



May 23, 2018

Weekly Announcements

*Heavenly Father,
On this Memorial Day, we pray for those who courageously laid down
their lives for the cause of freedom. May the example of their sacrifice
inspire in us the selfless love of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.
Bless the families of our fallen troops, and fill their homes and their
lives with your strength and peace.*

*In union with people of goodwill of every nation, embolden us to
answer the call to work for peace and justice, and thus, seek an end
to violence and conflict around the globe.*

We pray through Christ our Lord.

Amen



Farewell Mass May 31st

Join XMS on Thursday, May 31st at 9:30am as we celebrate the final Mass of our 2017-2018 school year. We will bid farewell to and bestow blessings on the Xavier Middle School Class of 2018.

From the LMC

Please note that all books are due back in our school library by May 25th. Please make sure your son or daughter returns all their borrowed books and materials by that date.

Thank you!

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Noah Donnermeyer for winning the Serra Club's Essay Contest on Discernment. Noah received \$100 for his effort and was invited to read his essay at a dinner with Bishop Ricken in Manitowoc on May 22nd!

Congratulations, Noah!



Student Medication

Parents please pick up any medication from the school office by Wednesday, June 6th. Students will need a note from a parent before they will be allowed to take home prescriptions or over the counter medication. Medication not taken by June 6th will be disposed of.

Art Night

We are feverishly getting ready for ART NIGHT this Thursday, May 24th from 6:30 to 8:00 pm at Xavier Middle School. It will be open house style. Students are working hard to have beautiful, imaginative work to share. We are hoping many people come to encourage the students and enjoy their wonderful creations!



XMS Fall 2018 Sport Sign Up

XMS fall sports team have to be organized and begin practice before the start of the school year. [Click here](#) for the fall sports sign up form for Flag Football, Cheerleading and Cross Country. Sign up forms are due by July 2nd.

2018 Xavier Volleyball Camp

We will be offering our annual volleyball camp again this year for students entering 4-9th grade. Dates are June 18-21st. Please send in the [attached waiver](#) or contact Luke Herriges at luke.herriges@gmail.com with any questions.

Home and School Association News:

Would you like to join our Home and School Board for the 2018-2019 school year? The commitment is minimal as we only meet a few times each year as we work together to provide fun activities for the students and staff at XMS. If you are interested in joining our group please contact Keri McCormick (ksmccormick@me.com).

Host Families Needed!

Please contact Sarah Shimek (sshimek@xaviercatholicschools.org) if you are interested in opening up your home and hearts to an international student for the 2018-2019 school year! With this great experience, you will also receive a tuition credit and a monthly stipend. Your response to this call is an amazing gift to the St. Francis Xavier School System! Thank you Xavier Community!



Xavier Day

What is Xavier Day? It is the opportunity for our parents, alumni, dedicated faculty and staff, current and future students, friends of the Xavier community, and newest alumni; the Class of 2018 seniors (graduating on Xavier Day) to join us and celebrate the pride you have for Xavier Catholic Schools.

There are several ways you can participate!

- **Wear** your favorite Xavier gear.
- **Care** by making a donation to Xavier Catholic Schools Annual Fund, Angel Fund or the Xavier Catholic Schools Foundation. Your contribution could be eligible for a

match by one of our several amazing supporters!

- **Share** your Xavier pride on Twitter and Instagram using #XavierDay2018. Like us on Facebook @xaviercatholicschools to see our own shared posts throughout the day.

You can also **Visit** one of our campuses between 7:30-9:30 am on **Wednesday, May 30th** for a free coffee sporting a Xavier Day coffee sleeve. Those interested can also have their picture taken to share on our social media page.

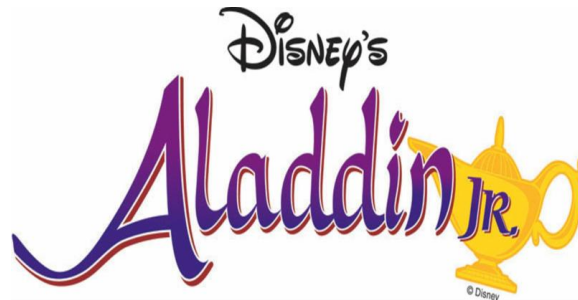
[Click here](#) to visit the Xavier Day webpage for more information.

Thank You Christmas Stars!!!

Christmas Stars is a Broadway Style Revue that runs for 10 shows, every December at Xavier High School. With a cast of over 200 people from Kindergarten to Senior Citizens, the profits from the show are reinvested into Xavier fine arts. After a successful 2017 show run, a total of \$25,393 will be deposited into the K-8 Fine Arts account. These funds are available to support short term needs and long term projects. Since its inception, Christmas Stars has invested over \$1 Million in Xavier Fine Arts.

The 2018 show will mark the 25th Anniversary of Christmas Stars, and a very special show is being planned! Please come see the show, and know that you are supporting Xavier Fine Arts.

Xavier Theatre Academy Presents



Embark on a musical journey to a whole new world with Aladdin, Jasmine and an entourage of beloved characters in this tale of adventure and self-realization.

