

# Laker Newsletter

March 23, 2023

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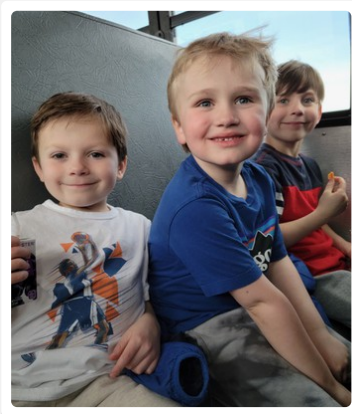
School Hours

7:45AM-3:05PM

Office Hours

7:30AM-3:30PM

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## Mission Statement

*We at St. Edward on-the-Lake Catholic School, work together with our families and community to create a Christ-centered environment which promotes Catholic faith formation, academic excellence, and personal development. Our students will have the opportunity to become confident, independent thinkers, and life-long learners who are responsible to God, to themselves and to society.*

## March is Reading Month Activities Week of March 27th

27th Reading Logs Turned In

28th T-Shirts and Trivia Day: Bring in Five Trivia Questions on Your Favorite Planet

29th Reed and Feed Day

30th Free Dress Day: Last Day of the Month due to Mass on Friday

## 2023-2024 Registration Notes

With the registration window now open for next school year, we wanted to share a couple of notes.

-If you are a returning family, you do NOT need to complete a new application, as you only need to re-enroll. There are options for both. The application process is for new families only. Returning families need only re-enroll!

-Pay in Full Option: Did you know that if you pay your 2023-2024 Tuition IN FULL by July 1st, you get a 5% discount. Tuition must be paid in full by the July 1 date to get this discount. Note that regular monthly payments for next year will begin in July and run until the last payment in April.

## 4th and 5th Grade Retreat Pictures



## School Store News

Attention Shoppers! After a three-week hiatus, the Pier is FINALLY back open this Friday with an all-star employee lineup: Kayla, Sloane, Bennett, Parker, Preston, and Aubrey will be working the store this week providing top notch service with a smile! They **really** want some extra math to do, so please come down to the store this week! 😊

This week's new items:

- Twister Mechanical Pencils..... \$1.00
- Cuddle Grips Animal Clip-Ons...\$1.00
- Poppin' Tube Pens.....\$2.00
- Brain Stress Squishies.....\$2.00

Thank you for shopping local! 💖



## Recorder Karate Black Belts

Congratulations to the following students that learned all nine songs in Music Class on their recorders to earn their Black Belt Status in Recorder Karate! Great work!



## Important March Dates

### March

23 Spring Picture Day

27 Stations of the Cross w/Father Acervo 2:30PM @ Church

27-28 Confession with Father Acervo for our 2nd-5th Graders

### April

6th-16th Easter Break

17th School Resumes



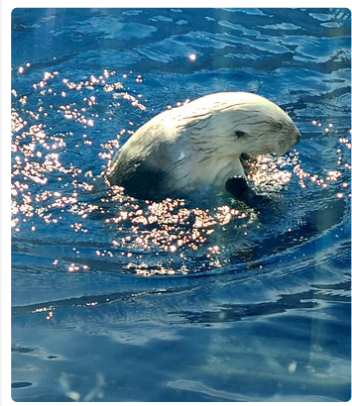
18th and 19th Accreditation Team Visits St. Ed's

20th PTO Meeting 6:00PM in Library

21st Daddy/Daughter Dance

29th 2nd Grade First Holy Communion

## Kinder and 1st Grade Zoo Pictures



## Kremer Scholarship Applications

We are very fortunate to be selected by the Kremer Foundation, to once again receive a \$10,500 dollar tuition scholarship grant for our St. Edward on the Lake Families for the 2023-2024 school year. We are attaching the application to this correspondence for those that are interested in being considered for this scholarship opportunity. Depending on the amount of scholarship applications we receive, know that not everyone that applies, may receive one. Please note that his scholarship opportunity is for those families that will NOT be receiving the first year \$2500 dollar discount. This scholarship has strict requirements that we must abide by, including the documentation required, deadlines, and minimum household income amount needed to apply.

Important information to know regarding the scholarship application:

1. Maximum Family Income to apply is \$57,409 dollars
2. Application must be filled out in its entirety and signed
3. Documentation must be included verifying income (See top of application for proof requirements)
4. Must be turned in to school office by the deadline date of **Friday, April 21st at 3:00PM (NO EXCEPTIONS!)**, with all documentation required.

