

SAINT AMBROSE NEWS

June 4, 2021

Dates to Remember

Class Mass Schedule:

Tues., June 8th
Grade 1 @ 9:15

Thurs., June 10th
Grade 3 @ 9:15

Tues., June 15th
Last all-school Mass with Fr. Schrader @ 9:15

Thurs., June 17th
Grade 4 @ 9:15

Calendar Changes!!!!

June 18th – NO SCHOOL! SAA is following the Rochester City School District and taking this day off in recognition of Juneteenth.

June 21st – Field Day and Talent Show – Field day activities all morning 9:00-12:30. Talent Show from 12:30-2:30. Zoom link will be made available if you want to view live performances. The show will also be recorded so you have a video keepsake of this year's spring talent.

June 22nd – NO SCHOOL for students! SAA gymnasium is being used as a polling site for the upcoming election. In keeping my word written in the Covid-19 reopening plan, the students will not be in the building with any visitors, volunteers, or vendors. We continue to make health and safety decisions with all the same protocols put in place last fall.

Deadlines – please respond to the school office....

Netsins Ice Cream: The truck will be here on June 17th for students. Please return your permission slip and \$2.25 fee by June 11th.

Yearbook order forms: If you would like to order a yearbook, please send the order form and payment by Monday, June 14th

Rochester Red Wings!

It's hard to believe it's been so long, but for the first time in a year and a half, the Red Wings are back!

The Rochester Red Wings have created a special offer to distribute to your students, families, colleagues and friends for this month's games!

A red rectangular graphic with white text and a cartoon Red Wings mascot. The mascot is a red bird wearing a black cap and a black jersey with white trim, pointing towards the text. The text reads: "USE SPECIAL OFFER CODE 'PLAYBALL'", "TO GET \$10", and "200 - LEVEL TICKETS FOR JUNE 15 - 20 & JUNE 22 - 27".

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We will be offering \$10 tickets to any of our 12 games this month (June 15-20, 22-27) by entering the promo code "PLAYBALL."

School Office Phone
585-288-0580





School Mission

Saint Ambrose Academy partners with all parents to nurture the foundational skills of every persons' spiritual, academic, and social growth, creating Leaders of Hope in our local and global communities.

School Theme:

Psalm 40 "Here I am Lord, I come to do Your will"

Looking Ahead

Tuesday, June 15th – Last All-school Mass @ 9:15 with Fr. Schrader before his retirement.

Friday, June 18th – NO School - Juneteenth being recognized.

Sunday, June 20th – Father's Day

Monday, June 21st – Field Day all morning, Talent Show from 12:30-2:30

Tuesday, June 22nd – NO school for students

Wednesday, June 23rd – Kindergarten celebration @ 1:00, and 5th Grade moving on celebration at 6:30PM

Thursday, June 24th – early dismissal @ 12:00 and Family Seabreeze Day

Grade Level Curriculum Goals!

Prek 3: Social Studies: PreK 3 will be participating in a lesson about calling 911 presented by Officer Lawton. We will also discuss road and water safety.

Science: We continue to discuss how to take care of animals and our planet.

Math: Prek 3 is reviewing shapes and focusing on numbers 10-20.

ELA: The preschoolers continue to explore letters and how books work.

Religion: We are reviewing who God and Jesus are, as well as continuing to practice the Sign of the Cross and our prayers.

Ms. Schuler

PreK4: ELA- Recognizing individual words, syllables, and sounds. Using spoken words, drawings, and writing to state opinions or familiar topics.

Math- Continuing to identify numbers and counting out that many objects. The number of objects is the same regardless of setup

Science- Understanding familiar plants and animals and their needs for survival.

Social Studies- Identifying features of our homes, identifying words which indicate direction.

Ms. Shea

June will be a very busy time in Kindergarten!

In Religion, we are practicing our prayers, listening to Bible stories, and continuing to learn about Jesus and how much He loves us.

We are finishing our Super Kids lessons and have learned about all 26 letters of the alphabet! We have learned 100 Popcorn (sight) words too! We will continue to work on our reading and writing skills this month!

In Math, we are learning about measurement and comparing measures.

We are busy preparing for our Kindergarten celebration on June 23rd. We are almost First Graders!

