zucchini	\$15			
Zucchini Nut	\$15			

Soups (1 qt)					
Butternut Squash & Apple	\$15				
Country Chicken Tortellini	\$15				
Broccoli Cheddar	\$15				

Dips & Sides				
Cranberry Relish (24oz)	\$12			
Creamy Spinach Dip (16oz)	\$12			

Social Ministry		
Donate an Apple pie to the St. William's Social Ministry for distribution to parishioners in need	\$25	

Total # of Items Ordered: Total \$ of Items Ordered:

\$



THANKSGIVING PIE & BREAD FUNDRAISER

St. William the Abbot School HSA

White Post Farms Sale Items

Pies



Apple



Pecan



Apple Crumb



Dark Chocolate Pecan



Blueberry



Pumpkin



Blueberry Crumb



Peach Raspberry Crumb

Breads



Apple Crumb



Banana Campfire S'mores



Banana



Pumpkin Dark



Zucchini



Banana Dark Chocolate



Pumpkin Dark Chocolate



Zucchini Nut



Banana Nut



Hot Chocolate & Oreo



Cookies



Chocolate Chip



M&M



Oatmeal Raisin

Gluten Free



Banana



Banana Dark Chocolate



Banana Nut



Zucchini



Chocolate Chip Cookies

Soups



Broccoli Cheddar



Butternut Squash & Apple



Country Chicken Tortellini

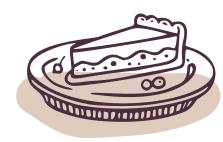
Dips & Sides



Cranberry Relish



Spinach Dip



THANKSGIVING PIE & BREAD FUNDRAISER

St. William the Abbot School HSA

Ingredient List

Pies

Apple Pie - Apples, Flour, Vegetable Shortening, Sugar, Corn Starch, Citric Acid, Salt, Apple Cider Vinegar, Cinnamon, Spices, Potassium Sorbate, Xanthan Gum.

Apple Crumb Pie - Apples, Flour, Vegetable Shortening, Sugar, Corn Starch, Citric Acid, Salt, Brown Sugar, Wheat Flour, Butter, Apple Cider Vinegar, Cinnamon, Spices, Potassium Sorbate, Xanthan Gum.

Blueberry Pie - Blueberries, Flour, Vegetable Shortening, Sugar, Corn Starch, Citric Acid, Salt, Apple Cider Vinegar, Potassium Sorbate, Xanthan Gum.

Blueberry Crumb Pie - Blueberries, Flour, Vegetable Shortening, Sugar, Corn Starch, Citric Acid, Salt, Brown Sugar, Wheat Flour, Oats, Butter, Apple Cider Vinegar, Potassium Sorbate, Xanthan Gum.

Pecan Pie - Dark Corn Syrup, Flour, Vegetable Shortening, Eggs, Sugar, Light Brown Sugar, Pecans, Butter, Pure Vanilla Extract.

Dark Chocolate Pecan Pie - Corn Syrup, Flour, Vegetable Shortening, Dark Chocolate, Eggs, Sugar, Light Brown Sugar, Pecans, Butter, Cocoa Powder, Pure Vanilla Extract.

Pumpkin Pie - Pumpkin, Enriched Flour, Vegetable Shortening, Eggs, Vegetable Oil, Milk, Sugar, Salt.

Breads

Banana Bread - Flour, Sugar, Bananas, Soybean Oil, Eggs, Milk, Pure Vanilla Extract, Baking Soda, Salt, Baking Powder.

Banana Nut Bread - Flour, Sugar, Bananas, Soybean Oil, Eggs, Walnuts, Milk, Pure Vanilla Extract, Baking Soda, Salt, Baking Powder.

Banana Dark Chocolate Bread - Flour, Sugar, Bananas, Soybean Oil, Eggs, Milk, Dark Chocolate, Pure Vanilla Extract, Baking Soda, Salt, Baking Powder.

