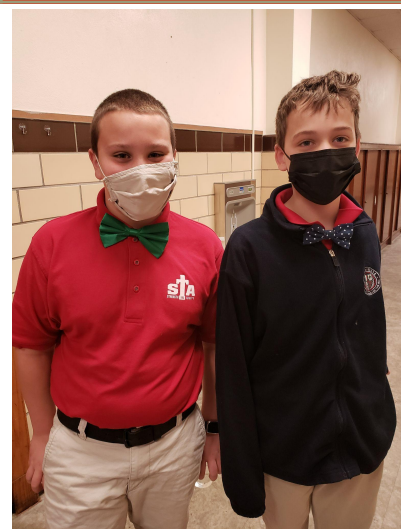


St. Ambrose Advisor



Upcoming Dates...

2/25 Pizza Day
2/27 Lenten Family Sunday
3/1 Registration fee \$150

From Mrs. Grellner...

HAPPY TWOS-DAY!! Oh my gosh, we had fun in our tutus, ties, and tennis shoes. Glacier from DuoDogs also met with preschool through second grade today in small groups with Miss Mannebach. We are working to schedule third -eighth grades.

Last week, I reported 0 covid cases for our school. What a fabulous feeling!! Many of you have asked about how long we will wear masks. Right now, the city is still under a mask mandate. While the mandate is in order, St. Ambrose can make no changes. I believe they will be voting on March 6 to extend or cancel the mandate. Please be aware of this website...

<https://www.stlouis-mo.gov/government/departments/health/communicable-disease/covid-19/data/index.cfm>

It is my understanding that the city needs to be at 5% positivity for two weeks before the mandate is dropped. I am paying attention and keeping myself educated. I also have a Zoom with Dr. Mati from the St. Louis City Health Department this week.

I know it is February, but my thoughts are already spinning about the 2022-2023 school year. There is so much preparation at this time of year, including staffing contracts, considering any changes we need to make to our building to accommodate students, ordering books, etc. It is really important that you turn in your registration ASAP. Remember that the registration fee goes up to \$150 on March 1.

Ash Wednesday is next week (March 2). This marks the beginning of Lent. A season of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. The students will watch Father Jack burn last year's palms and bury the Alleluia on Monday. Often we use this time to "give something up". It's usually those pleasures such as chocolate, soda, and ice cream. This year, let's work on doing some good during Lent. This is a good time to practice being a better person. Pray more. Gossip less. Say nice things to people. Feed the poor. Visit the elderly. Do random acts of kindness.

Spring Concert

Grades PreK3, 1, 3, 5, 7
Tuesday, April 5, 2022
Performances at 1:30 and 7pm

Pizza Day Rescheduled



If Mother Nature allows... We will have pizza day on Friday (rescheduled from last week). Chris' Pancakes will not be serving lunch. We will remove all preorders. Make sure your child has a lunch from home if he/she did not order pizza.

Dreaming of spring....



I can't thank you enough for your help on Thursday. That ice came in and created a mess very fast! Even my obsession with the radar starting at 4am didn't prepare us for how quickly things would happen. All of the staff, except two who live on The Hill, were able to leave by 1pm and get home safely. My heart is full of gratitude! It took me an hour to get home...and then I took a nap from the crazy morning! I do understand that many of you work outside of the home. I must always err on the side of safety, but I do keep your schedules in mind when making decisions.

Another storm is brewing this week. At this point, we are out of snow days, so we would have to do virtual learning. Please make sure your children's teachers know if they need to bring home a device. We will make these days as painless as possible for you.



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