

August 23, 2024



MARK YOUR CALENDARS



September lunch ordering
will close on Wednesday,
August 28th at noon.

8/28 - Yearbook Photo Day
- Last Day to Sign up for Clubs
- Last Day to Sign up for Lunches

8/28 - Service Opportunity - Children's
Hunger Project

8/29 - Back-to-School Night - 5:15 - 7:30

9/2 - Labor Day - No School for All

9/6 - Cookies in the Park 1:15 (Taylor
Park in Cocoa Village)

9/10 - Bingo Night - 5:45 pm

9/18 - P&F Meeting - 8 am in Thursby

9/27 - Parent's Night Out - 6:00-9:00 pm

ST. MARK'S LIONS RETURN

PEANUT-FREE CAMPUS

Please note that St. Mark's is now a peanut-free campus, due to student allergies this year. Please refrain from having peanuts and peanut products on campus in student snacks and lunches. Thank You!



CHAPEL RULES

We need to ensure that the proper communication is understood regarding chapel etiquette. We only want to limit high fives and celebrations within the chapel itself - in an effort to extoll the reverance for that building. Parents that wish to give high fives and hugs can do so outside the chapel in the hallway, as we are all working to teach the proper etiquette for our holy spaces.

NOTE FROM OUR HEAD OF SCHOOL: Thank you, to all St. Mark's families, staff and students on a great first week of school! We are so happy to have you return to St. Mark's and start this new school year. We look forward to all of the experiences that this year will hold for your child and family.

GO LIONS!



START OF YEAR



UPDATES

Chick-fil-A Fridays

- 4 lunches each month
- Alternating 8 nuggets with cookie and 8 nuggets with chips
- \$7/lunch = \$28/month in lunch fees
- To be billed via FACTS Incidental Billing the following month on the 1st with a draw on the 15th.



[Click here to order September Lunches](#)



We are excited to invite you to join hands with St. Mark's Church on August 28th from 5:30-7:30 PM!

Together, we will be partnering with The Children's Hunger Project to package meals that will nourish and uplift the children of Brevard. This is a wonderful opportunity for our community to come together making a tangible difference in the lives of local families.

The event will take place at The Children's Hunger Project, located at 26 Forrest Ave, Cocoa, FL, with convenient parking available on both the east and west sides of the building.

To participate, please sign up through the provided link and complete the online waiver, or feel free to grab a printed waiver available in the Narthex.

Download the App using this link to help us earn bonus points!

https://btfe.smart.link/c2jjdifkw?referral_code=KD1C4GV9



EARNING FOR SCHOOLS WITH BOX TOPS IS A BREEZE!

Earn 5 Bonus Box Tops on Totino's

when you buy any 3 participating Totino's products in a single transaction between 08/01/24 - 08/31/24.

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14 Days Left

Earn 40 Bonus Box Tops at Walmart

when you buy any 4 participating products in a single transaction between 07/15/24 - 09/04/24.

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10 Days Left

Earn 6 Bonus Box Tops on Epic

when you buy any 2 participating Epic products in a single transaction between 08/01/24 - 08/31/24.

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Earn 10 Bonus Box Tops at BJ's

when you buy any 1 participating product in a single transaction between 07/14/24 - 09/30/24.

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10 Days Left

Earn 6 Bonus Box Tops on Progresso Soup

when you buy any 3 participating Progresso Soup products in a single transaction between 08/01/24 - 08/31/24.

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Earn 40 Bonus Box Tops at Sam's Club

when you buy any 2 participating products in a single transaction between 07/08/24 - 09/15/24.

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10 Days Left

Earn 6 Bonus Box Tops on Pillsbury Pie Crusts

when you buy any 3 participating Pillsbury Pie Crusts products in a single transaction between 08/01/24 - 08/31/24.



Earn 40 Bonus Box Tops at Target

when you buy any 4 participating products in a single transaction between 07/14/24 - 09/21/24.

