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Tiger Newsletter

Saint James Catholic School

Cultivating exceptional scholars to know, love, and serve Jesus Christ.

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Upcoming Dates

	April 5	3rd Grade Living Saint Project Gym at 2:00
<i>.</i>)	April 6 -10	NO SCHOOL, Easter Break
	-	estorative Formation Committee, 5:30 Board Meeting, 6:30, both in library
10 il 10	April 14	Spring Showcase Gym at 6:30
10	April 15	Trivia Night! Church basement at 5:30
12	April 17-21	Iowa testing week
il 12 12	April 23	2nd grade First Holy Communion 9am Mass
12	April 27	SJCA Art Gala @ Leblond 6-9pm, open house
3	April 28	Middle School Dance @ St. James
	May 10	May Crowning (DATE CHANGE!)

From the Desk of the Dean

We had a week short on days but long on learning and fun! I got to experience my first eighth grade Etiquette Day, with a fancy lunch and lessons on proper dining. Most of the students had never had salmon before, and a few of them reported it was the first time they ever liked potatoes!

Iowa testing begins in just a few days, on April 17. It's a great opportunity for our students to show everything they have learned and for us to get and analyze our "report card" as a school. We have a week of fun surprises planned, mixed in with the testing to help our kiddos get through it unscathed.

Finally, last week, in our first Tiger Newsletter, I captioned a photo "volleyball" when it should have been "dodgeball." Don't worry, a sixth grader let me know before the letters even went home! Now that's what I call careful reading! The first of many typos to come, I am sure. We are actually considering a prize for any student who is first to report an error...

We hope you enjoy a blessed Easter with your family and friends. For anyone receiving Sacraments in this holy season, we pray that God will be with you and strengthen you during this exciting time. His mercy and goodness are truly without end!



Maria Montero, April 10
Madelon Williams, April 10
Zoe Williams, April 10
Charlie Crane, April 12
Benjamin Allison, April 12
Aaden Pearce, April 12
Charlie Crane, April 12
Claire Hook, April 13

Lunch Menu

Monday, April 10 NO SCHOOL

<u>Tuesday, April 11</u> Pig 'N' Blanket, French Fries, Peas, Oranges, Milk

Wednesday, April 12 Mexi Rolls, Refried Beans, Black Bean Salsa, Pineapple, Milk

<u>Thursday, April 13</u> Chicken Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Corn, Peaches, Milk

<u>Friday, April 14</u> Turkey, Potatoes with Gravy, Green Beans, Apple Crisp, Milk

Restorative Formation Committee

Beginning this month and going throughout the summer, we will be creating a school wide behavior plan for St. James. You are invited to participate on the committee! One meeting per month, on a Wednesday, 5:30-6:30 in our library. The first meeting is <u>April 12</u>. We hope you can join us!



(above and below) 8th grade enjoying their Etiquette Day.





(above) Dean Hosler, having been thoroughly pied by our top pie sellers.

Send news and pictures of the great things your student does. We will feature them in an upcoming Tiger Newsletter.