

St. Patrick's School
Tuesday Notes
May 14, 2024

Field Day

Our annual Field Day will be held on Thursday, May 23rd. All students should wear their PE uniform shorts and the traditional field day shirt which will come home next week. Lunch is provided thanks to our 5th grade parents and aftercare is available until 6:00 p.m. Please e-mail Mrs. Ali if you would like to volunteer to help run one of our field day stations.

Internet/Technology Safety

Please listen to this podcast. I found this to be very informative:

<https://www.honestlypod.com/podcast/episode/1b1ee3ce/smartphones-rewired-childhood-heres-how-to-fix-it>

This book (<https://www.anxiousgeneration.com/>) is very informative, and they have their own movement: <https://letgrow.org/program/anxious-generation/>

We will continue to share resources!

Please save the date for a parent speaker scheduled for Wednesday, November 6th addressing the dangers of social media at home and helpful tools for you and your children as we navigate this issue together. More information to come in September.

Grandparents Club Surprise

This Friday, the Grandparents Club is hosting a surprise event for our students. Beginning at 1:30 p.m. grandparent volunteers will gather the whole school for about an hour of BINGO fun and a treat! The grandparent's club is very active here at St. Patrick's School, and this is a wonderful opportunity for the grandparents to do something memorable at school for their grandchildren!

EOY Library Book Return

All Library books must be returned by Thursday May 23rd so they can be inventoried and reshelved. If your child has lost a library book, Mrs. Swanda will provide replacement value for the book so it can be purchased.

The Upcoming Weeks:

Friday, May 17 th	8 th Grade S.S. Final Exam
Monday, May 20 th	5 th Grade Field Trip
Tuesday, May 21 st	7 th & 8 th Grade Final Exams
Thursday, May 23 rd	Field Day; Noon Dismissal; Aftercare Available
Friday, May 24 th	No School; Pastor's Holiday!
Monday, May 27 th	No School; Memorial Day Holiday
Tuesday, May 28 th	3 rd Grade Field Trip Volunteer & Leadership Reception
Wednesday, May 29 th	7 th Grade Final Exam Last Day for 8 th Graders!

Friday, May 31 st	8 th Grade Graduation 1:00 p.m.
Wednesday, June 5 th	Noon Dismissal PK-grade 7; Last day for PK; Aftercare available until 6:00 p.m.; Last Day for aftercare.
Thursday, June 6 th	Closing Mass and Kindergarten Graduation 10:30 a.m. Summer Vacation begins!