Banana Campfire S'mores - Flour, sugar, bananas, soybean oil, eggs, milk, graham crackers [unbleached enriched flour (wheat flour, niacin, reduced iron, thiamine mononitrate {vitamin B1}, riboflavin {vitamin B2}, folic acid), graham flour (whole grain wheat flour), sugar, canola oil, honey, leavening (baking soda and or calcium phosphate, salt, soy lecithin, artificial flavor], milk chocolate [sugar, chocolate liquor, cocoa butter, whole milk, soy lecithin, salt, vanilla], mini marshmallows [corn syrup, sugar, modified cornstarch, dextrose, water, gelatin, tetrasodium pyrophosphate, natural and artificial flavor, blue 1], vanilla extract, baking soda.

Hot Chocolate & Oreo Cookie Bread - Flour, Sugar, Cocoa Powder, Soybean Oil, Chocolate Pudding, Eggs, Vanilla Pudding, Hot Chocolate Powder, Oreo Cookies, Milk, Pure Vanilla Extract, Baking Soda, Salt, Baking Powder.

Pumpkin Bread - Flour, Sugar, Pumpkin, Soybean Oil, Eggs, Baking Soda, Cinnamon Cloves, Nutmeg, Salt, Baking Powder.

Pumpkin Dark Chocolate Bread - Flour, sugar, pumpkin, soybean oil, eggs, dark chocolate [sugar, chocolate liquor, cocoa butter, soy lecithin, vanilla], baking soda, cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg, salt, baking powder.

Apple Crumb Bread - Flour, Sugar, Apples, Sour Cream, Soybean Oil, Eggs, Apple Sauce, Brown Sugar, Cinnamon, Butter, Pure Vanilla Extract, Baking Soda, Baking Powder, Wheat Flower, Margarine, Modified Corn Starch, Natural and Artificial Flavor.

Zucchini Bread - Flour, Sugar, Zucchini, Soybean Oil, Eggs, Apple Sauce, Baking Soda, Pure Vanilla Extract, Salt, Cinnamon, Nutmeg, Lemon Zest, Baking Powder.

Zucchini Nut Bread - Flour, Sugar, Zucchini, Soybean Oil, Eggs, Walnuts, Apple Sauce, Baking Soda, Pure Vanilla Extract, Salt, Cinnamon, Nutmeg, Lemon Zest, Baking Powder.

Gluten Free Breads & Cookies

Gluten Free Banana Bread - Gluten free flour, sugar, bananas, soybean oil, eggs, milk, pure vanilla extract, glucose, baking soda, salt, baking powder.

Gluten Free Banana Nut Bread - Gluten Free Flour, sugar, bananas, walnuts, soybean oil, eggs, milk, pure vanilla extract, glucose, baking soda, salt, baking powge

Gluten Free Banana Dark Chocolate Bread - Gluten free flour, sugar, bananas, soybean oil, eggs, dark chocolate [sugar, chocolate liquor, cocoa butter, soy lecithin, vanilla], milk, pure vanilla extract, glucose, baking soda, salt, baking powder.

Gluten Free Zucchini Bread -Gluten free flour, sugar, zucchini, soybean oil, eggs, apple sauce [apples, high fructose corn syrup, water, ascorbic acid (to maintain color)], baking soda, pure vanilla extract, salt, cinnamon, nutmeg, lemon zest, baking powder.

Gluten Free Chocolate Chip Cookies - Gluten free flour, sugar, brown sugar, eggs, butter, milk chocolate, vanilla extract, salt, baking soda.

Cookies

Chocolate Chip Cookies - Flour, Sugar, Brown Sugar, Eggs, Butter, Milk Chocolate Chips, Modified Corn Starch, Vanilla Extract, Salt

Oatmeal Raisin Cookies - Flour, Sugar, Brown Sugar, Oats, Raisins, Eggs, Butter, Vanilla Extract, Modified Corn Starch, Salt, Baking Soda, Cinnamon.

M&M's Cookies - Flour, Sugar, Brown Sugar, Eggs, Butter, Milk, Chocolate Chips, M&M's Milk Chocolate (Sugar, Chocolate Skim Milk, Cocoa Butter, Lactose, Milk fat, Soy Lecithin, Salt, Artificial Flavor), Sugar, Cornstarch, Less than 1% - Corn Syrup, Dextrin, Coloring, (Includes Blue 1 Lake, Yellow 6, red 40, Yellow 5, Blue 1, Red 40 Lake, Blue 2 Lake, Yellow 6 Lake, Blue 2) Gum Acacia, Modified Corn Starch, Vanilla Extract, Salt.

