



St. Stanislaus Kostka School

"Do not walk through time without leaving worthy evidence of your passage." Saint John XXIII

Mrs. Lori Hodder
Principal

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"We can do hard things."

March 24, 2022

Dear St. Stanislaus Kostka Families,

Tomorrow marks the official end of the third marking period. It is amazing how fast this year has flown by! Spring uniform will officially begin on **April 4**. Students have the option to wear the current spring uniform, or the new spring uniform. The new uniform is what is on file at Flynn and O'Hara. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to call the school office. Below are some important dates to make note of:

- ✓ March 25 – Stations of the Cross Gr. 3-8/**End of 3rd Marking Period**
- ✓ March 28 – Read-A-Thon Begins
- ✓ March 31 – Polar Bear Plunge Spirit Wear Day
- ✓ April 1 – 9:00 AM Mass/Students Only
- ✓ April 4 – Spring Uniform begins
- ✓ April 6 – 11:50 AM Dismissal
- ✓ April 7 – Out of Uniform Day/Parking Lot Fundraiser - Pajama Theme \$5
- ✓ April 8 – Read-A-Thon Ends/Lenten boxed due
- ✓ April 9 – Beach Clean-Up
- ✓ April 13 – 11:50 AM dismissal/NO AFTERCARE
- ✓ April 14 – 22 – Easter Break/Return to school April 25

If your child(ren) stay in aftercare, please be sure to send them with something to do, especially on Thursdays. The bingo tables are set-up so they are unable to use the gym.

Thank you for all that you do to help make this such a wonderful place! You are always in my prayers.

Warmest regards,

Lori Hodder
Principal

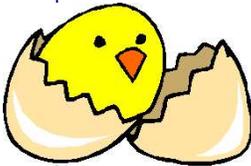


Happy Easter

APRIL 2022

ST. STAN'S SCHOOL



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| 3 | 4 2:00-3:00 Wiffleball Club | 5 | 6 11:50 Dismissal | 7 2:00-3:00 Dr. Seuss Club Pajama Day - \$5.00 | 8 MCA Donation Boxes Due Middle School Assembly Read-A-Thon Ends Stations of the Cross Gr. 3-8 | 9 Beach Clean Up | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10 Palm Sunday | 11 2:00-3:00 Wiffleball Club | 12 2:00-3:00 Religion Club | 13 11:50 Dismissal - NO AFTERCARE 9:00 Mass - Students Only | 14 Holy Thursday - School Closed | 15 Good Friday - School Closed | 16 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| <h3>Easter Break - School Closed</h3> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 24  | 25 2:00-3:00 Wiffleball Club | 26 | 27 2:00-3:00 Girls on the Run Club | 28 2:00-3:00 Dr. Seuss Club | 29 Gr. 5-8 Class Trip | 30  | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |



March 24, 2022

Welcome Parents, Students, and Friends to our Read-A-Thon!

We are excited to announce that we will hold our fourth annual Read-A-Thon fundraiser. This is a program that brings students together with family and friends to encourage reading and to build literacy skills. The main focus of the Read-A-Thon is for everyone to know we are committed to improving reading skills. The students will begin a personal Reading Adventure that challenges each reader to complete 10 reading sessions over our 2-week event. Our Read-A-Thon will start March 28th until April 8th.

Early this week, students brought home a sheet outlining how to activate their personal Read-A-Thon page. Your child's page will need to be activated before our March 28th start date. *Teachers in grades 5th thru 8th had students activate their page in school using their school email and password.* By activating your reader's personal page and using the promotional tools found there, family and friends can show their support for your reader by making a donation to our Read-A-Thon. The minutes your child reads will be logged in on their activated page.

\$100.00 donation per family to the Read-A-Thon is a 2021-2022 workbond requirement. This can be offset by the support of the reader's family and friends. The donations will be used to benefit the students through technology upgrades, special programs and activities, and needed school supplies. 10% will go towards the parking lot improvement project.

If you would like to send in cash or a check, please send in an envelope to the attention of: *Read-A-Thon* (along with your family name and child's/children's name(s) and grade(s) Check made payable to: St. Stan's School.

Out of Uniform Pass per \$100.00 donation will be awarded and the class raising the most money will receive a pizza party. Additional prizes will be awarded.

