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For those of you who are first time readers of the eLedger, especially parents new to the system, this is the Academy's weekly bulletin of what is occurring within the Springs'

community. It is "the place" to find important weekly information concerning our Springs' community. You can click on the "Quick Links" to access specific items of information.

The reminder for submissions will be sent out each Monday to administration, faculty and staff with the weekly, final publication on Thursday. Other submissions can be emailed to me directly by Wednesday noon at <u>mlindborg@smsacademy.org</u>.

For news events that impact our community, please follow the listed guidelines for submitting information:

✓ Information can appear three times if necessary and appropriate.

✓ Some requests may be subject to Administrative approval.

The next two weeks continue the ongoing challenge to build community as teachers and staff return for in-services addressing policies and best teaching practices, and to ready classrooms, while parents and students participate in orientation sessions to familiarize themselves with the Springs' environment. Each new school year heralds an excitement as the Spring's community looks forward to new challenges and positive outcomes. Working together, within our Springs' community, they are very achievable. System News

Looking Ahead:

Important! Emergency Information and Acceptance/Permission Form

Please input your child/children's name/s on the lines at the top of the form. Address information is not necessary. Also, remember to sign the form before returning it to the school office on Orientation day.

	(SVB)	St. Mary's Springs Academy Emergency Information And Acceptance/Permission Form 2017-18	Please return this form to the school office on Orientation Day, Thursday, August 31, 2017
Names of	Name:	Name:	
child/children	Address:	Address:	
	City, State, Zip:	City, State, Zip:	
	In Case of Emergen List individuals and o <u>Name:</u>	cy: contact information if parent/guardians cannot be reached. <u>Contact Phone(s):</u>	<u>Relationship to Student</u>
	Please check the bo	SMSA Acceptance/Permission x in each section and sign at the bottom to give your consent to the	permissions listed below:
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	If I cannot be rea response personn	Emergency Treatment: Iched and emergency treatment is warranted I authorize the rel, and if necessary, take my child to St. Agnes Hospital for en le for medical costs incurred in the event of accidental injury.	nergency treatment.
Sign	Printed name	Signed	Date
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Welcome Back Spaghetti Dinner!



SAVE THE DATE

Welcome Back Spaghetti Dinner

Wednesday, September 20

Sponsored by SMSA Grandparents Club

Where: Holy Family Parish Hall from 5 pm to 7:30 pm

Ticket information: \$5 for adults and Grades 9-12, \$2 for Grades K-8; 4K and younger free---MAXIMUM FAMILY TICKET IS \$20!!!

Ticket availability: SMSA North or South Hall offices or the Scrip office.

Order online by emailing <u>terrynancyjudkins@gmail.com</u> with your order. Ticket confirmation reply will be sent for all requests. Pay at the ticket table at dinner.

Academic Calendar

ST. MARY'S SPRINGS ACADEMY 2017-2018 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

 21 ~ New Staff Orientation 22 - 25, 28-31 ~ Teacher In - Service 31 ~ P3-5th @ 4-6pm Student Orientation 31 ~ 6th-8th @ 5-7pm Student Orientation 31 ~ 9th-12th @ 6-8pm Student Orientation 	S IM T W Th F S M T W Th F S I 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 I I	FEBRUARY 2018 s M T W Th F S u u u 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 J J J	Jan 28-Feb 3 ~ Catholic Schools Week 2 ~ Early Release 11:30am – Elementary/MS 11:45am – HS *Staff Development 7 ~ 4K – 8 Conferences 4-8pm 8~ HS 9-12 Conferences 4-8pm 23 ~ Mid Quarter Progress (25d)
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Jan 28-Feb 3 ~ Catholic

Schools Week

SMSA Athletic Hall of Fame Dinner and Induction Event



Save the Date!

SMSA Athletic Hall of Fame Dinner and Induction Event

Friday, September 29th at the Knights of Columbus For reservation information, please contact Barb Cramer at <u>bcramer@smsacademy.org</u> or 920-322-8006.

Congratulations to the 2017 Athletic Hall of Fame Inductees:

Robert Sheridan '55 (Posthumously) David Schommer '82 Matt Massick '87 Rob Hyland '92 Sam Mueller '96 Amy (Walters) Schlotthauer '99 Mike Tack '01 Matt Moses '06 Coach Tom Neises

Honored Teams:

'92-'93 and '93-'94 Boys Basketball State Champions

News from the **kitchen**

Welcome to the new school year! SMSA Food Service is part of the National School Lunch Program and we strive to present tasty and nutritious meals for our students every day. **Parents are always welcome to come and share a meal with their children**. We hope to see you visiting our cafeteria soon.

