

Health Office & Attendance Line: 612-787-1131

Weekly Update 3 ~ September 21, 2023

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FR.SEP 22	8:00 AM K-8 Mass w/music (church)
	Catholic High School Visits (8th Graders)
	Marathon Prize Drawing & Pep Fest

MO. SEP 25 NO bus service

Out-of-uniform passes may be used

NWEA Testing begins

WE.SEP 27 6:00 PM Ignite 4th-8th grades (youth room)

FR.SEP 29 8:00 AM Grades K-8 Mass (church)

Marathon Prize Drawing

MO.OCT 02 Out-of-uniform passes may be used

TU.OCT 03 Bonus Marathon Spirit Wear Day

Looking Ahead

SA.OCT 07 ST. CHARLES SCHOOL MARATHON

Dear St. Charles Parents,

We'll be starting our NWEA MAP testing next week; please have your children well-rested and in attendance (provided they are not ill). We appreciate your support with this.

Tomorrow, we'll begin the day with Mass, and we will have our videographer onsite to gather some footage during the school day for a new school video. We have a Marathon assembly at 2:00 PM led by our very own 8th graders. We'll be videoing some footage during the assembly, and we are planning some very cool all-school pieces for this video.

We're going to start giving away some of the smaller weekly Marathon prizes tomorrow since Marathon season is here. We'll have longer announcements during the day with a few jokes, prizes, and laughs to bring in the weekend. If you haven't started speaking to family members, friends, and neighbors about supporting our school by sponsoring one of your children, this is a great weekend to start. It is also a good time to select and nail down a service project if you have not done that. We recommend doing the project before Marathon Day but shortly after is fine too. These projects are great things to talk about when engaging donors. They usually want to know, "What will you be doing for this Marathon?"

It was great being with all of you at Parent Information Night last week. We rely on our parent support heavily and we really value connecting with you.

God bless you, Danny Kieffer St. Charles Principal

It's Marathon Time ~ Saturday, October 7

It's almost here!!! **The annual St. Charles School Marathon is Saturday, October 7.** Our weekly prize drawings begin Friday, September 22. All names will be included!!

This important fundraiser is vital to our school operations. Please contact Angela at abollensen@stchbs.org if you would like to use TADS to donate through your school account. You can also donate online at Marathon donation. Please share this link with your family and friends, and don't forget to place your student's name in the comments section. Many companies have matching gift programs that also help us reach our goal. Thank you for your generosity!

Check out the Marathon Day volunteer opportunities for parents and 7th & 8th graders at <u>SignUpGenius</u>. Home and School will have Spirit wear available for purchase. The 6th graders will be hosting a coffee booth with all donations supporting their November Wolf Ridge trip.

Last, but certainly not least, please send in your prayer requests (forms included in the Marathon packet) to be read during the 9:00 AM Mass and rosary. Thank you, and we can't wait to see everyone there!!!

Home and School

Our first Home & School meeting is at 6:30 pm on Thursday, October 12th at St Charles in room 104. We will be discussing how the Marathon went, any changes or updates that need to be made, and any future events coming up at school. We would love YOUR input and time! All parents/guardians are welcome to attend!! Contact Andrea Richardson (651-470-5812 or andreamrichardson99@gmail.com) for more information.

Middle school library volunteers needed

Volunteers are needed on Wednesdays during the middle school library sessions to help check out and shelve books. Volunteers are typically scheduled every three weeks, but this can be flexible. Contact Kari Domeyer at karidomeyer@gmail.com if interested.

Spirit Wear for Sale

- Check out our Spirit Wear shop hosted by Schoolbelles: <u>Schoolbelles</u>. Items featuring our Chargers logo are available for purchase, including t-shirts, sweatshirts, tote bags, hats, and more! Orders are shipped directly to families.
- A couple of times a month, St. Charles has designated days when students can wear their Chargers shirts. These T-shirts can also be purchased at the front office for \$14 each and

at the Marathon on October 7. If you have any questions, contact Josie Salzbrun <u>jasalzbrun@gmail.com.</u>

Interested in Karate on Tuesdays at St. Charles?

Find out information and to register go to: https://sterlingkarate.com/

School Year Reminders

- The Health Office and Attendance Line is 612-787-1131. This number is used for both the attendance line and the health office. Please call this number to let us know if your student will be absent or coming late. If we don't hear from you before 8:30, you will get an alert saying that your student is not at school. Thank you!
- Please label all uniform clothing with a permanent marker, or maybe even check out this
 parent-recommended permanent label option: https://www.minted.com/name-labels

Prayer Corner ~

If you would like to add someone to our prayer corner, please email the information to Danny Kieffer at dkieffer@stchbs.org

- For a complete and quick recovery from a fall for Joe, father of staff member Anita Juntilla.
- For successful medical treatments from now to the end of October for staff member Colleen Pineda's father.
- For a complete and quick recovery for Lynn's daughter. Lynn is a supporter of St. Charles School.
- For a complete and quick recovery from back surgery for Kersten, mother of students Alijah and Aleeyah.
- For a healthy pregnancy for Leah, mother of students Bo, Eleanor, and Theo.
- For the repose of the soul of Corinne Goranson, grandmother to former students Danny and Ella F. and for the comfort of her family.
- For the repose of the soul of Peter Gubash, great-grandfather to students Adriana, Robbie, Adeline, and Raina, and for the comfort of his family.

Additional Links

- St. Charles Website ~ www.stchbschool.org
- St. Charles Google Calendar ~ St. Charles Calendar Link
- St. Charles Lunch Calendar ~ St. Charles Lunch Calendar Link
- St Charles Wellness Policy ~ <u>School-Wellness-Policy</u>
- St. Charles Google Athletic Calendar ~ St. Charles Athletic Calendar Link
- St Charles Volunteers ~ SignUpGenius
- St Charles Facebook ~ https://www.facebook.com/stchbs
- St Charles Spirit Wear ~ Schoolbelles questions: Josie at jasalzbrun@gmail.com
- St. Charles Borromeo: St Charles Church