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Grover lgrover@skschool.org or Mrs. Vitale bvitale@skschool.org.

Thank you for your support!



Parking Lot Improvement Update

March 24, 2022

Dear St. Stan's Families,

We are *very* excited to have the back lot, where the school children play recess and gym, and other areas of the parking lot paved sooner than what we expected. We have raised \$24,003.00 thus far, but we still need to continue to fundraise to pay off the rest of the cost.

Upcoming fundraisers for the parking lot improvement project:

-Canning Event April 23rd and April 24th from 9:45 am - 2:00 pm. **HELP is still needed for this event to be a success.** Event will be held at the intersection of Washington and Ernston Road. Please contact Lisa Grover lgrover@skschool.org if you are able to help. **Each day will count as one "other" for workbond.**

- Car Wash May 14, 2022 - time to be announced. Contact Mrs. Jen Talyor or Mrs. Stacey McGrane for questions. jtaylor@skschool.org / smcgrane@skschool.org

Thank you to the HSA for hosting the Penny War event that will take place until the end of March for the parking lot project.

Thank you to our school, parish, alumni, CCD, and friends of St. Stan's who have supported our fundraisers and those who made direct donations towards this project. We appreciate your support!

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HELP SUPPORT

ST. STAN'S SCHOOL

WHERE 1064 US Hwy 9, Parlin, NJ 08859

WHEN Mon, Mar 28th

FROM 4:00pm - 8:00pm

Order online at panerabread.com and enter code **PRFUND** at checkout.
You can also bring this flyer or show a digital version to the cashier when ordering at the cafe to ensure your organization gets a portion of the proceeds.

WE'RE COMMITTED TO YOUR SAFETY.

We offer a variety of ordering options so you can support the cause in whichever way you feel most comfortable. Services vary by cafe.



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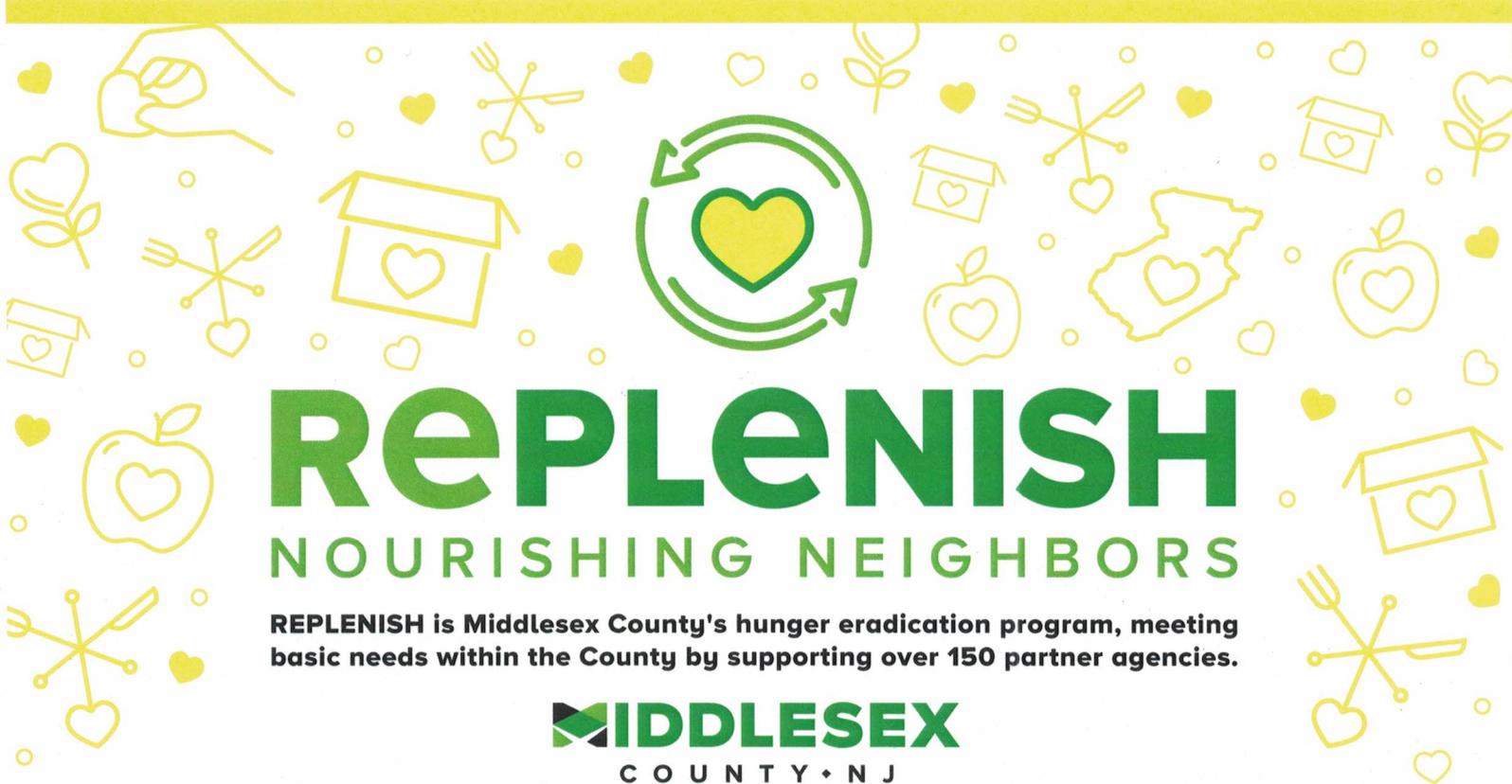