There are a few reminders for the upcoming year. At <u>www.smsacademy.org/lunch.cfm</u> you will find menus, necessary forms, and information for food service. The Food Service payment policy has instructions on food service payment and instruction for setting daily limits using the skyward family access on purchases for your students, in the middle school and high school, who have a la carte choices.

New this year, the high school will have a ten minute morning break when they are welcome to come down to the cafeteria and grab a mid-morning snack. We will be featuring one grab-n-go snack item every day along with regular a la carte offerings. Also, we still have a

food service position available. If you are interested in the opportunity, please look at our posting at <u>www.smsacademy.org/jobs.cfm</u>. This is a great opportunity for some extra income and a schedule that matches your family's. Or please consider joining as a food service substitute for occasional staffing needs. Please contact <u>mkarrmann@smsacademy.org</u> with further questions or interest.

Sports News

We are still looking for volunteers to cover admissions and concession stands for this year's athletic events. Remember parents of athletes are required to work at least 3 events.

https://signup.com/group/6670173481156200111

Greetings from the School Nurse!

Hello!! My name is Katie Hellmer, and I am excited to be the first SMSA school nurse! My family relocated back to Fond du Lac after living in Northwest Arkansas for 2 years where I also worked as a school nurse. I grew up in Brownsville and lived in Fond du Lac before my husband's job took us on an Arkansas adventure.

I will be on campus on Monday, Wednesday and Friday each week. I am looking forward to getting to know the families here and hope to be a resource to any medical related needs here at SMSA. Please do not hesitate to contact me for any health/medical related needs regarding your children as I will be doing the same as I get to know each child. You can reach me at <u>khellmer@smsacademy.org</u> or 920-322-3206.

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Looking ahead on the Calendar: Weekly System Events Calendar

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		August 2017	
			Location
Aug 25, 2017 - Fri	03:30 PM - 05:00 PM	Life on the Ledge - 6th graders	
	05:00 PM - 06:30 PM	Life on the Ledge - 9th graders/All new HS Students	
		<u>(gr. 10-12)</u>	
Aug 31, 2017 - Thu		Student Orientation Night (PreK-12)	

For the Athletics Calendar please visit the URL below:

http://www.wisconsinflywayconference.org/g5-bin/client.cgi?G5genie=201&school_id=10



IMPORTANT UPDATE REGARDING SCHOOL SUPPLIES:

- **GYM UNIFORMS** The gym shirt is the same as in years past, but can only be purchased at Hoppers Screen Printing. There is no need to purchase a new shirt unless you need a new size. Any black shorts (supplied by the family) are required.
- **GYM BAGS** Students are required to purchase their own gym bags (sling back, cloth, small canvas, etc). Students may use gym bags from previous years.
- **PENCIL CASES** Any pencil case is acceptable (preferably large cloth).
- ON ORIENTATION NIGHT Pencil cases (\$3) and gym bags (\$5) will be available to purchase while supplies last.

Greetings,

The teachers are gearing up for the new school year. It's wonderful to see all their smiling faces again, and to see them filled with the energy to create a successful school year for all students. As they prepare their classrooms, please take time with your student(s) to ensure that they are getting ready as well. Please note the above list to ensure they have what they need to start off the year.

It's hard to wait to see all the students back in the hallways, playgrounds, and in the classrooms eager to learn and grow in various ways. Thank you for being partners in their education. See you soon and enjoy the rest of summer relaxation.

Childcare News

Child Care Job Opening

Part Time: St. Mary's Springs Academy is seeking individuals who desire an opportunity to work in a supervisory role with children 4 years old through 8th grade. Applicants must be flexible, willing to work as team members, to collaborate with colleagues, and they must complete the Safe Environment Education training.

A part-time (17.50 hrs.) position requires availablility from 2:30-6 p.m. (Mon.-Fri.) most days. Qualified candidates should send a letter of interest, resume and completed application (<u>http://www.smsacademy.org/jobs.cfm</u>) to: SMSA, Attn: Steve Kelnhofer, 255 County Road K, Fond du Lac, WI 54937 or to cwiza@smsacademy.org.