If you have any questions while filling out the application, please do not hesitate to ask.

We will also be sending this information home today in hard copy format.



Kremer Parent Scholarship Application.pdf

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## Easter Egg Hunt

Please see the attached flyer for information on the Parish Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 8th after the Blessing of the Baskets at 11:30AM! We hope to see you there!



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## April Breakfast and Lunch Menus

Please find the April Breakfast and Lunch Menus below!



April Breakfast & Lunch Menu.pdf

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## School Classroom Expansion

**Update: The bid process for our proposed expansion has begun, and general contractors have been invited to come to the school on Friday, March 10th in the afternoon to do a walk through of the construction site and to look at our current building set up. Mr. Metty, Mr. Hearn and Father Acervo will be escorting the visitors around later in the afternoon.**

Our proposed classroom expansion plans are now in the final stage of the bid package prep phase, with the hope that we will be able to send out our four and six classroom bid package for general contractors to bid on in three weeks. The window for general contractors to bid will take place over a 30 day period. Once this period expires, we will review the bids and bring one to the AOD and the College of Consultants at the end of April. We will present and discuss the project with the Consultants, and share with them our financing plan for the construction and completion of the project. If given approval, a construction timeline will be implemented, with a hopeful construction start date to be in the summer of this year. Your continued prayers and thoughts on a positive outcome to this effort are

needed and appreciated. We will keep everyone posted on the progress of the proposed expansion as we have new information.

## Dress Code

Around this time of year, and as a reminder, we like to send out the Dress Code Guidelines from the Student Handbook. Please review this, as we are starting to push the boundaries in the uniform area, especially with the shoes. Thank you for your help with this!



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## Daddy-Daughter Dance

Save the date for the return of our Ties and Tiaras Daddy Daughter Dance on Friday, April 21st from 6:00PM-7:30PM at the Parish Hall. More information to come out soon on this fun event for St. Ed Dads and Daughters.

## Track Coach Needed

We are looking for a Track Coach or Coaches to run this year's combined Track Team comprised of St. Ed and St. Mary McCormick students. The Track season will run from April to the end of May, with track meets taking place May 3rd, 10th, 17th and 24th against our other Blue Water Vicariate Schools. If you are interested in helping coach this year's team, please see Mr. Metty for more information.

## March Lunch Help Sign Up

We are always in need of help during the 11:20AM-12:30PM Lunch Cycle. If you can spare the time, please consider volunteering! Don't let the cold weather scare you from helping! We can use you in the lunchroom and when its too cold outside, we go in the Gym for recess!



[March Lunch ...](#) [na01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com](mailto:na01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com)

Please review the available slots below and click on the button to sign up. Don't forget to stop by the office and fill out an FEP slip for your chance to win a prize this month as a thank you for volunteering! Your time is greatly appreciated! :)

**BINGO Workers Needed!**

As part of our Family Engagement Program, one of the areas that volunteers are needed, is to assist the Knights of Columbus at our weekly Monday Night Bingo Events at the Parish Hall. Workers are needed from 5:30PM-8:30PM each Monday. When our parents volunteer at Bingo, we will receive a portion of the proceeds from that evening's event. Please consider giving an evening to work Bingo for the school. If interested and able, please contact the school office and we will put you on the schedule for an upcoming Monday!

## Protecting God's Children REMINDER

### REMINDER:

**If you have taken the Protecting God's Children Class, please send us a copy here in the school office. We need to note that you have taken the class in order to participate in our school functions involving our students! Thank you for your help with this!**

Protecting God's Children is a three hour class that is Required by the Archdiocese of Detroit for parents of St. Edward on the Lake School that are interested in volunteering and/or working in the school. If you have already taken the class, please disregard this. If you are a new family and/or have just started volunteering, you must take this class. If you need additional information, or to locate an upcoming class, please click on the link below.

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Unless otherwise noted all sessions are conducted in English.

## Register for PTO Remind

The PTO has set up a Remind Notification Account to push out information to our families regarding all of the activities that our PTO participates in throughout the year. Please see the attachment below on how to sign up to receive these texts to your phone.



PTO Remind Sign Up.pdf

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## St Edward on the Lake Facebook Page

Did you know that we have a St Edward on the Lake Facebook Page?

Check us out at the link below! We try to post happenings at the school, along with some cool pics of the activities going on at St. Ed's during the week!

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100063497019809>



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