In Cafe

*20% of total net sales from your designated fundraising event will be donated to your organization.
Gift card, catering, kiosk and orders placed on third party delivery sites are excluded and will not count towards the event.
Other restrictions apply. For complete details, visit: <http://fundraising.panerabread.com/terms-conditions/>

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REPLENISH is Middlesex County's hunger eradication program, meeting basic needs within the County by supporting over 150 partner agencies.



2022 Middlesex County Spring Food Drive

Drop-off donations at schools March 21 – April 1

The 2022 Middlesex County Spring School Food Drive is supported by the Middlesex County Board of County Commissioners, REPLENISH and the Middlesex County Superintendent of Schools

Help us keep our shelves stocked. Here's what we need:

Canned and packaged goods only, low sodium and low sugar options preferred, NO glass items.

- Canned Meats
- Macaroni & Cheese
- Vegetables
- Dry Beans (Red, Black & Pinto)
- Fruits
- Stew
- Cereal
- Rice
- Pasta
- Granola Bars
- Diapers & Wipes
- Paper Products
- Soap & Shampoo
- Toothpaste



Monetary donations are also accepted online at feedingmiddlesexcounty.org or by checks made payable to Feeding Middlesex County and mailed to PO Box 781, Edison, NJ 08818.



Thank you for your support and generosity!



To learn more and locate food pantries, scan the QR code.

- middlesexcountynj.gov/replenish
- 732.729.0880
- replenish@co.middlesex.nj.us



Join us on

Saturday, April 9

9:00-12:30

for a

Beach Cleanup

*Each family must register separately on the Clean Ocean Action website - South Amboy location, Group: St. Stan's School

<https://www.cleanoceanaction.org/index.php?id=153>

*Parents are responsible for supervising their child(ren) and transportation.

*The event is 9:00-12:30, but families typically stay about 1-1.5 hours

*After registering, please email Mrs. Pagnotta, kpagnotta@sskschool.org, to let her know you will be coming!



Mike's Crumb Cake Factory

New Jersey's Best Tasting Crumb Cake

Students Name: _____ Students Grade: _____

Contact Number: _____

| Full Name & Phone # (if needed) | Quantity 8x8 Vanilla Crumb | Total Cost \$12 each |
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Total Sold: _____ Grand Total of Sales: _____

Please contact Jean Jackowski with any questions at JJackowski@skschool.org

Checks made out to St. Stan's HSA or Cash is accepted or Venmo with Order at Jean-Jackowski

Orders are due back to Jean Jackowski C/O Olivia Jackowski grade 2 by Friday May 20th

Order pick up will be Tuesday, May 31st Time & Place TBD



St. Stan's HSA is having an 8x8 Vanilla Crumb Cake Sale. These crumb cakes are so delicious you will want to buy more than one!

Photo's are actual products from Mike's Crumb Cake Factory.

Order form is attached.

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