Soups & Dips

Butternut Squash & Apple Soup - Butternut Squash, Chicken Stock, Apple, Heavy Cream, Honey, Onions, Carrots, Butter, Corn Starch, Cooking Wine, Salt, Spices.

Country Chicken Tortellini Soup - Chicken Stock, Carrots, Chicken, Celery, Onions, Semolina Flour, Eggs, Ricotta, Parmesan Cheese, Mascarpone, Mozzarella, Breadcrumbs, Romano Cheese, Corn Starch, Butter, Bay Leaves, Olive Oil, Salt, Spices.

Broccoli Cheddar Soup - Chicken Stock, Half and Half, Butter, Broccoli, Carrots, Cheddar Cheese, Onions, Corn Starch, Flour, Spices, Salt, Black Pepper.

Creamy Spinach Dip - Spinach, Mayonnaise, Sour Cream, Water Chestnuts, Carrots, Spices.



ST. WILLIAM THE ABBOT'S 1ST

Click Here to register by 10/27



Cash Prizes

RADIO BINGO NIGHT

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3RD AT 7PM ST. WILLIAM THE ABBOT SCHOOL GYM

> includes \$25 entry & bingo card

additional bingo cards and raffle tickets BILLIFI available for purchase night of

BRING YOUR OWN FOOD AND DRINKS

BINGO STARTS 7:30PM



17/43/47/74

14/21/36/42/23



RAFFLE BASKETS NEEDED



Suggested Donation Items/Baskets:
Wine/Liquor
Restaurant Gift Cards
Sports Tickets
Scratch Offs
Unopened Toys

Gift Cards for Services

WE WILL BE HOLDING BASKET RAFFLES AT MANY EVENTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. WE ARE COLLECTING ITEMS, TICKETS AND GIFT CARDS!

Please contact Allie Viggiano (alisonviggiano@yahoo.com) if you are interested in donating a basket or item(s).





WORLD'S FINEST CHOCOLATE SALE!





We are all sold out of extra chocolate - thank you to all of our families who requested extra!

Payment will be accepted through 11/3. Please consider paying early!

\$60 each plus processing fees



Click <u>HERE</u> to pay for ALL boxes received.

Incentive winners will be notified after the sale closes on 11/3:

- All classes with 100% family participation will receive a Dress Down Day
- Families that sell 3 or more boxes will receive a \$10 Boonli credit
- Families that sell 5 or more boxes will receive a \$10 Boonli credit and 2 free hours of volunteer service credit.
- Families that sell 10 or more boxes will receive a \$50 Gift Card.

If you have any questions, please reach out to Bernadette Devlin at beadevlin722@gmail.com



SWS MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS INVITE 5TH-8TH GRADE GIRLS TO



CHEER 2023 CHEER 2023 2:30-3:30 PM APR ROOM

Don't forget to change dismissal in PUP. Bring a change of clothes, water and sneakers

Any questions email cheer@stwilliamtheabbot.net



COACHES NEEDED





OCTOBER 26, 2023 @2:30PM

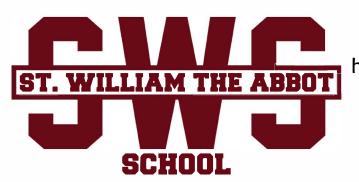




WEAR PROPER ATTIRE AND BRING WATER!

ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE EMAIL MSS@STWILLIAMTHEABBOT.NET





Order Deadline October 27th

Follow the link below to order http://applausedancewear.com/Spiritwear-St.William-the-Abbot-56/

Orders will be delivered to school.

Please allow 2-3 weeks from 10/27 for delivery Custom Spiritwear is Final Sale







BW6620 - LADIES FLANNEL FIT GUIDE							
SIZE	XXS	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL
Waist Relaxed	25	26	28	30	33	36 1/2	38
Front Rise	10 1/4	10 %	11 1/4	11 3/4	12 1/4	12 3/4	13 1/4
Back Rise	14 ¼	15 ¼	15 ¾	16 1/4	16 1/4	17 1/4	17 ¾
Inseam	26 1/4	28 ¾	29 ¼	29 ¾	30 ¼	30 %	31 1/4











\$37

\$45

\$40

See website for more details. Questions? Contact Valerie Augustin