



## St. Malachy School

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The 2011 - 2012 school year is in session. Preparation for the learning year consisted of new uniforms, shoes, book bags, pencils, paper, and other items. Schedules for classes and review of policies have all taken place. However have we made plans for God in our new school year? Think about it and find a place for God in this year of learning and sharing knowledge of God and His creation...



Back to School CookOut and Bonfire at the Knights of Columbus  
Friday, August 26<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.  
Celebrate the beginning of a new school year with your family and friends!  
*Ball Players in uniform eat free.*  
(FREE Dress Day for attending will be Monday, Aug. 29<sup>th</sup>)

### AUGUST DATES

30 Teacher In-Service, see flyer enclosed  
31 Vision Testing (Preschool, 2, 8): Hearing Testing (Preschool, K, 1, 2, 3)

### SEPTEMBER DATES

1 Hearing/Vision Testing (Preschool)  
1 Safe Environment Program 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.  
3 Safe Environment Program 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.  
5 Labor Day – No School  
8 Class Retreat – Grade 8 (***Please call the office if you will be having 11:00 a.m. lunch.***)  
9 Grandparents Day / Half Day In-service / Dismissal at 12:30 p.m.  
12-23 Iowa Test of Basic Skills (3-5-7)  
15 Midterm Reports  
29 Class Retreat – Grade 7 (***Please call the office if you will be having 11:00 a.m. lunch.***)  
30 No Bus Service Today

### ATTENTION PARENTS:

➤ PLEASE REMEMBER TO TURN IN ALL HEALTH FORMS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Health Physicals & Immunization Records: K and 6<sup>th</sup> grade

Dental Exams: K, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup>

Sports Physicals: 5<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>

Vision Exams: K and new students

- **SAFE ENVIRONMENT CLASS** is required for all parents who are volunteering at St. Malachy School. If you have not taken this class and did not sign up on Registration day, please call the office. We will be having a class on Sept. 1 at 6:30 p.m. and one on Sept. 3 at 9:00 a.m. It is only necessary to attend one of these classes.
- If you plan to apply for Free or Reduced lunches, you must do so before Sept. 15, 2011. Forms are available in the School or Business Office. For those of you who have already filled these out, you will find in this brown envelope a letter stating if you have been approved or not.
- Some of you will find Registration information in your brown envelope that needs to be filled out and sent back in the brown envelope. Thank you
- TEACHER IN-SERVICE, AUGUST 30TH: See enclosed flyer
- Students may purchase extras for lunch each morning at the school office for 50 cents.



Free dress day for those students who attended the IN-FIELD FLY event will be Aug. 30<sup>th</sup>, 2011. A free dress pass will be given to these students tomorrow.

### **SPORTS:**

Upcoming Home games are Thursday, Aug. 25<sup>th</sup> vs. Gifford; Friday, Aug. 26<sup>th</sup> vs. Potomac; and Monday, Aug. 29<sup>th</sup> vs. Eater. Come out to the Knights of Columbus Field and cheer on the Tigers!!



### **GRANDPARENTS DAY**

9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. Open House/Grandparents may visit Classrooms

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Mass

Lunch immediately following Mass

Student Dismissal at 12:30 p.m./Teacher In-service Half Day

### **FALL FEST AUCTION**

- Auction items are needed for the fall fest. If you have anything to donate to this, please call Randi Smith at 215-6209.
- Classroom auction basket items may be brought in. The first class to have 100% participation will have a pizza party!!