



# St. Francis Wolf Post

January 17, 2023

## Announcements

**Mass:** Wednesday, January 18th at 1pm, hosted by 8th grade.

**CASE Training:** Jan. 24 at 6pm in the Library. Please RSVP to Kristina in the front office. (kcruse@sfsherood.org)

**Cultural Week:** Jan 23rd to Jan 27th. More information coming soon.

**Catholic Schools Week:** Jan 29th to Feb. 2nd, **see attached** flyer for more information.

Faith Formation For teachers on Feb. 3 - NO SCHOOL

**Book Fair:** Jan. 30th to Feb. 3rd, see attached flyer for more information.

**Grandparent's Mass/Brunch:** Feb. 1st - Mass at 8:30 a.m. followed by Brunch and Tour of school. **See attached** invite, click on link to respond.

### Registration for the 2023-2024 School Year:

Registration for current family's is open for the 2023-2024 school year. In order to reserve your spot for next school year, please click this link

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeNo7ST8Ly058Doa-yesIAJ2uuiwcSkA3OJ-KyEbHtWzIoDNA/viewform>

**Deadline is Feb. 15th.**

### Tuition Assistance Timeline

- Nov. 21 begins the online application process in FACTS for the 23-24 school year.
- **Feb. 1, 2023, is the deadline for online applications**
- Any questions reach out to Ms. Gonzalez or Mrs. Finnell

**CYO Registration** is open for Track and Field! This will take place at St. Anthony in Tigard, **see attached** flyer.



## February Hot Lunch Orders:

For the month of February hot lunch can be purchased on Wednesdays and Fridays. Use link to order.

### Deadline is January 27th

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/17CCArAnOu6Fc5\\_mLhsvZ6mLZnxScXDVLotOSPvUgvzk/edit?ts=63c74446](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/17CCArAnOu6Fc5_mLhsvZ6mLZnxScXDVLotOSPvUgvzk/edit?ts=63c74446)

## Music Notes:

Middle school choir rehearsals will continue on Friday, January 20th.

Elementary choir will begin rehearsals on Monday, January 23rd.

## Early Learning Fair in Sherwood

Mrs. McGann and Mrs. Myers will be attending and marketing our PreK program on Jan. 28th.

## Art News

Mrs. Green is sponsoring "My Cards". This is a wonderful way to share your child's art work.

Orders are due January 27th. **See attached**

## Virtue of the Month - Industrious

**Meaning:** Diligence, especially in work that leads to academic and spiritual growth

**Ways to Cultivate:** Diligently completes a task: sets small goals along the way.

## PSO Corner:

We have some fun events coming up, please stay tuned for more details as the events get closer.

Saturday, February 25th - Son Social


Saturday, April 15th - Daughter Dance

Thursday, May 18th - Jog-A-Thon

**Open House:** Feb. 5th at 12:30pm to 3:30pm - Please join us and invite your family and friends.

## Coffee Mugs- Great Gift for Valentine's Day

We have St. Francis insulated coffee mugs and tumblers available for purchase. If interested we will bill them to your FACTS account. Stop by the front office to get your mug or tumbler. **Coffee Mugs - \$35; Tumblers - \$30**





## **Recycle Your Refundable Cans & Bottle at St. Francis**

Our Student Council members have been busy labeling dozens of blue recycle bags to continue this fundraising campaign! If you need additional bags, please have your child pick one up from their teacher or the office. You may drop off filled bags at your local Bottle Drop Facility or bring them to the school. No single bag should weigh more than 20 lbs. Only those bottles labeled for Oregon deposit are accepted. All proceeds generated from this fundraiser will go toward PSO funds. Thank you for your support!




## Art News

Hi Families! Students will be bringing home envelopes labeled "My Cards" this week. Inside, you will find your child's design for a card. This program is a fun way to share your child's artwork. It is also a fund-raiser for the art department.

If you elect to purchase cards, you will receive a box of 10 cards and envelopes. Your child's design will be on the front, the inside will be blank, and the artist's name, school, and the year will be on the back. Each set costs \$15, with \$3 going to the art department. These make great gifts for grandparents!

Orders are due by Friday, January 27, 2023. The cards will arrive approximately three weeks later. This fund-raiser is optional. If you decide not to order cards, there is no need to return the envelope.