[Learn More](#)



Great job, St. Mark's Families!

We have already earned \$69.50 just for downloading the Box Tops app with my referral code and linking Walmart accounts.

Please consider shopping at the stores listed to earn the school more bonuses this month.

40 bonus box tops = \$4.00 for St. Mark's!

Practica tu **ESPAÑOL**

Spanish
Club



Mondays 3:30 - 4:30

SEPT. 9 - OCT. 21

**Grades
1-6**

Mrs. James



Sign up here!



**REGISTER
NOW**



ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL ACADEMY

SPORTS CLUB

JOIN NOW!
OPEN TO GRADES PK-K
&
GRADES 1-6

PRE-K TO KINDER



SOFTBALL
TAG

FIELD HOCKEY

SEPT. 16- OCT 24

TUESDAYS - PK-K
THURSDAYS - 1-6

COACH PETSOVICH
& MRS. SMITH

GRADES 1-6



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Simply click on the logos. Thank you!



St. Mark's
EPISCOPAL ACADEMY

TRADITION. INNOVATION. INSPIRATION.



**HELP GET THE WORD
OUT!**

**CLICK ON ONE OR ALL OF THE FOLLOWING
WEBSITES TO LEAVE A REVIEW**



As St. Mark's continues to grow - we need your assistance to help reach new families. YOU can assist SMEA by engaging with our social media pages.

Please go on to the following page links to: follow, like, share and comment:

- **Facebook** - <https://www.facebook.com/stmarksepiscopalacademy/>
- **Instagram** - <https://www.instagram.com/stmarksepiscopalacademy/>
- **Website** - <https://www.stmarksacademy.org/>
- **LinkedIn** - <https://www.linkedin.com/company/st-mark-s-episcopal-academy>

This is a great way to show your support of SMEA, and promote our community to your friends and family. We will be sending out a parent email with all of these links. Mr. Wester will draw one parent that is engaging with our social media - to claim a small gift for helping our school!

Fall Semester

Monday, August 5	Used Uniform Sale – 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM - Thursby Hall
Wednesday, August 7	Teachers Return
Monday, August 12	Parent Orientation – 6:00 PM
Tuesday, August 13	Meet & Greet 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM
Tuesday, August 13	Used Uniform Sale Thursby Hall – 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM
Wednesday, August 14	Students Return - 1st Day of School
Wednesday, August 21	New Parent Coffee - 8:30 AM – Thursby Hall
Wednesday, August 28	Yearbook Picture Day
Thursday, August 29	Parents Back-to-School Night – 5:15 PM – 7:30 PM
Monday, September 2	Labor Day - (Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL)
Tuesday, September 10	Family Bingo Night 5:45 PM
Monday, September 16	Qtr 1 Interim Progress Reports
Friday, October 4	Blessing of the Animals – 12:35 PM
Monday, October 14	Columbus Day - (Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL)
Friday, October 18	End of Q1/ Fall Festival
Thursday, October 24	Qtr 1 Report Cards
Friday, October 25	Parent/Teacher Conferences (No School for Students)
Friday, November 1	All Saints' Day Chapel
Friday, November 8	Professional Development Day (No School for Students)
Monday, November 11	Qtr 2 Interim Progress Reports
Monday, November 11	Veterans Day Chapel
Thursday, November 14	All School Photo @ 8:40 AM
Monday – Thursday, November 11-15	Scholastic Book Fair
Tuesday, November 12	Books and Bingo 5:30-7:30
Friday, November 15	Fall into Science Day - Name TBD
Friday, November 22	Grandparent's Day - (11 AM Dismissal) No Aftercare
Monday – Friday, November 25-29	Thanksgiving Week - (Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL)
Wednesday – Friday, December 11-13	Holiday Shop
Friday, December 20	End of Qtr 2 & Advent in Song (11 AM Dismissal) No Aftercare
Monday, December 23 – Monday, January 6	Christmas Break

