

From the Desk of
Maria Cahill, Principal
April 12, 2023



Greetings St. Pius Tenth School Families and Happy National Grilled Cheese Sandwich Day (who knew?)

*** We have a **lot of information** to bring to your attention this week. We ask that you take the time to read each item carefully, as this is our main source of communication, and many common questions are answered utilizing this medium. Thank you!



Box Tops for Education: Download app and scan receipt. It's that easy!

Our Spring Challenge has begun - our current leader is Grade 4!

Our next **school liturgy** is Friday, April 14. Please be sure that all students are dressed in full uniform, even if they have PE, and please consider joining us, if possible. It is so wonderful to see family and friends at our school Masses.

Other important dates:

Friday, April 14 – End of the 3rd Quarter

April 19 – 21 – NYS ELA Testing for Grades 3 – 5

April 21 – Report Cards are scheduled to be distributed

April 28 – Spring Superintendent's Conference Day (**no school for students**)

Please see the enclosed flyer for the annual **Spring Clean Up day** for the St. Pius Tenth campus. Many hands make light work.

This is also a great opportunity for students needing service hours.

It's time to order the 2022-23 St. Pius Tenth School **Yearbook**! See the flyer in this week's communication. Online orders are also available at inter-state.com with our school code: 7549F. Orders are due by Friday, April 28th.

Scholastic Book Fair

We are super excited for our Scholastic book fair, which is next week, once again being held in the Parish Center (in the rooms Matthew and Mark). All students in Grades K – 5 will have an opportunity to preview selections and make a list that they will bring home with them on Monday, April 17. Following is the anticipated shopping schedule. A flyer was sent home today with your student(s). The book fair will also be open for Pre-K students to shop with their families, as well as all families and parishioners, as per the schedule.

Thank you to Mrs. DiCesare for organizing this event and to all of the PAC volunteers who will be helping! The students look so forward to the book fair!

Tuesday, April 18 – Shopping Day

Grade 3 – 10:30 AM – 11:00 AM

Grade 4 – 9:30 AM – 10:00 AM

Grade 5 – 1:15 PM – 1:45 PM

Pre-K (with parent/caregiver – not as a class) – 11:30 AM – 12:00 PM

The book fair will be open Tuesday evening for Faith Formation families

Wednesday, April 19 – Shopping Day

Grade 1 – 10:30 – 11:00 AM

Grade 2 – 11:15 AM – 11:45 AM

Kindergarten - 9:45 AM – 10:15 AM

Thursday, April 21 – Shopping Day

Any students who may have been absent on shopping days – 10:45 AM – 11:15 AM

Pre-K (with parent/caregiver – not as a class) – 11:30 AM – 12:00 PM

The Book Fair will also be open to all families on Thursday evening from 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM and after all Masses on April 4/22 and 4/23.

Used Uniform Sale

While you are at the book fair, our PAC will also be holding a Used Uniform Sale (also in the Parish Center-Luke). Please see the enclosed flyer.



Save the Date! The Diocese of Rochester will again be celebrating Catholic Schools Day at Innovative Field (formerly Frontier Field) for a **Rochester Red Wings Game** on June 4, 2023, at 1:05 PM. Tickets will be available only online this year, at the following link:

[Catholic Schools Day - June 4 @ 1:05pm - St Pius School](#)

Have a Blessed and Wonderful Rest of the Week!

SAINT PIUS TENTH SCHOOL NEWS

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Second Grade News

By: Bridget Harvey

It has been a busy few months as the new second grade teacher, but the kids and I are having so much fun! In science, we are learning about the basic needs of plants and animals. To put this into practice, we adopted a class pet from Lollypop Farm... Oreo the mouse!



Students take turns each week being on the “pet crew,” where they take excellent care of our new addition.



Students have also been enjoying the new reading corner! Students can come here when it's time to read-to-self, or when they simply need a break.



We also get to do the Macarena when we do a really good job in math!



St Pius X Spring Clean-up
Saturday
April 22, 2023
9:00 AM till
(the leaves are
gone)



We will be gathering to do our annual Spring clean-up of the Parish grounds on Saturday April 22.

Everyone in the Parish is welcome to help out, there is always plenty to do. Please bring rakes, gloves, tarps (blowers if you have them).

This is a great opportunity for Scouts, High School students or others needing service hours. This usually amounts to 3-4 hours of service for the day.



It's Back!!!!

Used Uniform Sale



Stop by and Stock up for next year!

\$1 per item or \$5 for a bag

When:

- April 20th pm - Sale Open with Book Fair
- April 22nd -- Open after 4pm mass
- April 23rd -- Open after 7:30 and 9:30 masses

Where:

- Parish Center – right next door to the Book Fair



BOX TOPICS

APRIL
2023

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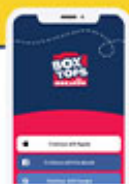
Sweepstakes

ONE OF OUR BIGGEST SWEEPSTAKES EVER!

Our Nature Valley sweeps is an outdoorsy doozy! Scan your receipts from 4/1 through 4/30 for a chance to win **50,000 Bonus Box Tops** to help fund outdoor field trips at your school. If your receipt contains any Nature Valley product, you'll get an extra entry! 5 schools will win.

Sweepstakes runs 4/1/23 through 4/30/23.

See official rules here: btfe.com/naturevalleyfieldtrip



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- 8 semisweet chocolate chips
- 4 red baking chips or candy-coated chocolate candies
- 8 almond slices

DIRECTIONS

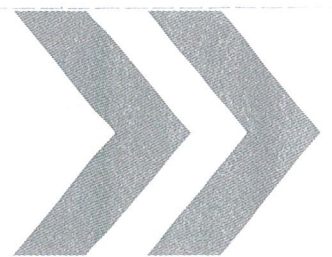
- 1 Heat oven to 350°F. Spray cookie sheet with cooking spray.
- 2 Place 4 rolls on cookie sheet, about 3 inches apart. Unwind remaining 4 rolls into long dough strips. For each bunny, place one dough strip, cut ends together, next to a whole roll. Press and firmly pinch cut ends into top of whole roll. Shape strip into floppy bunny ears.
- 3 Bake 12 to 15 minutes or until golden brown. Cool 5 minutes before removing to cooling rack.
- 4 Spread frosting on warm rolls. On each bunny, place two chocolate chips for eyes, 1 red baking chip for nose and 2 almond slices for teeth. Serve warm.



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