

# Newsletter

St. Isidore School

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## Happy Birthday!

March 14th Christian Kovacs  
March 15th Toby Nakahara  
March 17th Owain Reilly  
March 18th Hailey Delany  
March 20th Roman Wiater



2 more Weeks until Enrollment/Re-Enrollment Price

# Increases!

## Let the competition begin!

The class that has the highest percentage of students who have either completed re-enrollment (or hits 100% first) or communicated they are not enrolling for 2025-2026 school year will win. Deadline is March 31st, 2025. **The enrollment**

**fee will increase from \$125 to \$200 on April 1st, 2025.** Make sure to complete ASAP. You are not fully enrolled until the enrollment packet is submitted!



**First Grade is VERY close to 100%! Seventh Grade is still close in second! Preschool B is in the lead right now for Early Childhood! Preschool A and Pre-K A are close behind!**

If you are not enrolling for the 25-26 school year please log onto the FACTS Family Portal and click on Enroll on the left hand side. Once there, please click the "will not enroll" button.

K-7th Grade will win a free dress down day and an extra 20 min. of recess  
Preschool/PreK: Will win an ice cream party on the day of their choice.

## Quakertown Busing

On Friday March 14th there will be a Non-Hub day for Quakertown Bus Riders. Please see the bus sheet that was sent home for the new bus numbers and times!



## St. Patrick's Dress Down Day Monday 3/17/25!

**Monday is St. Patrick's Day-all students and staff may dress in their Irish attire. Please no shorts and follow our dress down policies.**



## Spring Uniform

**Spring Uniforms begins on April 1st, 2025.** Students who are out of dress code will receive a dress code violation.



## Car Line

While I appreciate the ingenuity, please DO NOT come in from Broad Street during drop off and pick up time. You Must be in the car line. You are creating a dangerous situation for the staff and students by not following the rules in addition to teaching your children it is okay not to follow rules. Please don't make me be the "mean principal" and have to ask you to go around to the car line. Just a note in general there are very few cars b/t 8:10-8:20 we are busy at 8 and then the last 5 min. There are generally 3-4 staff members outside and up to 6 cars are emptied at a time (as long as children are ready to get out) so we go as fast as we can while still maintaining the safety for all our children. Thank you so much for doing this:)



## Last Chance Ranch Donations

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## Donation Drive

3/7/25-3/15/25

### Items to donate are

Cat/Dog food

Kitten food/Puppy food

Blankets

Sheets

Pillows Cases

Towels

Disposable Gloves

Paper towels

Bleach

Dog/Cat toys



## Thank you

Supporting Keiran Rice's BlackBelt Project

## 2nd Annual St. Izzy Skate Night

**4/11/25 5:30-7:30 at Inline 309**

Don't miss an evening of fun for the whole family! Get your tickets in advance today!

Please see attached flyer and [SIGN UP HERE](#) !

**Skate Night Sign Up Genius**

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4DACAF23A4F58-55545569-stizzy>



## Spring Concert Preparation

Sound of Music Cast Play Practices ( Grades 4-8 who have a part in the show)

Hi parents and students. We will be holding three play practices out of school on the following dates in our school gym. These are required for the success of the show. Even though we will be practicing some in class, it is important to have all of the cast together. Please add these following dates and times to your calendars. This is only for those who have a role in the show. No stage crew until further notice. Feel free to email me at [lpinenick@stisidoreschool.com](mailto:lpinenick@stisidoreschool.com) for any



questions or if they are not able to attend.

**Sunday April 27th from 1-3**

**Saturday May 17th from 10-12 and 1-3 ( Snacks and lunch provided you only need to bring a drink)**

**Saturday May 31st from 10-12 and 1-3( Snacks and lunch provided you only need to bring a drink)**

## Stations of the Cross

Just a note that during Lent we participate each Friday doing the Stations of the Cross with the children. For the first week and last week our 2nd graders join us. All students in grades 3-8 participate.



## Uniform Closet

Come shop the uniform closet! We are stocked up and all items are only \$1 piece! We even have some Grizzly Gear in there for dress down days!





## Hershey Park Discounted Tickets

The Archdiocese of Philadelphia is working with *Hersheypark*® to offer tickets at a substantial discount to parishioners and their families.