Scrip: http://www.smsacademy.org/scrip.cfm

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Campus Ministry

Saint Monica (c.330 – 387): August 27th

https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-monica/

"The circumstances of Saint Monica's life could have made her a nagging wife, a bitter daughter-in-law, and a despairing parent, yet she did not give way to any of these temptations. Although she was a Christian, her parents gave her in marriage to a pagan, Patricius, who lived in her hometown of Tagaste in North Africa. Patricius had some redeeming features, but he had a violent temper and was licentious. Monica also had to bear with a cantankerous mother-in-law who lived in her home. Patricius criticized his wife because of her charity and piety, but always respected her. Monica's prayers and example finally won her husband and mother-in-law to Christianity. Her husband died in 371, one year after his baptism.

Monica had at least three children who survived infancy. The oldest, Augustine, is the most famous. At the time of his father's death, Augustine was 17 and a rhetoric student in Carthage. Monica was distressed to learn



When he was 29, Augustine decided to go to Rome to teach rhetoric. Monica was determined to go along. One night he told his mother that he was going to the dock to say goodbye to a friend. Instead he set sail for Rome. Monica was heartbroken when she learned of Augustine's trick, but she still followed him. She arrived in Rome only to find that he had left for Milan. Although travel was difficult, Monica pursued him to Milan.

In Milan, Augustine came under the influence of the bishop, Saint Ambrose, who also became Monica's spiritual director. She accepted his advice in everything and had the humility to give up some practices that had become second nature to her. Monica became a leader of the devout women in Milan as she had been in Tagaste.

She continued her prayers for Augustine during his years of instruction. At Easter 387, Saint Ambrose baptized Augustine and several of his friends. Soon after, his party left for Africa. Although no one else was aware of it, Monica knew her life was near the end. She told Augustine, 'Son, nothing in this world now affords me delight. I do not know what there is now left for me to do or why I am still here, all my hopes in this world being now fulfilled.' She became ill shortly after and suffered severely for nine days before her death.

Almost all we know about St. Monica is in the writings of Saint Augustine, especially his *Confessions*."

Reflection:

"Today, with Internet searches, online shopping, text messages, tweets and instant credit, we have little patience for things that take time. Likewise, we want instant answers to our prayers. Monica is a model of patience. Her long years of prayer, coupled with a strong, well-disciplined character, finally led to the conversion of her hot-tempered husband, her cantankerous mother-in-law and her brilliant but wayward son, Augustine."

Counseling Department

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SMSA Community Corner

JLBC Registration

Note the

- ✓ Announcement;
- ✓ Registration form;
- ✓ Uniform form;
- ✓ Release, Waiver of Liability.



Junior Ledger Basketball Club

It's Basketball Time!

Information and Registration Night Monday, September 11th, 2017 **Baker Gym** 7:00 PM

(Attendance is encouraged)

- Open to students in grades 1-8 who are currently enrolled at SMSA or plan on attending high school at SMSA
- Additional coaching and skill development
- 1st Grade practices
- 2nd-4th Grade teams play up to 4 tournaments
- $5^{th} 8^{th}$ Grade teams play up to 6 tournaments
- Membership:

 - \circ 1st GradeFree \circ 2nd 4th Grades\$75 plus uniform costs \circ 5th 8th Grades\$100 Plus uniform cost \$100 Plus uniform costs
- See eLedger for more details

Any questions please contact:

Shayne Bauer drbauer@bauerchirofdl.com Samantha Baker bakersam1882@gmail.com

Jim Taylor jjtaylor599@gmail.com Jenny Baker jsbaker@charter.net



JLBC Registration Form 2017-2018

Player's Name:			Gender:
School:	Grade	:	Payment amount \$:
Parents/Guardians:			
Phone/Cell:	E-Mail:		
Emergency Contact:		_E.C. Pho	ne/Cell:

Membership

1 st grade:	Free + uniforms to be returned at end of season
$2^{nd} - 4^{th}$ grade:	\$75 + uniform fees see uniform form
5 th - 8 th grade:	\$100 + uniform fees see uniform form

Membership fees reduced by \$25 for each additional family member (excluding 1st grade)

All fees are due with registration and uniform forms

Make checks payable to: "Junior Ledger Basketball Club" or "JLBC" **Registration Deadline: October 1, 2017**

Parents/Guardians of JLBC participants are required to volunteer each season during tournaments sponsored by JLBC, unless they are coaching a JLBC team or otherwise serving as a volunteer. By signing below, you acknowledge this commitment. All coaches are selected by JLBC. If you are interested in coaching, please contact JLBC President, Shayne Bauer (920-960-2322).

