



Shamrock News

11/4/16

Announcements:

Flu Shot Vaccinations: Reminder - St. Patrick Alumni and pharmacist Mr. Chris Lay will be in the Parish Hall to provide flu vaccinations from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 8.

Chess Club: The upper elementary chess club will begin meeting after school on Monday, November 7. Forms were sent home in last week's Friday folders for all students in grades 3 – 5.

Jean Days:

Friday, November 11: Catholic Relief Services for HIV/AIDS Treatment and Research. Students may wear school appropriate patriotic shirts for Veteran's Day.

Friday, November 18: Children's Healing Center (more information visit their website at <http://www.childrenshealingcenter.org>).

Congratulations:

- To the Class of 2020 for receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation on Sunday at St. Andrew Cathedral in Grand Rapids.
- To freshmen Ashton Walker for finishing in first place in the cross country regional on Saturday and advancing to the state finals. Ashton will run at 10:00 a.m. this Saturday at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn, MI.
- To our varsity football team for winning in the first round of the football playoffs. They are now 10 – 0 on the season. They play Wyoming Tri-Unity Christian at 7:00 p.m. at the PHS field on Saturday night.

Picture Retakes: Bak Photography will be back on Tuesday, November 8th for picture retakes and those absent on picture day. Please bring your pictures if you are having them retaken.

2016 Christmas Giving Program: Applications for the Portland Community Fund Association Christmas Giving Program are available in the school office. Forms must be returned by Monday, November 14 to City Hall.



American Red Cross

Give Thanks! Donate Blood! The St. Patrick Catholic High School chapter of the National Honor Society is hosting an American Red Cross blood drive on November 15th from 10:00 am to 4:15 pm in the St. Patrick Parish Hall. To schedule an appointment to donate, please see an NHS member today or visit www.redcrossblood.org. Walk-Ins accepted. Appointments honored.

Used Uniform Sale in Room 208: The PTO is leaving the uniform sale up for your shopping convenience. We have a huge inventory of Girls, Boys, Juniors, and Men's gently used uniforms all priced \$1, \$2 and \$3 dollars, please come and shop. Spirit Wear is also available! We are always accepting donations of your gently used uniforms; these may be dropped off at the office during school office hours. Please sign in at the office before you shop.

Christmas Program: The elementary Christmas Program will take place Thursday, December 15th at 2:30p and 6:30p in the gymnasium.

Varsity Football Game: The varsity football game is at home versus Wyoming Tri-Unity Christian on Saturday with a 7:00p kick off. Please remember that this is a MHSAA tournament game so admission of \$5 must be paid for the game. CMAC passes and St. Patrick athletic passes are not allowed for this game.

Tuesday, November 8th
No busing – Portland Public Schools not in session.

US Military Veterans



You are cordially invited to join the faculty, staff and students of St. Patrick School in our annual Veteran's Day Observance. The ceremony is November 11th at 10 a.m. in the school gym. A cookies and coffee reception will immediately follow the ceremony in the Parish Hall for our honored veterans and their families.



Calendar of Events



11/5	Cross Country State Meet @ MIS Speedway Brooklyn 10a Var. Football vs. Tri-Unity Christian @ PHS 7p	11/8	Drama Club Grades 6-12 Room 115 2:30 - 3:30p Drama Club Grades 3-5 Room 115 3:50 - 5:00p SPS Lego League CIA Building 6p Flu Shot Clinic in Parish Hall 6:30p
11/6	Daylight Savings Time Ends Athletic Association Meeting in Parish Hall 6:30p	11/9	QuizBowl: League Meet @ Potterville 4p Sanchin-Ryu Room 209 6p
11/7	Open Gym 2:30-3:10p Chess Club Grades 3-5 Room 115 3:50-5p 7/8 Grade Boys BB @ Saranac 5p	11/10	Mass led by 12th grade 9:30a 7/8 Grade Boys BB vs. Fowler @ SPS 5:30p
11/8	<u>No Busing</u> - public school not in session School Picture Retake Day Election Day - Don't forget to vote PFCU Student Run Branch during lunches	11/11	Veterans Day Veterans Day Assembly 10a Open Campus Lunch for Seniors

Clip & Save

There have been some recent changes to what labels St. Pat's will be collecting. The Labels For Education has been discontinued. Spartan Labels are no longer collecting UPC's, and we are no longer collecting juice pouches. Please keep this chart handy for future label competitions.

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- Each Box Top is worth 10¢.
- You can find Box Tops on over 270 participating products.
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Aunt Millie's School Spirit UPC's

- Each UPC is worth 5¢.
- The UPC must include the School Spirit logo.
- Visit <http://schoolspiritprograms.com/all-eligible-products/> for a complete list of eligible products.

Tyson Project A+ Labels

- Each label is worth 24¢.
- There are more than 30 participating Tyson products in the freezer section.
- Look for the Tyson Project A+ Label.
- Visit <http://projectaplus.tyson.com/Products.aspx> for a complete list of Tyson products.

New ways to donate to St. Patrick School:



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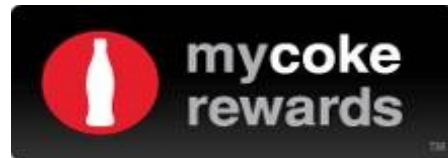
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