7:00 PM June 20, 21, 22

1:00 PM June 22, 23

Tickets now on sale!

www.xaviertheatre.com www.showtix4u.com

Xavier box office

920-733-8840

*12pm-3pm M & W

Full-service call center

866-967-8167

11am-7pm daily

Xavier Fine Arts Theatre * 1600 W. Prospect Avenue

A Program of the St. Francis Xavier Catholic School System
Presented by the Xavier Theatre Club & Christmas Stars
With grant support from Margaret Bekkers and Thomas Feavel '62

The St. Pius X Parish Fest Fun Run is Back!

Join us at St. Pius X Parish Fest for a FREE Fun Run for kids Pre-K through 8th grade. The FREE Fun Run takes place on June 2, 2018 and there are two distances so that everyone can join in on the fun. [Click here](#) for the registration form with event details.

This FREE FAMILY EVENT will be tons of fun!



Volunteer Opportunities at the 2018 St. Pius X Parish Fest

We use SignUpGenius for all of our volunteer opportunities. Click a link to sign up:

- [Set-up and Take-down](#)
- [To volunteer Friday, June 1](#)
- [Games](#)
- [To Volunteer Saturday, June 2](#)
- [To Volunteer Sunday, June 3](#)

Strength & Conditioning Club

We will be offering a Strength & Conditioning Club at Xavier High School for students entering grades 5 - 12.

This not only includes attendance to the age and gender specific summer sessions, but also to any of the year-long general sessions. For students entering grades 5 - 8, the price has been reduced to \$50.

Please [click here](#) to learn more about the program and/or to register for this opportunity.

Remember, this is a "come when you can" program, so please do not worry about conflicts with camps, vacations, etc.

Xavier Middle School and Pop Warner Football Registration

Sign up for fall 2018 football has begun for 6th and 7th (Pop Warner), and 8th grade (Xavier Middle School Football). Information may be found by [clicking here](#). There you will also find a link for the Appleton Parks and Recreation Department flag football league. Please direct any questions to Mr. Stary at: jstary@xaviercatholicschools.org.

Xavier Girls Basketball Summer Camps

Xavier Girls Basketball is excited to offer two different basketball camps this summer. The first camp will be for girls entering 3rd & 4th Grade. This camp will run from June 25th - 28th. We will work on basic basketball skill and introduce our skill progression system.

Our second camp of the summer will be for girls entering 5th - 8th grade. This camp will run from July 31st - Aug. 16th. We are calling this summer basketball school as we will run this for 3 weeks on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday nights from 6-7:30pm. We will take a more advanced approach to our skill progression system, work on advanced footwork and pivoting, man-to-man defensive understanding, how to never feel pressure while having the ball in your hands and finish with contact. We will also work on proper shooting technique and video each player and break down their shot with them.

- [3rd & 4th Grade Registration form](#)
- [5th - 8th Grade Registration form](#)

Attention, Parents of Current 5th Graders

The dates for the 6th grade Camp/Retreat at Camp Tekakwitha in Shawano 2018 have been set. Mark your calendars now for October 9th - 11th. This event is something all of our students remember as one of the highlights of their time here at XMS. Parent chaperones are needed, and if you can help, please let Mrs. Verhagen know by calling 730-8849, ext. 4200. All volunteers must be Virtus trained.

Scrip News

The Xavier Scrip office is looking for high school student volunteers to help in the Scrip office this summer. If your son or daughter will be in high school next fall and would like to get service hours during the summer, contact Roy Clark at 920-702-5510 or email rclark@xaviercatholicschools.org.

Just to remind you, Meijer's is open and we have \$25 - \$50 & \$100 cards. Also, Marshalls/Home Goods store is open and we have \$25 cards.

Scrip is only sold at the Xavier Scrip Office during the Summer

SUMMER SCRIP HOURS
Starting Thursday June 7th
Monday to Thursday
7:30AM to 1:30PM



Important

Attachments

- XMS Lunch Menu - [May](#)
- 7th Grade to Super Bowl 6/4 - [Permission Slip](#) (DUE May 24th)
- 8th Grade [End of Year Information](#) & [End of Year Calendar](#)
- [Summer Music Camps 2018](#)
- [Lawrence University Track and Field Camps 2018](#)
- [Camp Invention](#)

Upcoming Events

- **Wed., May 23**
 - 3:30-4:15 pm-Gamers Club - Cafeteria
 - 3:30-4:15 pm-Student Council Meeting - LMC
 - 6:30 pm-Orchestra Concert at XHS
- **Thur., May 24**
 - 6:30 pm-Art Night
- **Fri., May 25**
 - 8th Grade End of the Year Trip to Lake Lucerne
- **Mon., May 28**
 - No SCHOOL - Memorial Day
- **Tue., May 29**
 - 3:30-4:15 pm-Card Club
- **Wed., May 30**
 - 5th Grade Trip to Bay Beach
- **Thur., May 31**
 - 9:30 am-Farewell Liturgy with Fr. Bill Swichtenberg
- **Mon., June 4**
 - 6th Grade Olympics
 - 7th Grade to Super Bowl
 - 2:30 pm- Yearbook signing
- **Tue., June 5**
 - 6:30 pm-8th Grade Graduation
- **Wed., June 6**
 - 10:40 Dismissal - Last Day of School!