If you would like to order tickets for the 2025 *Hersheypark* season (valid any ONE public operating day),

complete and submit this ORDER FORM along with full payment, checks made payable to your parish, by

Friday, April 25, 2025

<https://www.stisidoreschool.com/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/2025-Individual-Order-Form-Philadelphia.pdf>

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NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
_____
PRIMARY PHONE: _____

**THIS OFFER ENDS:  
Friday, April 25, 2025**

**Note:** Tickets are valid any ONE public operating day during the 2025 Hersheypark season. Tickets must be used on or before expiration date printed on the ticket. Hersheypark does not offer refunds, extensions or upgrades for unused tickets.

Quantity	Type	Gate	YOUR Price	Savings	TOTAL
	ALL Ages (ages 3+) Ticket valid through January 4, 2026	\$ 90.80	\$ 44.95	50 % OFF Gate Rate	\$
	Single Use Meal Deal: Choose a meal at any one of the participating food venues. Voucher includes an entrée, side and drink	\$19.06	\$19.06		\$
	Prepaid Parking Passes	\$35.00	\$26.00	25% OFF Parking	\$
	ORDER GRAND TOTAL				\$

**Parishes will receive tickets on or before the week of May 19, 2025**

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## Phillies All Star Teacher Award

It is time to submit your teachers for the Phillies All Star Teacher Award. We know that our teachers are the best. Nominations are open until March 17, 2025. Let's nominate them for this award:

<https://www.mlb.com/phillies/community/all-star-teachers-contest>



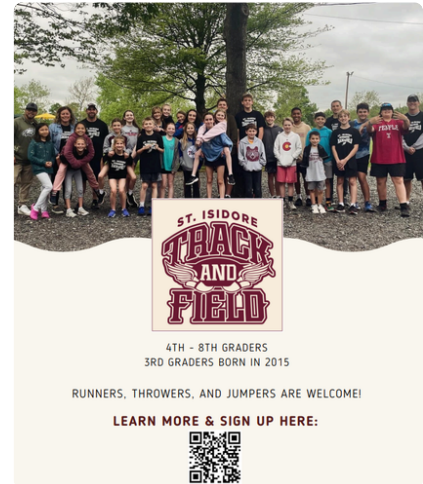
## CYO Track + Field

Registration is OPEN for Track and Field- students born between 2009-2015 are welcome



to join! Please see attached flyer for more info. Don't miss a great opportunity to have fun and challenge yourself this spring. Practice begins 3/11. Contact Coaches Jon and Emily Slabek at [stizzytrack@gmail.com](mailto:stizzytrack@gmail.com) with questions.

**REGISTER:** <https://www.saintisidorecyo.com/track-and-field/>



## Iron Pigs Game

### **NEVER TOO EARLY TO PLAN A BASEBALL GAME!!!!**

St. Isidore Parish has teamed up with the Lehigh Valley IronPigs for a **Faith Night Out on Friday, June 13th!** The Lehigh Valley IronPigs are the AAA affiliate of the Philadelphia Phillies located in Allentown, PA. This event has sold out in previous years.



- Each ticket purchased through the link below is **\$13.00 and includes \$2.00 ballpark credit.**
- Faith music played throughout the night.
- Players and coaches sharing what their faith means to them on the scoreboard throughout the night.
- After the game, the team chaplain and players will come out and have a question-and-answer session.
- Fireworks after the game!
- Game time is 7:05 p.m., with gates opening at 5:45 p.m.

**To purchase tickets please use this link:**

<https://fevo-enterprise.com/event/Saintisidore2>

Consider bringing the family out for a fun, faith filled night of baseball! Everyone is welcome to come-just simply share the link above with whoever you would like to invite! If you have any questions, please reach out to Mr. Jeffrey Daley ([dre@stisidoreprep.com](mailto:dre@stisidoreprep.com)) and I will be happy to assist! Hope to see you there! God Bless & Play Ball.

## Field Trips

Parents who wish to participate in field trips with their child(ren), need to be on the list of cleared parents sent out monthly. Parents who wish to attend need to have clearances up to date and on file by April 1st. Parents will not be allowed to attend if clearances are not logged in and they will not be accepted the day of the trip. To attend a field trip parents must have FBI/Disclosure statement (if you lived in PA 10+yrs), Criminal and child abuse clearances and the Mandated Reporter Acknowledgement form.



Background Check and Clearance Requirements as follows:

All three clearances and/or forms must be renewed every 5 years (60 months).