Thank You for your support,  
Ms. Green  
Art/PE Teacher



# **Catholic Schools Week 2023**

## **Faith, Excellence, Service**

MONDAY JAN. 30	<b>Celebrate Community</b> Each classroom will make “Cards of Appreciation” for the local businesses who are supporters of St. Francis School Kick off of Book Fair
TUESDAY JAN. 31	<b>Celebrate Students</b> Free lunch for students-hotdogs, carrots, chips, cookies Free Dress, following the guidelines Each class will choose a special treat, and will be given an extra indoor or outdoor recess Book Fair
WEDNESDAY FEB. 1	<b>Celebrate Grandparents and Special Friends</b> Grandparents and special friends are invited to school Mass at 8:30 Brunch Tour of school for all grandparents and special friends Book Fair
THURSDAY FEB. 2	<b>Celebrate Vocations</b> Teachers/classes make cards: Fr. Amal, Deacon Bill Teachers’ luncheon sponsored by PSO



# Grandparent's Day at St. Francis Catholic School

- FOR: Grandparents or any Grandparent substitute
- DATE: Wednesday, February, 1, 2023
- WHERE: Meet at St. Francis Catholic School and go directly to your youngest student's classroom
- TIME: 8:15 AM
- Schedule: 8:30 Mass  
9:30 Brunch  
10:00 Slideshow, School Song w/ instruments, Student Presentations  
10:30 Wrap up  
Tours  
Book Fair
- RSVP: Please RSVP by Monday, January 30th using the link below

<https://forms.gle/5ZqEYirXXfGEmxZf9>



Dear Parents and Families:

Get ready! The Scholastic Book Fair is coming our way (YAY!). Choosing their own books empowers kids and inspires them to become Bolder, Prouder, and Stronger Readers. AND...as always, every book they buy earns rewards for our school.

Here's what you need to know about the Fair, which will take

place

from January 30, 2023 through February 5, 2023 in the library.

This year, don't forget to set up **eWallet**—your child's digital payment account. Before the Fair, set up eWallet for worry-free, cash-free purchases. Anyone can contribute! Share each child's eWallet so friends and family can add funds and give your kids more books to enjoy. If you enjoy more traditional payment methods, don't worry! Cash, check and credit card will still be accepted.

If you can't make it to the Fair, then **shop at our school's Online Book Fair**. All orders ship directly to your home, and shipping is free for book orders over \$25. Your online orders will also benefit our school.

To learn more about this year's book fair and get started with eWallet and online shopping, visit:

<https://www.scholastic.com/bf/stfrancisschool>

The countdown to more Book joy is on! Catch you at the Fair!

Love to RUN, JUMP, THROW?  
Join the St. Anthony / St. Francis Team!



Registration is open to all 3rd – 8th Grade Boys & Girls.  
Register on-line at:

<https://cyocamphoward.org/content/16586/SAnt-Track-Field>

Practices at Ridge Elementary School's Track (Sherwood) beginning March 13th  
RoadRunners (3rd - 4th Grade) Monday & Thursday 5:30pm - 7:00pm  
Cub / Cadets (5th - 8th Grade) Monday, Tuesday & Thursday: 5:30pm - 7:00pm

Development Track Meets: April 15, 22, 29 & May 6

Championship Meets:  
ALL RoadRunners May 13th  
Meet of Champions for Qualifying Roadrunners/Cub/Cadets May 20-21

**Registration is \$210\***

Track Uniform singlet is provided and needs to be returned at the end of the season.

For more information OR interested in COACHING email Jennifer Adamy at  
[jenn.adamy@gmail.com](mailto:jenn.adamy@gmail.com)

If you play another sport but would still like to join our team and compete, we would love to have you. You must compete in at least 2 meets to qualify for the Championship meets.

\*Effective March 11, 2023 a \$25 Late Registration Fee will apply.



# School Year 2022 - 2023 Dates

## January

Tuesday, January 3 - Return from Christmas Break

Monday, January 16- No School Martin Luther King Day

January 23-27 - Cultural Week

Sunday, January 22 - Knights of Columbus Free-Throw Contest

Tuesday, January 24 - CASE Training

January 29 - February 4 – Catholic Schools Week

January 30 - February 3 - Book Fair

## February

Wednesday, February 1 - Grandparents Mass/Brunch

Friday, February 3 - No School, Faith Formation

Sunday, February 5 - 10:30am Mass hosted by School - Open House

February, 6-9 - ACRE Testing 5th & 8th Grade

Monday, February 20 - No School - Presidents' Day

Tuesday, February 21 - No School - Teacher Inservice

Wednesday, February 22 - Ash Wednesday, Lent Begins

Saturday, February 25 - Mother-Son Social

## March

Friday, March 10 - Noon Dismissal - Professional Development

March 27-31 - Spring Break

## April

April 3-14—STAR Testing Window

Friday, April 7 – Good Friday - Noon Dismissal – NO Extended Care

Monday, April 10 - Easter Monday, No School

Saturday, April 15– Father-Daughter Dance

Friday, April 21 Half Day – Professional Development – NO Extended Care

# School Year 2022 - 2023 Dates

## May

Friday, May 5 - Noon Dismissal - Inservice - NO Extended Care

Thursday, May 11 - Spring Concert

Thursday, May 18 - Jog-a-Thon

Monday, May 29 - Memorial Day – No School

## June

Friday, June 9 - Last Day for Eighth Grade

Wednesday, June 14 - Eighth Grade Graduation Mass, 10:30 am

Friday, June 16 – Noon Dismissal - Last Day of School, Field Day - NO Extended Care

Monday, June 19 – Summer Break

Friday, June 23 - Report Cards Sent Home

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