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Junior Ledger Basketball Club, Inc. P.O. Box 1132 Fond du Lac, WI 54936-1132



JLBC Uniform Order Form 2017-2018

Player's Name:		Gender:
Coaches Name:	(Grade:

JLBC uniform including a shooting shirt is required by all participants.

Have Existing Jersey: ** If Yes, what is existing	Yes or No g jersey number?	
Have Existing Shorts:	Yes or No	

Have Shooting Shirt: Yes or No

Jersey (\$36) Size:	YS AS	YM AM	YL AL	AXL
Shorts (\$12) Size :	YS AS	YM AM	YL AL	AXL
Shooting Shirt (\$20):	YS AS	YM AM	YL AL	AXL

*Preferred Uniform Number _____ *Alternate Number _____

*Jersey numbers chosen must be 0 - 5, 10 - 15, 20 - 25, 30 - 35, 40 - 45 & 50 - 55)

Make checks payable to: "Junior Ledger Basketball Club" or "JLBC" *** All fees for uniforms must be included for registration to be complete***

RELEASE, WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

PARTICIPANT'S NAME:				
SCHOOL:	DATE OF BIRTH:		PHONE: ()	
PARENTS' NAME:				
ADDRESS:		CITY:	STATE:	ZIP:
EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME:			PHONE: ()	

IN CONSIDERATION for the privilege of being able to participate in the activities provided or sponsored by Junior Ledger Basketball Club, INC. (hereinafter "JLBC"), I, the undersigned, on behalf of myself, my spouse, the undersigned participant for whom I am parent and/or guardian, and our heirs, successors and assigns, agree to the following:

1. We hereby acknowledge and fully understand that the game is basketball is dangerous and involves the risk of serious injury and/or death. We understand that such risks and dangers cannot be eliminated without jeopardizing the essential qualities of the sport. These risks include, among other things: collisions with fans, collisions with other participants; collisions with a wall, the floor or other fixed objects; falling down; our own negligence of others; and objects or unsafe conditions on the gym floor surface or surrounding are that may cause or contribute to injury. Some of the risks include, but are not limited to, less serious injuries such as abrasions, bruises, strains or sprains, and more serious injuries such as broken bones, dislocations and torn ligaments and muscles. The injury risks also include catastrophic injuries such as permanent paralysis or even death. We fully understand and appreciate these risks.

2. We hereby release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue JLBC and its directors, officers, members, agents, employees, participants, volunteers, coaches, assistant coaches, and any other person or entity affiliated in any way with or acting on behalf of JLBC (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Releasees"). We intend to release, waive and discharge all liability to the undersigned, for any and all loss or damage, to person and property, arising in any way out of our participation in the activities provided or sponsored by JLBC, whether caused by the negligence of any of the Releasees or otherwise.

3. We hereby agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless each and every one of the Releasees from all claims, demands, or causes of action, for injuries or damages sustained by us which are in any way related to our participation in the activities provided by or sponsored by JLBC.

4. We expressly agree and promise to accept and assume all risks inherent in the activities provided or sponsored by JLBC. Our participation in these activities is purely voluntary and we choose to participate in spite of the known risks.

5. We hereby certify that we have adequate medical insurance or other appropriate financial means to cover any injury or damage which the participant may suffer. We further certify that the participant has no medical or physical condition, which could interfere with or pose a risk to his or her safety, or alternatively, we are willing to assume – an bear the cost – of all risks that may be created, directly or indirectly, by any such condition.

6. We hereby agree that this Release, Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement extends to all acts of negligence by the Releasees, including negligent rescue operations and negligent instruction and training, and is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the laws of Wisconsin. If any portion of this Release, Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement is held to be invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

WE HAVE READ THIS RELEASE, WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT, AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS. WE AGREE THAT WE HAVE SIGNED THIS DOCUMENT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT AND INDUCENENT, ASSURANCE OR GUARANTEE BEING MADE TO US. WE INTEND OUR SIGNATURES TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATESET EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW.

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian	Date	
Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian	Date	
Signature of Participant	Date	
		A MARCHER PROPERTY

Booster Clubs

"The Parents For the Performing Arts" or PPA Meeting will be held the THIRD WEDNESDAY of each month at 5:30pm in the cafeteria. All parents are welcome!

"The Athletic Booster Club" or ABC meetings will be held the SECOND WEDNESDAY of each month at 6:00pm in the cafeteria. The FIRST ABC meeting is September 6th due to a scheduling conflict with the HS.

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Upcoming Community Events

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Holy Family Event – Mark your Calendars!