



# St. Francis Wolf Post

January 29, 2024

## Announcements

### Tuition Assistance

**Deadline Feb. 1** please login to FACTS and complete the application. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Finnell at [lfinnell@sfsherwood.org](mailto:lfinnell@sfsherwood.org).  
<https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/4CQFM>

### Grandparents Mass/Brunch

**Jan. 31st** - Mass and Virtue Awards at **8:30a.m.** followed by Brunch. See attached invite for more information. Meet in youngest child's classroom prior to Mass

### CASE Training

**Feb. 13th @ 5:00pm** in the 8th Grade classroom. This will be **our last training** for this school year. Contact the front office to sign up.

### Catholic Schools Week

***Faith, Excellence, & Service***

**Mon-** Community

**Tues** - Free Dress - NO **Hot Dog Lunch** Postponed to Feb. 8th, due to Funeral

**Wed** - Grandparent's Day

**Thurs** - Vocations

**Fri** - **No School**-Teachers Faith Formation

### February Lunch Orders

Due Feb. 2st, please see attached link.

<https://forms.gle/6Ujf7kWYJSDNyobdA>

### Snow/Ice Make-Ups Days

**Feb. 20th: Full School Day**  
***(make up day from ice, 1.18.24)***

**March 8th: Full Day of School**  
***(make up day from ice, 1.19.24)***

## SCHOOLASTIC BOOK FAIR!

Beat the car line and join us at the book fair. **Fair opens at 7:30am. Reminder: Doughnut Day at the Book Fair is Thursday morning, we will open at 7:00am.** Come with your kids and enjoy a doughnut, juice and coffee while you shop!

**Tomorrow the students will be allowed to shop the book fair during library** time so now is a great time to create an ewallet or send cash so they can shop!

If you want to donate to your Teacher's library use the QR code to make your classroom library wishes come true!

## Virtue of the Month - Industrious

**Meaning:** Diligence, especially in work that leads to natural and supernatural maturity.

**Ways to Cultivate:** Diligently complete a task; set small goals along the way.

## Auction Class Projects

The class projects are an exciting element of the St. Francis Auction. Students work collaboratively to create a one-of-a-kind piece of art that raises money for our school.

**This year, the tile project will be optional.** Parents wishing to continue the tradition, will sign up and prepay via FACTS. The tile cost remains at \$20.

Please fill out the google form to order your tile.

## Auction Update

Will follow in separate email, please be on the look out.

## St. Francis Second Stage Productions - Finding


Nemo: Drama program is back for all 5th - 8th graders. Information Meeting March 14, coming soon, so sign up! Click here to sign up.



## PSO Corner

**Volunteers Needed:** We need volunteers to help with the Father/Daughter Dance. Volunteers are needed to help with set up, to help monitor things during the dance, and for cleaning up. Please email Sonya Reed at [sonyahight@hotmail.com](mailto:sonyahight@hotmail.com) if you're able to help.

## PSO Upcoming Events

- **PSO Monthly Meeting** - Thursday, February 15th. Please email [erica.hass@gmail.com](mailto:erica.hass@gmail.com) if you would like to be a part of the PSO.
  - **Mother/Son Social** - Saturday, March 16th, 1-3pm. To be held at the St. Francis Parish Hall.
  - **Father/Daughter Dance** - Saturday, April 27th, 7-9pm. To be held at the St. Francis Parish Hall.
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# Grandparent's Day at St. Francis Catholic School

- FOR: Grandparents or any Grandparent substitute
- DATE: Wednesday, January 31, 2024
- WHERE: Meet at St. Francis Catholic School and go directly to your youngest student's classroom
- TIME: 8:15 AM
- Schedule: 8:15 Meet in classroom of youngest student  
8:30 Mass  
9:30 Brunch  
10:00 Presentations  
10:30 Wrap up  
Tours  
Book Fair

Please RSVP by Sunday, January 28th using the link below

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**The St. Francis Book Fair starts Friday!**



**For more information visit:**

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



# ST. FRANCIS SECOND STAGE 23-24' PRODUCTION



**CALLING ALL 5TH - 8TH GRADERS!**

**INFORMATION MEETING:**

**THURSDAY, MARCH 14**

**AUDITIONS:**

**TUESDAY, MARCH 19**

**REHEARSALS:**

**START TUESDAY, APRIL 2 AND ARE EVERY TUESDAY AND THURSDAY**

**3:15-5:15 PM**

**PERFORMANCES:**

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 29 - 3:30 - 5:30 PM (DRESS REHEARSAL)**

**THURSDAY, MAY 30 - 7:00 PM**

**FRIDAY, MAY 31 - 1:00 PM**

**FRIDAY, MAY 31 - 7:00 PM**



*Sign Up*  
NOW UNTIL MARCH 10

**CLICK HERE TO SIGN UP**



\*COST OF PARTICIPATION VARIES ON TICKET SALES - REMAINING COST OF PRODUCTION AFTER TICKET SALES WILL BE DIVIDED AMONG PARTICIPATING FAMILIES.



