

Leading all those in the East Metro to Christ, the Source and Summit of our daily and eternal lives.

Transfiguration Catholic School Newsletter February 21, 2024

A Prayer for Our School (written by First grade)

Thank You Lord, for making our world. Thank You for creating us! This Lent, help us to remember that you died on the cross so we could live. Amen

Special Dates

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Friday, Feb. 23	Middle School Science Fair
Saturday/Sunday Feb. 24-25	"Space Pirates" performances
Tuesday, Feb. 27	Girls' Basketball playoff, 5:15 pm
Wed-Thurs, Feb 28-29	Book Swap
Thurs-Fri., Feb 29-March 1	Parent/Teacher Conferences
Friday, March 1	No School-Conferences
Friday, March 8	No School – Teacher Workshop
Mon-Fri, March 11-15	No School – Spring Break

Congratulations!

Transfiguration families reached and exceeded our goal for the raffle earning over \$11,600! Thank you so much for your time and contributions to this effort! A special thank you to Amy Meyer and Jenny Samec for coordinating this fundraiser!

Upcoming Events

Space Pirates - This weekend our students will be performing "Space Pirates" at Ashland Theater (attached to the Maplewood Community Center). Students have been working hard on this production since November, and they are ready to give a great show! Tickets are only \$10; performances are 4pm Saturday and 1pm Sunday and are very family friendly. Purchase your tickets here: Ashland

Girls Basketball Game - Our Tigers will be playing a home playoff game next Tuesday and we are hoping to fill the gym and show our support! Please come wearing your black and gold to cheer them on at 5:15pm!

Book Swap - We will have a Book Swap to close out *I Love to Read* month next week. Students are welcome to bring in gently used books they no longer want through next Tuesday. Then, they will be able to choose new ones during the Swap! Every child will be able to choose a book; if they bring books in to swap, they will be able to choose more books. Check over those bookshelves!

Parent-Teacher Conferences - Conferences will be held next Thursday evening and Friday morning. If you have not yet signed up, first follow the link, select the teacher's tab at the top of the page, and select a time. Conference scheduling will close next Tuesday, so please choose a time before then. Start here: Conferences

Spring Sports

Golf - Students in K-5 are invited to learn more about Golf this spring through the TGA program! See the attached flier for more information; classes will be held Thursdays after school beginning in April.



Tournament - Speaking of golf... plans are underway for our first Transfiguration Golf Tournament! If you are interested in helping us with the planning process, please email Sue at principal@transfigurationmn.org. We will be having a planning meeting in early March and would love for you to join us! This is a great way to earn your required volunteer hours!

Sports - We aren't just golfing this spring! Transfiguration is offering boys' Baseball, girls' Softball, and boys' and girls' Track and Field! Interested? Follow this link to sign up: Spring Sports

Mrs. B.'s Bulletin

Our students cannot be stopped! We exceeded our raffle goal! The question everyone is asking now is, who will get the pie for hitting our raffle goal? The pie in the face, that is... many names have been suggested to me, so I will need to ponder. Thank you all so much for your support for this fundraiser!

I am excited to see our students on stage this weekend for the Ashland production of "Space Pirates". I am very grateful to Allie Bouthilet for coordinating this memorable experience for our students! I have heard some great singing coming from the practices and have even seen some dance moves in the hallway!

I am also looking forward to cheering on our girls in basketball on Tuesday. We rooted for our boys this past Monday, and they did a fantastic job! Now its the girls' turn, and we're hoping to fill the bleachers - please come if you are able! We are blessed to have so many activities happening!





SPRING SESSIONS NOW OPEN

TGA's action-packed golf enrichment program is perfect for beginners and more experienced students to build their skills and have a blast learning about the sport in a safe and supportive environment. Register this spring!





CLASS DETAILS

DAY: GRADES: PRICING: Thursdays K - 5 \$128

Apr 11-May 16 ADDRESS:

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TIME: Transfiguration Catholic School 2:55-3:55 PM 6135 15th St N, Oakdale, MN, 55128

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PROGRAMS INCLUDE

- LESSONS ON SPORTSMANSHIP, PERSEVERANCE + LEADERSHIP
- SKILL FUNDAMENTALS
 PRACTICE
- ACADEMIC CONCEPTS THROUGH
- RULES & ETIQUETTE LESSONS
- GAMES WITH FRIENDS

WHAT TO EXPECT



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Looking for a good book? Have a book you've already read? Swap it at the Book Swap!

Hare's how it works. From February 20th - 26th bring in gently used books for someone else to read*. Give them to your teacher. Then, on Book Swap Day, you will be able to choose a book that someone else brought in, and they can choose your book!

- You may bring in as many books as you would like. You will be able to choose one book for every one book you bring in.
- Books to be swapped must be in by the end of the day Monday,
 February 26th.
- Book Swap days will be Wednesday, Feb 28th Thursday, Feb 29.

*Please make sure there are no tears, coloring, or inappropriate words or themes in the books being turned in. Books should be picture or chapter books (no coloring or activity books, please).

If you have any questions, please email Mrs. Eberspacher at: <u>seberspacher@transflgurationmn.org</u>







I Love to Read

Choose one of your favorite books and create a new cover for it!

- Include the book title, author, and illustrator (if it has one)
- Use a plain 8.5" x 11" piece of paper
- Make it colorful and detailed!
- Write your name and grade on the back and give to your teacher

Book Cover Contest

All entries will be displayed and one winner will be selected from each grade group: PS-K, 1-3, 4-5, MS

Entries must be received by Tuesday, Feb. 27th

