



# Shamrock News

9/7/18

**Welcome 4 year old preschool students:** St. Patrick School welcomes the following 4 year old preschool students to St. Patrick School: Benedict Austen, Trent Bozung, Nicholas Brown, Marley Cook, Natalie Cote, Riley Davis, Paxton Goodwin, Daniel Harraka, Kent Haskin, Scarlet Hinds, Daniel Hoppes, Jr., Macklon Huhn, Alexis Juszczuk, Tucker King, Cora Kissane, Austen Livingston, Kendell Loganbach, Easton O'Neill, Evelyn Pierce, Grace-lynn Pung, Isaac Pung, Camden Russman, Alexandria Russo, Sawyer Simpson, Charli Thelen, and Gabriel Weber.

**Welcome 3 year old preschool students:** We welcome the following 3 year old preschool students to St. Patrick School: Nel-leigh Arnesen, Breslynn Bengel, Annica Fagan, Elias Harraka, Wesley Hoppes, Brady Keilen, Spencer McCausey, Sophia Mer-ryfield, Rowan Piggott, Aiden Schneider, Cian Schneider, Ada Schrauben, Hadley Smith, Robert Sullivan, Reid Thelen, and Cecilia Wight.

**Middle School Science Tutoring:** 8th grade student Joshua Snitgen is starting a middle school science tutoring business. He is offering to arrange tutoring sessions for middle school stu-dents at both St. Patrick School and at Portland Middle School. Please contact Joshua via email at atomtutoring-science@gmail.com for more information or to schedule tutor-ing sessions.

**Thinking Maps:** This week's Thinking Map is the Double Bubble Compare and Contrast Map.

**Picture Day:** Pictures will be taken on **Tuesday, September 11** for preschool and grade DK-5 students. Students must dress in school uniform. This year when you shop online at mylifetouch.com you can get a free Shutterfly photo book. Also available online is a digital download of one picture for \$12. Sign up for My Family Rewards and you receive one digi-tal download for free.

**Free and Reduced Meal Applications:** The forms were sent home last week. It is extremely urgent that all families return this form, even if you are not applying for free and reduced lunch, as it is tied to two important funding sources for our school.

## ***PGO Tailgate***

Before the Homecoming Game

Friday, September 14

6 p.m. in the PHS parking lot

Bring a potluck dish

Enjoy hotdogs, pop/water and goodies!

Game starts at 7 p.m.



## **Label Contest**

Turn in your labels to your teacher by:

**Friday, September 21st**

The class (grades DK-5 & 6-12)

with the most labels turned in

per student will win:

***Out of Dress Code Day & Donuts***



## **Calendar of Events**

9/8	JV VB @ Lakewood Invitational 8:30a Cross Country @ Bath Invitational 8:30a Var. Football vs. Camden-Frontier @ PHS 7p	9/12	5/6 Grade VB (white) @ St. Thomas 6p
9/9	Athletic Association Meeting in Parish Hall 6:30p	9/13	Mass for grades 1-5 9:30a 7/8 Grade VB @ P-W 5p JV & Var. VB vs. Morrice @ SPS 5:30p
9/10	7/8 Grade VB @ Fulton 5p	9/14	Homecoming - see next page for events and times Cross Country @ Spartan Invitational 3:30p Var. Football vs. Webberville @ PHS 7p
9/11	Picture Day Grades DK-5 & Preschool Cross Country @ Eaton Rapids Invitational 4:30p 5/6 Grade VB (green) @ St. Mary Westphalia 6p	9/15	5/6 Grade VB (white) vs. St. Paul & St. Mary @ SPS 10a 5/6 Grade VB (green) vs. IHM & St. Joseph @ SPS 12:30p High School Homecoming Dance in Parish Hall 7:30-10:30p
9/12	Mass for grades 9-12 9:30a JV & Var. VB vs. CC-C @ SPS 5:30p		

# Homecoming 2018

Friday, September 14, 2018



## Holidays

- Seniors - 4th of July
- Juniors - Christmas
- Sophomores - Halloween
- Freshmen - Canada Day

## Homecoming Court

- Queen Candidates: Leah Cook, Annie Gunderman, Summer Russman
- King Candidates: Paul Cook, Brandon Scheurer, Graham Wohlscheid
- Juniors: Devin Fedewa and Leah Kissane
- Sophomores: Connor Cross and Marian Pearson
- Freshmen: Braxton Teachworth and Abigail Weller
- Prince and Princess: Faith Higbee and Lawrence Rogers

## Dress Up Days:

Monday- Comfy Day (Grades 6-12) (NO JEANS!! No flip flops!) Dress in comfy clothes.

Tuesday- Holiday Day (Grades 6-12) (NO JEANS!! No flip flops!) Dress up as your favorite Holiday.

Wednesday/Thursday\*\* - Sunday Best on your Mass day (Grades DK-12) - Dress in your Sunday best. Guys in ties and girls in appropriate clothing with straps on the back of their shoes. Great Grandma approved!!! (No bare shoulders! No flip flops!)

Wednesday/Thursday\*\* - Camo Day on your no Mass day (Grades 6-12) - Dress in your favorite camouflage wear. (No flip flops!)

Friday - Spirit Day (Grades DK-12) - Dress up in St. Pats SUPER spirit wear and let your spirit rock! (Jeans are allowed! No flip flops!)

\*\* Grades 9-12 and 6-8 will flip days depending on the day they go to Mass. Grades DK-5 are allowed to wear Sunday best on Thursday.