# Register for Camp Howard



## SESSIONS RUN FROM JULY THROUGH AUGUST 16!



### ACTIVITIES OFFERED

Archery, Boating, Laser Tag, Low Ropes Course, Giant Swing\* & Zipline\*, Arts & Crafts, Court Sports, 100ft Slip 'N' Slide, Fun Campfires, Swimming, and More!

\*Zipline and Giant Swing are for 13-14 year olds only



### OVERNIGHT WEEK-LONG CAMP

Weeklong sessions begin on Sunday and run through Friday. Three age groups that are split by gender: Ages 6-10, Ages 11-12, and Ages 13-14. Campers make new friends and participate in fun activities while enjoying the natural beauty of Camp Howard.



### SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

It is our mission to ensure that all youth, regardless of their family's financial situation, be given this opportunity to participate in faith-based camp activities through the CYO / Camp Howard Scholarship fund.

## REGISTER NOW

## 503-231-9484

## [www.cyocamphoward.org](http://www.cyocamphoward.org)







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503-231-9484

**CYO TRACK &  
FIELD  
REGISTRATION  
IS NOW OPEN!**






## Volunteer Opportunities

- Auction - Many options - committee or various jobs
- Lunch Room Monitor
- Recess Monitor - Morning (Elementary) or Lunch
- Classroom Help - Check with teacher
- Hot Lunch - Set-up or serving
- PSO Events - Back to School Social (September), Mother/Son Social (Winter), Father/Daughter Dance (Spring), Fun Run (Spring)
- Art Literacy - Each class
- Library - Library Days or End of School Clean-Up and Cataloging (June)
- CYO Sports - Coaching or Site Monitoring
- Field Trips - Check with teacher
- Room Parents - Each class
- 8th Grade Graduation Reception - June (After Graduation)
- Spring Campus Clean-Up - After most have passed (Spring)

**REMINDER:** You need to be **CASE Trained** and have a **current background check** to work with students.

Please contact Kristina Cruse at the front desk with any questions or if you would like to see if an opportunity is available. (503)625-0497 or [kcruse@sfsherwood.org](mailto:kcruse@sfsherwood.org).





## 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!

### Facebook

We have created a Facebook page, it can be found under the name:

**St. Francis Catholic School - Sherwood.** This for you to access updates and to give us a *LIKE*.



# St. Francis Catholic School's 2023-2024 Calendar

## January

Sunday, January 28 - School Mass @ 10:30am - Kickoff to Catholic Schools week

**January 28 - February 1 - Catholic Schools Week-look at School Speak calendar for activities**

## February

**Friday, February 2 - No School, Faith Formation Inservice**

Tuesday, February 8 - Hot Dog Lunch (from Catholic Schools Week)

**Tuesday, February 13 - CASE Training @ 5:00 - Last One**

**Monday, February 19 - No School, President's Day**

**Tuesday, February 20 - School Make Up Day from Ice Day (1.18.24)**

Wednesday, February 21 - SAC Meeting @ 5:30pm

## March

**Friday, March 1 - End of 2nd Trimester**

Saturday, March 2 - 21st Annual Gala and Auction

**Friday, March 8 - Full Day - Make Up Day from Ice Day (1.19.24)**

Friday, March 8 - 2nd Trimester Report Cards on School Speak

Saturday, March 16 - Mother/Son Social

Wednesday, March 20 - SAC Meeting @ 5:30pm

**March 25 - 29 - Spring Break- No School**





## April

**Monday, April 1 - No School - Easter Monday**

April 1 - 12 - Spring STAR Testing Window

**Friday, April 12 - Noon Dismissal, Archdiocese Inservice**

Wednesday, April 17 - SAC Meeting @ 5:30pm

Monday, April 22 - 8th Grade Graduation Photos

Saturday, April 27 - Father/Daughter Dance

## May

**Friday, May 10 - Noon Dismissal, Progress Reports**

Wednesday, May 15 - SAC Meeting @ 5:30pm

Thursday, May 16 - Spring Concert

Friday, May 17 - 3rd Tri Progress Reports on School Speak

**Monday, May 27 - No School, Memorial Day**

## June

Sunday, June 2 - School Mass @ 10:30am

June 3 - 5 - Camp Gray, 6th Grade

June 5 - 7 - Camp Hancock, 7th Grade

June 12 - 8th Grade Graduation

**Friday, June 14 - Last Day of School- Noon dismissal**

**Friday, June 14 - End of 3rd Trimester**

Wednesday, June 19 - SAC Meeting @ 5:30pm

Friday, June 28 - 3rd Trimester Report Cards mailed home

***Updated: 1/29/2024***