Ms. Routly and Ms. Allen

1st grade: Spelling: Compound Words, r-controlled vowel ar, or, ore

Reading: * Decode words ending in y, ier, iest, ied, ies

* Recognize & understand Memory words and Pattern Words

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* Homophones : there and their

* Work on Comprehension : Importance of a setting in the story

* Reading w/Expression

Writing: Continue to work on: completing writing prompts, using their spelling words in sentences, writing sentences to describe what a picture is showing, and writing responses to details about a story read.

Math: Measurement and Time:

Measurement:

-Compare Lengths, and Order lengths

-Nonstandard units of length

-Problem Solving

Time:

- Time to the hour and 1/2 hour on an analog clock and a digital clock

Social Studies: American Monuments:

-Expand knowledge of important buildings associated with American

History

-Identify people in History who have shown character, ideals, and

principles.

Science:

Animals in Spring- Animals on the Move

- Migration: understand meaning and how and where animals migrate

- Monarch Butterflies

- Baby Animals in the Spring being born

- How they make & find homes

Religion:

Finding Peace in your heart by loving God:

- How do I love God and Others? How do we show God's Love?

- Ten Commandments: how do they help us love God and Others

- What turns us away/towards from God's love?

2nd grade: ELA: Subject/Predicate, Verb Tenses, Contractions, Review of vowel sounds & spellings

Math: Telling Time (to 5 minutes), Geometry, Fractions

Science: Animal Habitats and Adaptations

Social Studies: Economics

Religion: Rosary (how to pray & mysteries)

Writing: Fiction

SEL: Responsibility, Citizenship

Mrs. Harris

3rd grade: ELA: Our class newspaper is being distributed on Monday! We're also writing fictional stories and finishing our study of children's author Patricia Polacco and her books.

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Math: We'll finish our unit on capacity and move right into both perimeter and time as we close out the school year.

Religion: We're learning about the Sacred Heart of Jesus, since June honors this devotion, and we're finishing our study of the book *My Path to Heaven*, by Fr. Geoffrey Bliss, S.J.

Science: Our latest experiment has been finding ways to make objects (like people 😊) go down slides even faster using what we know about forces, motion, and friction. Next up: magnets!

Social Studies: Our class has created its own country, flag, values, and motto, and will next create a government and an economy.

4th Grade: ELA: In our reading groups, we are working on finishing our Literature Circle books, *Riding Freedom* and *Lemonade Wars*. In writing, students are choosing from our June writing prompts, focusing on writing complete essays and sharing them with the class.

MATH: After finishing our Metric Measurement Unit we have moved on to the Customary Measurement Unit. Upon completion of both units, we will begin a Cityscape Project to demonstrate our measurement conversion skills!

SOCIAL STUDIES: Our last unit of this year will be focused on Government. Students will demonstrate their understanding that after the Revolution, the United States of America established a federal government, and the colonies established state governments.

RELIGION: In Religion, students are learning about the Gifts of the Holy Spirit as well as the 12 Fruits of the Holy Spirit and connecting those to growing in virtue.

Mrs. Provenzale

5th Grade: Math: We are studying graphing and the coordinate plane. Students are getting the opportunity to represent and interpret real data through graphing

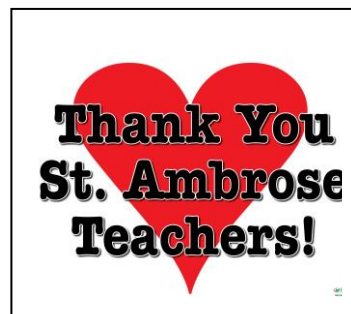
ELA: We are working on close reading and persuasive writing through our work on "Don Quixote"

Science: We are studying the natural systems on our planet including the water and rock cycle

Mr. Pitnell

Teacher Appreciation Signs!

Signs cost \$15 and can be purchased from the main office.



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Parent Resources

Parents as Partners, a webinar series, will be presented every Wednesday at 7PM. All webinars archived and available on the www.nyscate.org website.

Upcoming Parent Webinars include:

June 9 Keep the Learning Going All Summer

Registration for 2021-2022 School Year

The registration fee has now increased to \$125.

School website: <https://stambrose.academy/>

Scholarships!

Reddington Scholarship link is on our school website (bottom of the homepage).

Suzanna Young Scholarship from the Ladies Auxiliary can be found on the school website (left margin of homepage).

Ambassador discount – refer a friend or family member! You and the family you refer will receive \$500 off tuition. Referral forms should be turned in at the time of your registration.

<https://www.dorschools.org/ambassador>

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