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# Middle School Weekly Newsletter

## 2/14/24

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### Ash Wednesday

*What will I do for my soul?  
pray, fast, give*

#### Weekly Mass

Mass is generally celebrated at 9:26 am on Tuesdays at Xavier Middle School. (See the calendar for occasional alternate mass days/times. We welcome you to join us! Please check in the school office to be directed to the auditorium.

#### Lost and Found

Please [click here](#) to take a look at the Lost and Found items we have collected to see if any belong to your family. Your child can pick their things up from the office lobby. **All lost and found items will be donated after February 29th!**

#### Ski/Snowboard Club

Our last ski trip of the school year will be on Friday, February 23rd to Sunburst Mountain. For more information and to register please see the links below. **The registration deadline is THIS Friday, February 16th.**

- [Online Registration/Lift Tickets](#) (Use Group Code: XMS)
- [Field Trip Consent Form](#) (Turn in to school office after online registration)
- [Sunburst Ski Trip Signup Form](#) (Turn in to school office after online registration)

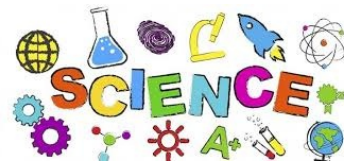
**You must buy lift tickets and rentals online by 11:59 PM THIS Friday, February 16, 2024. Late registrations will not be accepted by Sunburst. Do not turn the sign up forms in to school until you have purchased tickets online.**

#### Spelling Bee

Congratulations to all the spellers in our recent Xavier Middle School Spelling Bee! It was a great contest among 37 talented spellers who battled in both spelling and vocabulary. After 13 Rounds, we were excited to have 5th grader, Jacob Martonito, take the top honor of 1st place by correctly spelling "incarnated". Eighth grader, William Mix, took 2nd place, and 7th grader, Sarah Zampaloni, took 3rd place. Jacob and William will compete with students from across the Fox Valley today, February 14th at JR Gerritts Middle School in Kimberly. We salute all the contestants for a job well done!

## Science Club

Do you want to dive deeper into life, earth, and physical science? If so, Science Club is for you! Science Club will meet on Mondays from 3:00-3:45 beginning Monday, Feb. 19th. Due to the need for supplies and equipment, this club will not be on a “drop-in” basis. Come on the 19th to sign up. If you would like to be a member of the club but cannot meet on Monday, Feb. 19th, please contact Mrs. Meyer [smeyer@xaviercatholicschools.org](mailto:smeyer@xaviercatholicschools.org). Let’s explore!



## Art Club



### Art Club!

Do you like art? Come and create using many types of media! Students will have the opportunity to work on individual projects in the medium of their choosing. Art Club will meet on Tuesdays from 3:00-3:45 beginning Feb. 20th. Due to the need for supplies and equipment, this club will not be on a “drop-in” basis. Come on the 20th to sign up. Please be willing to commit to the next four Tuesdays to ensure continued process and completion of projects. If you would like to be a member of the club but cannot meet on Tuesday, Feb. 20th, please contact Ms. Gosia [mfuehrer@xaviercatholicschools.org](mailto:mfuehrer@xaviercatholicschools.org) for more information. Let’s create!

## XHS Summer PE Class

Attention 8th Grade Parents. Is your child interested in taking a summer PE class for high school? [Click here](#) to register.

## Grand Chute Baseball

**2024 Baseball Registration Open NOW!** Grand Chute Baseball provides a competitive level of baseball while maintaining our commitment to teach baseball fundamentals, sportsmanship and teamwork in a friendly environment.



- **When: January 1 – March 31**
- **Who: Co-ed; ages 5-12yrs old**
- **What: T-Ball (ages 5-6), Rookie-Machine Pitch (ages 7-8), Kid-pitch-Minors 46/60 (ages 9-10), and Majors 50/65 (ages 11-12)**
- **Where: Online registration at [www.grandchutebaseball.com](http://www.grandchutebaseball.com) Click the register tab and follow the directions. NO RESIDENCY RESTRICTIONS**
- **Season dates: May 28th – July 31st @ Plamann Park and Patriot Park**

*Weekend Tournament Teams:* 7U through 12U players have the opportunity to try out for GC weekend tournament / travel teams. If you have questions, please email: [admin@grandchutebaseball.com](mailto:admin@grandchutebaseball.com). We look forward to seeing you this summer!

