

# ***Hawk Happenings!***

Week of January 17, 2022

## **Hawk highlights- School news!**

Dear St. Thecla Families,

We hope you had a great week! We've been busy at St. Thecla learning and looking forward to Catholic Schools' Week! Please see the Catholic Schools' Week information attached to this email. Please see below for updated school news.

### **NEW INFORMATION**

#### **FACTS- RE-ENROLLMENT FOR 2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR**

The application for school re-enrollment for the 2022-2023 school year will open on January 30. Registration is online on the school website. Please go to the ENROLLMENT/ADMISSIONS tab. Click on re-enrollment for current families tab. There is a step by step process from there. Tuition information is posted on the website.

### **Volunteer Hours**

A friendly reminder:

Don't forget the volunteer hour requirement for all families this year (20 hours per family)! Volunteer hours are recorded in AtoZ. Please see the attached flyer on how to sign up in AtoZ and how to record your volunteer hours. Some upcoming opportunities for earning volunteer hours are the Open House, Daddy Daughter Dance and the Dinner Dance. Please contact the chairs of those events to express your interest in volunteering. See the attachments for more information.

### **CALENDAR REMINDERS**

**There is NO SCHOOL FEB, 17-22 (Winter break)**

**Note: Additional days were granted from Archbishop Vigneron.**

**ESP will be closing at 4:30 on January 27th due to the water being shut off per the water department.**

**Quarter ends January 19, Grades cut off January 14, Report cards released January 24**

**Catholic Schools' Week: Jan. 30- Feb. 4**

**Feb. 4- half day of school, preschool dismissal noon, grades K-8 dismissal 12:15 (Daddy Daughter Dance in the evening)**

**St. Thecla Catholic Schools' Week Open House: Jan. 30, 12-3, Sign up genius for new families is open on the school website**

### **Upcoming Events:**

**Daddy Daughter Dance - Feb. 4th, 6-9:30 P.M. at Penna's of Sterling. (Half day of school)**

**Return form by January 28, 2022. See attached flyer.**

## REVIEW INFORMATION

### Important Calendar Dates

STAR testing for the middle of the year testing will take place Jan. 18- Feb. 11

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February break: Feb. 17-22 (Return to school Feb. 23)

### Uniforms- Grades K-8

Some of the areas that need the most attention are:

- appropriate skirt/jumper length for all grades (not shorter than 2 inches above the knee)
- gym uniform- appropriate sweatpants (solid gray or navy blue), shirts, color (no logos other than St. Thecla)
- jewelry (religious, post earrings)
- make up (not allowed), including finger nail polish
- hair length for boys

Dress code violations will be issued to those not following the uniform policy on January 10.

We appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

### Recess Reminders:

If the temperature is below 20 degrees and a wind chill below 15 degrees, or evidence of bad weather is threatening to the safety of the students, then indoor recess will occur. **Please ensure that your child has appropriate clothing for the weather conditions.**

### School Closure- Snow Days

St. Thecla will close school for inclement weather (Snow Days) by following Chippewa Valley Schools' decision to close schools due to weather conditions. If Chippewa Valley Schools close for inclement winter weather (snow days) so will St. Thecla.

We will also inform you by email, text alerts through FACTS, and radio and television alerts.

### Friendly Reminder

As you know, we are doing our best to remain open for in person instruction, so please keep your child home if s/he is not feeling well.

### Virtue Of The Month- Kindness

### 2021-2022 School Calendar- Updated

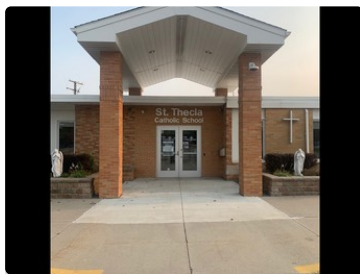
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**Have a wonderful evening and rest of the week.**

Prayers and blessings,

Dr. JB







## St. Thecla Catholic School Mission and Vision statements

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*Mission: "We, the community of St. Thecla Catholic School, dedicate ourselves to serving God through our growth in faith, education, and love for one another as members of God's family."*

*Vision: "St. Thecla Catholic School forms faithful disciples of Christ with commitment to develop lifelong, independent learners and leaders through a rigorous curriculum anchored in our Catholic faith."*

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