1. Federal Fingerprint Background Check (FBI) <https://uenroll.identogo.com> ☐

If not Pennsylvania resident for 10 continuous years The following are service codes needed to register for all current and/or prospective parish/school volunteers:

1KG6Y3 is the code for (PDE) Pennsylvania Department of Education/School Volunteers

Disclosure Statement Application for Volunteers ☐ If Pennsylvania resident for 10 continuous years

Pennsylvania State Police Criminal Background Check

<https://epatch.state.pa.us/Home.jsp>

Pennsylvania Child Abuse History Clearance <https://www.compass.state.pa.us/CWIS>

**<https://www.stisidoreschool.com/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/DISCLOSURE-STATEMENT-APPLICATION-FOR-VOLUNTEERS.pdf>**

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**<https://www.stisidoreschool.com/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/Mandated-Reporter-Acknowledgement-1.pdf>**

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## 2025-2026 Calendar

## 2025-2026 School Calendar is completed!

We will begin school after Labor Day due to obligations of the faculty in August.  
Please note that dates are subject to change due to circumstances beyond our control.

### St. Isidore | 2025-2026 SCHOOL CALENDAR

<b>AUGUST '25</b> 	26-27 faculty/staff report 28 faculty retreat 29 Orientation Preschool/Day 9:00 K & new families 9:30	<b>FEBRUARY '26</b> 	6 First Friday 9 100th Day of school 14 Presidents' Day/no school 18 Ash Wednesday Stations of the Cross: 20/27
<b>SEPTEMBER '25</b> 	1 Labor Day 2 First Day of School 4 Back to School Night 5 First Friday Mass 11 Picture Day 14 Lions vision/hearing screening 19 Safe to Say training gr. 5-8	<b>MARCH '26</b> 	6 No students/PD day 10 End Trimester 2 Stations of the Cross: 13/20/27 18-25 Terra Nova
<b>OCTOBER '25</b> 	3 First Friday Mass 14 12:30 dismissal/Spitt Day/Progress Reports 17 No School conferences 23 Picture Make up	<b>APRIL '26</b> 	2-4 Easter Break 22 Spring Picture Day 23 Progress Reports come home
<b>NOVEMBER '25</b> 	7 First Friday Mass 11 Veterans Day 25 End Trimester 1 26-28 Thanksgiving Break	<b>MAY '26</b> 	1 First Friday Mass 2-3 First Communions 14 Ascension of the Lord/May procession 15 Field Day/gr. 1-8 18 Spring concert gr. 1-8 19 Spring concert pres-K 22-25 Memorial weekend
<b>DECEMBER '25</b> 	5 First Friday Mass 8 Now Day of Grief Mass 11 Report cards come home 14 Christmas Concert Gr. 1-8 16 Christmas Concert Pres-K 22-Jan 4 Christmas Break	<b>JUNE '26</b> 	5 First Friday Mass 8 8th grade graduation 9 Field Day EC 9-11:30 10 Move Up Day 11 Last day preschool/preschool Kinder grad. 10:30 12, 13 Last Day of School-Early dismissal 12:00
<b>JANUARY '26</b> 	1 New Year's Day 5 Back to school for all 19 ML King Day/no school 25-30 Catholic School Week Progress Reports come home	Legend: Mass Early Dismissal No school	Last day of school, 6/12 includes 1 weather day. Additional weather days will be virtual **dates are subject to change Faculty/Staff Only

Updated 1/24

## Calendar of Events

Mar. 13: End of Trimester 2

Mar. 17: Whole school celebrates St. Patrick's day dress down

Mar. 20: Report Cards Go Home

Mar. 21-28 Terra Nova gr. 2-7

Mar. 31: Spirit Day

\*\*NOTE: Stations of the Cross Mar. 7, 14, 21, 28, April 4, April 11'

## Class Mass Schedule in the Chapel

**Mar. 14-gr. 5,6,7**

**Mar. 21-K & 8**

**Mar. 28- 1 & 2**

**April 11-Gr. 3 & 4**

April Calendar of Events **\*\*Note-Exercise for Education is being moved to another date\*\***

April 4-First Friday Mass/Honor Roll after Mass

April 5: First Communion Retreat morning/Daddy Daughter dance in the afternoon-theme Carnival/Mardi Gra

April 7: PAPA Meeting 6:30

April 11- skating party night for all

April 17-21: Easter Break

April 27: Open House-12-2:00 pm

April 28: Spring Picture Day (students may dress up)

[Click here to see the School Calendar](#)



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