## River Surge FC Soccer Club

Spring 2024 registrations for River Surge FC Soccer Club are now open! Please [click here](#) for more information or visit [www.riversurgefc.org](http://www.riversurgefc.org).

# Xavier Baseball Fundraiser



**MCDONALD'S**  
**WEST COLLEGE AVE.**  
**FEBRUARY 23**  
**FROM**  
**4:00-7:00**



**NO NEED TO MENTION XAVIER**  
**15% OF SALES BENEFIT**  
**OUR TEAM!**



**THIS IS THE BEST TIME TO**  
**CONSIDER APPLYING FOR**  
**FINANCIAL OPTIONS FOR FALL**  
**BEGIN NOW**

Take a peek at all of the financial options for fall [HERE](#).

**From the Scrip Office:**

**FAST FUND FEBRUARY 2/1/24 - 2/29/24**

Receive an additional 5% discounted rate on the fundraising cards below

- Gift Card and Fuel Only Cards: 10% (reg 5%)
- Grocery Only Card: 20% (reg 15%)

Type in "**Kwik Trip Local**" in the search bar on your laptop or Smartphone Raisright App and then select the dollar value. Look for a picture of a store or price tag and not the Kwik Trip logo.

## Attendance Guidelines

Students will be sent home and must remain home until they are symptom free for 24 hours if they are experiencing any one of the following symptoms

- Fever (temperature 100 or above)
- Diarrhea
- Nausea and/or vomiting

Students **MUST** remain home until they are symptom free for 24 hours without the help of any medication.

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## Attachments

- **Lunch Menu**
  - [February](#)
- 5th Grade Heckrodt Wetland Trip **AM** (2/29/24) - **Permission Slip** (Due 2/19/24)
- 5th Grade Heckrodt Wetland Trip **PM** (2/29/24) - **Permission Slip** (Due 2/19/24)
- [Americanism Essay Contest](#) - Deadline March 1st



## Links/Information

- [XMS Daily Schedule](#)
- **Hawk Time Availability: 5th Grade, 6th Grade, 7th Grade, 8th Grade**
- [2023-2024 Student Directory](#)
- [XMS Anticipated Absence Form](#)
- [XCS Lunch Program](#)
- [XCS Care Program](#)
- [Xavier Online Spirit Store](#)
- [Xavier Catholic School Volunteer Procedure](#)
- [XMS Parking Lot Map](#)
- [2023-2024 XMS School Calendar](#)

## Community Events/Information

- [Sacred Heart Lenten Fish Fry](#) - February 23rd, March 8th & 22nd
- [Tech Savvy - March 9th, 2024](#) (Online registration open)
- [Camp Invention](#) - June 10th - 14th (Discount available until 3/27/24)
- [Junior Achievement Summer Camp](#) - June 17th - 21st

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## Upcoming Events

### **Wednesday, February 14**

- 8:10 am - Ash Wednesday Mass
- 7th Grade at Camp
- 3:15 - 4:20 pm - Cheer/Dance Practice

### **Thursday, February 15**

- 7th Grade at Camp
- 3:00 - 4:00 pm - Gamers Club
- 3:15 - 4:20 pm - Cheer/Dance Practice

### **Friday, February 16**

- 7th Grade - No School

- 3:00 - 3:30 pm - Math Club

**Tuesday, February 20**

- 9:26 am - Mass

**Wednesday, February 21**

- 3:05 - 3:45 pm - Campus Ministry Meeting

**Thursday, February 22**

- 3:05 - 3:50 pm - Inside Out Café

**Tuesday, February 27**

- 9:26 am - Mass

[Click here to view our website](#)

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