## Activities and Events:

### Friday, September 14, 2018

- 7:30 a.m. – Donuts for High School and Junior High
- 10:00 a.m. – High School Powder Puff
- 11:40 p.m. – Jr. and High School Pep Assembly
- 1:00 p.m. – Volleyball Tournament - immediately after the Pep Rally
- 6:00 p.m. – Parade from St. Patrick to Portland High School \*\*\*\*This is for Jr. High and High School Students only.\*\*\*\*
- 6:00 p.m. – PTO Tailgate Party in PHS parking lot
- 7:00 p.m. – Football Game
- Bonfire after the football game at Fr. Flohe Field until 11:00 p.m.

### Saturday, September 15, 2018

- High School Dance from 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.  
Dress is semi-formal, guys in ties and girls in dresses (same rules apply as Sunday best above).  
\*\* Students from other schools MUST have an approved Dance Guest Request Form.

During Spirit Week (Monday, September 10th – Thursday, September 13th ) Student Council will be selling Spirit Wear during lunch. The students will be able to wear the tattoos on Friday of Homecoming week.

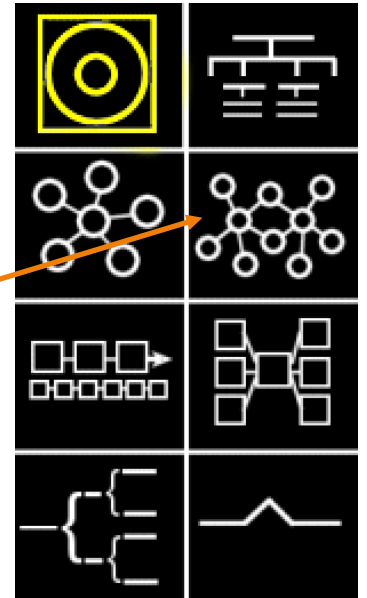
1 string of green and 1 string of white beads -----	50¢
1 green shamrock medallion necklace -----	50¢
1 green glow pompom -----	\$3.00
1 tattoo -----	25¢
1 green frisbee-----	\$1.00





# THINKING MAPS

## HOME & School

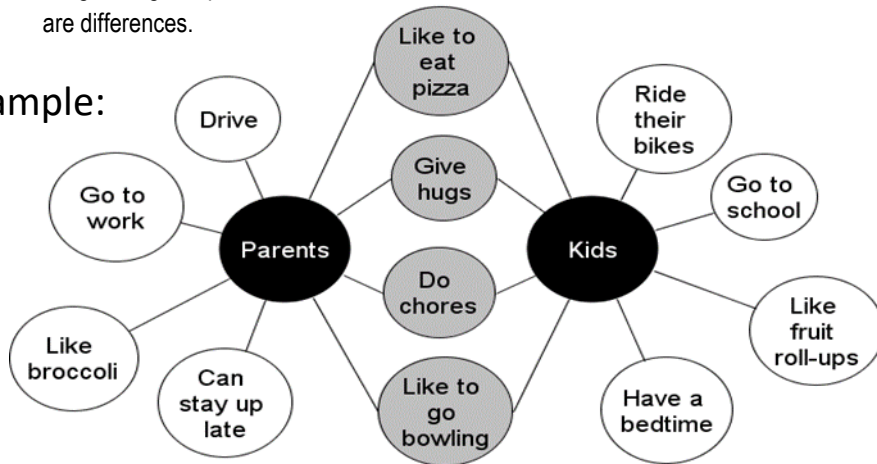


### Double Bubble

## Compare and Contrast

A double bubble is used for comparing and contrasting. Bubbles in the middle that touch both things being compared are similarities, bubbles outside that connect to one circle or the other are differences.

Example:



Other ideas for **Double Bubble Map**

- Two people/story characters
- Two animals
- Two stories
- Two cities
- Two other things

With your family, create a double bubble map. You may select any topic for the center of your bubble map. Remember: You may only use ADJECTIVES or ADJECTIVE PHRASES in your bubbles.



Don't forget that the 2018 Fall Festival is right around the corner...Sunday, October 14, 2018.

**Activities include:**

**All-You-Can-Eat Buffet Dinner (11:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.)** Featuring slow-roasted roast beef, ham, mashed potatoes and gravy, dressing, vegetable, salad, bread and dessert. Held in the school cafeteria.

**Arts & Crafts Show (9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.)** In the gym, classrooms and hallway. Contact Darlene Miller (517-526-0765) for more information.

**Cookie Booth in the office hallway.** Fill a box with homemade cookies for a low, low price!

**5K Race & Half Marathon.** (Registration begins at 6:30 a.m.) Will start at PHS. Contact Dawn Fedewa (517-231-0442) for more information.

**Kidfest (10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.)** On the second floor of the school. Games and activities for children. Contact Michele Pelc (517-980-2460) for more information.

**Euchre Tournament (12:30 p.m.)** Will be held in the Parish Hall. Advance registration isn't necessary. You don't have to bring a partner.

**Raffle (3:00 p.m.)** In the Parish Hall. Over \$2500 in cash prizes. Remember, every pack of tickets that is sold makes a difference! Please pick up yours and sell them!

**SPECIAL DOOR PRIZES:** More than 25 door prizes will be awarded to guests who attend the dinner! Every guest will draw a ticket from the Pot O' Gold to see if they will be a lucky winner! No additional charge for this special giveaway!