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SMS E-Newsletter - Sept 14

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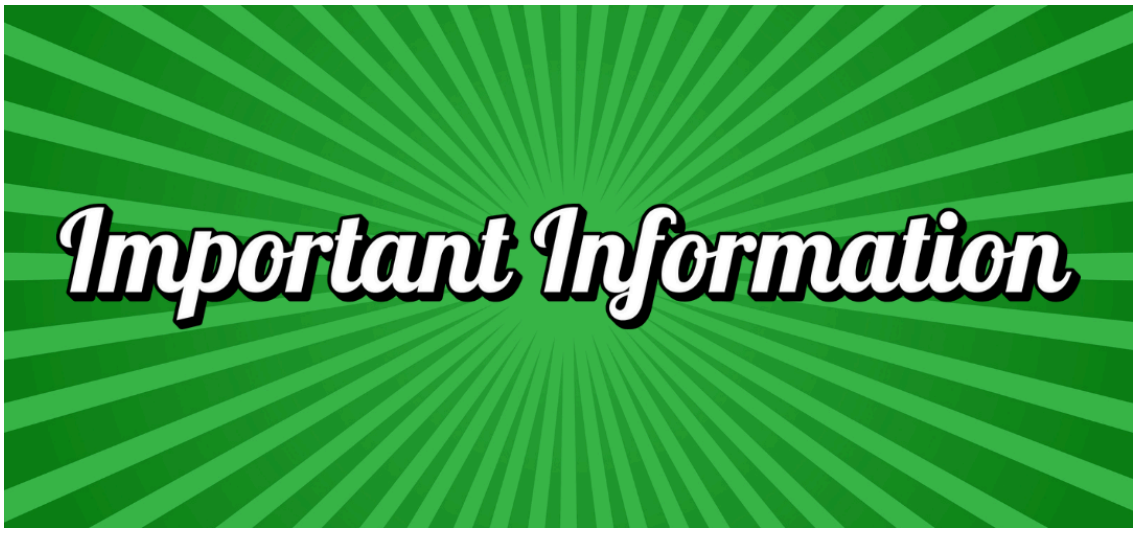
Kennison's Korner



Be sure to read Mrs. Kennison's
September 14th Newsletter!



Sept. 17th: Picture Day
Sept. 18th: E-Learning Day
Sept. 18th/19th: Country Fair
Sept. 21st: ShamrockIt Casual Day Pass
Sept. 21st-25th: Food for Families
Sept. 25th: Spirit Wear & Jeans Day



Important Information!

- On **September 18th,** SMS will have an **E-Learning Day** due to the Country Fair Weekend. Teachers will send out instructions closer to the date.
- **ILEARN reports** from the spring 2025 assessment (current 4th- 8th graders) will be **sent home on Wednesday, September 23rd.**
- **Beginning-of-year reading and Math screening assessment** (grades K-2) reports will be **sent home on Wednesday, September 23rd.**



Big R Awards

The Big R stands for **respect, responsibility, and resembling God**. Teachers and staff nominate students each week for this award.

Click HERE for last week's Big R Awards

Picture Day

Strawbridge Studios will be at St. Malachy on **September 17th for school picture day!** Please click on the links below for more information.

Picture Day Packages

Order Pictures Today



This is a FULL CASUAL Day!

FOOD FOR
FAMILIES
A St. Malachy School Initiative
in Connection with
Cornerstone Food Pantry



Food for Families

Food for Families collection will run from **September 21st-25th**. 8th and 1st-grade students will deliver the goods to the Cornerstone Food Pantry on September 25th.

Click HERE for the full list of donations.









Garage Sale

One person's "I don't need this anymore" is another person's treasure!

The **St. Malachy 8th Grade Garage Sale** is coming up on **Saturday, October 3, from 8 AM–2 PM!**

All proceeds will help support the 8th grade trip in May 2027, so every purchase helps make their big adventure possible!

Cleaning out your attic, basement, garage, or closets? We'd love your gently used items! **Bring your donations to us on Friday, October 2nd from 3 to 7 pm.** Have a large item to donate? Please contact Carla Stornetta to make arrangements.

Start gathering those treasures—and mark your calendar to shop! You never know what great finds will be waiting!

PTO Information

Trash bag update - Thanks to your incredible support, our school sold **nearly 3,400 rolls** and collected **almost $700 in donations**. While we fell just short of our ambitious goal of 4,000 rolls, the level of participation across our school community was truly inspiring.

More than **half of all St. Malachy families** participated by

either selling trash bags or collecting donations. That commitment and generosity make a tremendous difference for our school, and we are so grateful for your support.

These numbers reflect the hard work, enthusiasm, and school spirit of our students and families. Every sale, every donation, and every effort helped make this fundraiser a success.

Congratulations to Our Top-Selling Families!
🥉 **Third Place: Thompson Family** with **109 rolls sold**
🥈 **Second Place: Fon Family** with **112 rolls sold**
🥇 **First Place: Hession Family** with an amazing **127 rolls sold**

Please join us in congratulating these families on their outstanding efforts!

Students who earned **gift cards** or **casual passes** will receive them soon through backpack mail.

Thank you again to all our students, parents, family members, and supporters. Your generosity, hard work, and dedication to St. Malachy are what make our school community so special. We couldn't do it without you!

Save the Dates - PTO Meetings Calendar

Save the Dates - Events Calendar



Job Postings

- Maternity Leave Substitutes (Music and 1st Grade January-March) - contact Mrs. Kennison
- Spec Ed Instructional Assistant - click for more information
- Preschool Aide - contact Mrs. Kennison
- Substitute Teachers - contact Lori Koontz
- Extended Day - contact Mrs. Wheeler



Track It Forward

In an effort to help families keep track of their hours, we are partnering with a new service that allows them to log and track their hours throughout the school year. Starting this year, all service hours are to be submitted through **Track It Forward**. For more information, click on the link below!

How to Log Family Service Hours

CLICK HERE TO REGISTER

St. Malachy Catholic School forms saints in the doctrine and traditions of the Catholic faith by learning, loving, and living in Christ.

SMS Mission Statement

Cardinal Ritter High School Information



Please call our Guidance Office, 317-924-4333 ext 420, to schedule a tour or to get more information.

Important Links

Submit Service Hours

School Data - IDOE - GPS Data

Contact School Nurse

Schoolbelles

Rose Promos

Report an Incident

Contact the School Office

Contact Cafeteria

Contact Extended Day

SHAMROCK WAY

1. Pray every day.
2. Honor and respect everyone.
3. Always give your best effort.
4. Keep your hands, feet, and unwanted comments to yourself.
5. Serve others.

Upcoming St. Malachy Catholic Church Events





Join Us and Be Part of the biggest event at St. Malachy!

We're looking for passionate volunteers to support our upcoming Country Fair!

Some of the Options

- Food Tent
- Ticket Tent
- Kids Games
- Set-up and Clean-Up
- Pull Tab Tent
- And so much more!

Scan the QR Code to Sign-Up



QUEST HOT TOPIC

Schisms. What are they?
And what do they mean for ME?

SEPTEMBER 17TH

6:00 - 7:30 PM
Shamrock Cafe

Registration Required

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