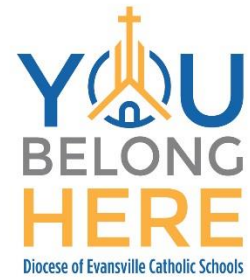




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Parent Newsletter

Friday, February 26, 2021



### SCHOOL BENEFIT AUCTION—ONE WEEK AWAY!

Don't get caught napping! Our HALF POT is now over \$14,000. **That's a payout of over \$7,000 to the winner!** If you need more tickets to sell, we have some available in the school and parish offices. Tickets are also being sold in the CCM parking lot this Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and next Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. **ALL SOLD AND UNSOLD TICKETS NEED TO BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL BY THIS WEDNESDAY.**

The online silent auction is **LIVE** now through March 4<sup>th</sup>. Attached you will find step-by-step instructions explaining how to participate as well as the list of items on the LIVE AUCTION. Free dress passes, the bidding frenzy gift certificates, and the fund-an-item donations are posted on the SILENT AUCTION page. All money raised from the auction goes to benefit the school! Our goal this year is to raise enough money to replace the Promethean board in each classroom with a new board.



**\*Silent Online Auction: Feb. 20-March 4<sup>th</sup> \*Live Online Auction: March 6<sup>th</sup>**

### STANDARDIZED TESTING DATES

Mark your calendars for these important dates:

\*Students in grade 3 will be taking the IREAD test from March 8-19<sup>th</sup>. Mrs. Walker will let families know of the exact dates by the end of next week.

\*Students in grades 3-5 will be taking the ILEARN test from April 19<sup>th</sup> through May 14<sup>th</sup>.

Again, the teachers will let families know of the exact dates when the testing window gets closer.

Please make sure that your children get plenty of sleep and eat a good breakfast. Encourage them to do their best, to read carefully, and to check their work. These are things that we encourage the students to do anytime tests are given in class. Also, please try to avoid scheduling appointments during school hours on these days. Thank you!



### SCHOLASTIC SPRING ONLINE BOOK FAIR

We are partnering with Scholastic Books to offer an online Spring book fair for our students from March 15-28<sup>th</sup>. You and your children will be able to experience a virtual fair and browse through Scholastic's catalog of over 6,000 titles. Christian and Easter themed books will also be available. Please see the flyer in today's Friday Folder for more information.

### YEARBOOK ORDERS—DEADLINE APPROACHING

The deadline to order a St. Matthew School yearbook for 2020-2021 is March 24<sup>th</sup>. If you have questions about how to place an order, please call the office.

### OPEN HOUSE & KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP

If you know someone who is interested in learning more about St. Matthew School and possibly enrolling their child in grades K-5 next year, please have them contact the school office at 812-838-3621.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

We want to wish the following students and staff members a very happy birthday this month!



March 9—Bella  
March 14—Ms. Barb (ASC)  
March 17—Dillan  
March 30—Braxtyn

### LUNCH MENU

Monday, March 1

Corndog or Chef Salad with Breadstick,  
Baked Beans, Blazed Carrots, Peaches, and Milk

Tuesday, March 2

Pepperoni Pizza or Chef Salad with Breadstick,  
Corn, Steamed Broccoli, Diced Pears, and Milk

Wednesday, March 3

Turkey & Cheese Sub or Chef Salad with Breadstick,  
Baked Cheetos, Carrots with Ranch, Raisins, and Milk

Thursday, March 4

Hot Dog on Bun or Chef Salad with Breadstick,  
Green Beans, Potato Wedges, Pineapple Tidbits, and Milk

Friday, March 5

Bosco Sticks or Chef Salad with Breadstick,  
Marinara, Carrots with Ranch, Mixed Fruit, and Milk