Spring Semester

Monday, January 6	Teachers Return
Tuesday, January 7	Students Return
Friday, January 10	Qtr 2 Report Cards
Monday, January 20	Martin Luther King Day - (Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL)
Thursday, January 23	Prospective Family Event
Thursday, February 6	Yearbook Photo Retake Day
Monday, February 10	Qtr 3 Interim Progress Reports
Friday, February 14	6th Grade Valentine's Day Celebration/1 PM Dismissal – No Aftercare
Monday, February 17	Presidents' Day - (Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL)
Tuesday, February 18	Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL/Hurricane Makeup Day
Tuesday, February 25	Family Bingo Night 5:45 PM
Wednesday, March 5	Ash Wednesday
Thursday, March 6	Spring Photo Day
Friday, March 7	Storybook Dress-Up Day/End of Qtr 3
Thursday, March 13	Science & Innovation Night
Thursday, March 13	Qtr 3 Report Cards Issued
Friday, March 14	Parent/Teacher Conferences - (No School for Students)/Hurricane Makeup Day
Monday- Friday, March 17-21	Spring Break
Friday, March 28	Field Day – Noon Dismissal -No Aftercare
Friday, April 11	Qtr 4 Interim Progress Reports
Saturday, April 12	Gala Night
Friday, April 18	Good Friday - (Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL)
Monday, April 21	Easter Monday - (Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL)
Friday, May 2	May Day - 11 AM Civic Center
Monday-Thursday, May 5-8	BOGO Scholastic Book Fair
Tuesday, May 6	Books and Bingo Night 6 pm-8 pm
Wednesday, May 21	Morning Awards Chapel
Thursday, May 22	Final Chapel/Crossover/Graduation/Last Day of School (11:00 Dismissal)
Friday, May 23 and Tuesday, May 27	Post-planning for Faculty
Monday, June 2	Qtr 4 Report Cards and Summer Packets Emailed

Parents & Friends Events

2024-2025



AUGUST

12TH - PARENT ORIENTATION
13TH - USED UNIFORM SALE
20th - PARENTS & FRIENDS
MEETING 8am- Library,
29TH - BACK TO SCHOOL
NIGHT

SEPTEMBER

6TH - COOKIES IN THE PARK
10TH - BINGO NIGHT
18TH- PARENTS & FRIENDS
MEETING 8am- Thursby

OCTOBER

16TH - PARENTS & FRIENDS
MEETING 8am - Thursby
18TH - FALL FESTIVAL

NOVEMBER

11TH-15TH - BOOK FAIR
12TH - BOOKS & BINGO
15TH - COOKIES IN THE PARK
20TH - PARENTS & FRIENDS
MEETING 8am - Thursby
22ND - GRANDPARENTS DAY

DECEMBER

6 TH - PARENTS NIGHT OUT
11-13TH - HOLIDAY SHOP
18TH - PARENTS & FRIENDS
MEETING 8am - Library
20TH - ADVENT & SONG

JANUARY

15TH - PARENTS & FRIENDS
MEETING 8am - Thursby

FEBRUARY

7TH - COOKIES IN THE PARK
14TH - VALENTINES DANCE
19TH- PARENTS & FRIENDS
MEETING 8am - Thursby
25TH - BINGO NIGHT

MARCH

19TH - PARENTS & FRIENDS
MEETING 8am - Thursby

APRIL

12TH - CASINO NIGHT GALA
16TH - PARENTS & FRIENDS
MEETING 8am - Library

MAY

6TH - BOOKS & BINGO
5TH - 8TH - BOOK FAIR
9TH - COOKIES IN THE PARK
15TH - PARENTS & FRIENDS
MEETING 8am - Thursby

JUNE

*****ALL DATES & EVENTS
ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE*****
FURTHER INFO WILL BE
FORTHCOMING AS EVENTS
COME CLOSER

JULY

Summer
