



Prairie Catholic Weekly Newsletter

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From the Principal

Please join Prairie Catholic School and walk in the St. Patrick's Day Parade. Line-up is on St. Feriole Island on 4th Street. Just look for the Prairie Catholic banner and line up with the other families beginning at 9:00am. Wear as much green as you can and bundle up as it will be chilly. We want to see many students and families involved to show our school pride. Also, feel free to invite any alumni you may know.

Around Prairie Catholic

Friday, March 10th the Student Council will offer popcorn for the students for \$.50. If your student is interested please participate.

The Lions Club will be in the school on Monday, March 13th and will be doing vision screening to the students.

The multi-school forensics competition will be held at Seneca middle/high school starting at 5:15pm on Tuesday, March 14th. Good luck to all the qualifying Prairie Catholic students.

On Wednesday, March 15th the Crawford County Fair Queen will be in the school to present to our 2nd-8th grades. She will start at 2:45pm and the public is welcomed to attend.

On Thursday, March 16th the 7th and 8th Graders will be traveling to Madison to visit the State Capital, Veterans Museum and Forest Hills cemetery with Mr. Huser. Please remember to bring your sack lunch.

The end of Term 3 is Friday, March 17th.

Please congratulate Emily Kramer as she is Prairie Catholic's February Student of the Month. Great work Emily!

The First Communion Retreat will be Saturday, March 25th in the school cafeteria. The students will be participating in different stations preparing them for the sacrament.

The school would also like to congratulate Evelyn Waller as she won a \$50 SCRIP card for purchasing SCRIP. The next drawing for a \$50 SCRIP card will be April 3rd.

Mark Your Calendars

- March 10th - Student Council sponsored Popcorn Day
- St. Patrick's Day Parade
- March 13th - Vision Screening, 8:00am
- March 14th - Multi School Forensics Competition, Seneca School, PM
- March 15th - Crawford County Fair Queen, Grade 2-8 cafeteria, 2:45pm
- March 16th - 7th/8th Grade Field trip to Madison, all day
- March 17th - End of Term 3
- March 23rd - Report Cards going home
- March 24th - No School, Teacher In-service
- March 25th - First Communion Retreat, Cafeteria
- March 27th - No Public School, Parent Transportation Day





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Prayer: *Almighty God, you led your chosen people to their promised land. Help us to stay committed to your guiding light and Spirit that urges us to make right decisions. We ask this through Christ your Son, our Lord. Amen.*



Well Done! The school's Iowa Test's are back and the results were very positive. The 6th Grade's Vocabulary national percentile rank was in the 73rd percentile. Great job students!

There is NO SCHOOL on Friday, March 24th for a teacher in-service.

Monday, March 27th there is no public school so it will be a **parent transport day at Prairie Catholic.**

The school would like to congratulate the winners of Dr. Seuss week trivia: Julian DeGidio, Addilyn Lindner, Cole Swiggum and Addison Kirschbaum.

The students will again read through the Stations of the Cross on Fridays during Lent. These events are open to the public so if you would like to attend you are welcomed to join us at 2:45pm in St. Gabriel's Church.

Please use <http://www.smile.amazon.com> for your future Amazon purchases and select Prairie Catholic School as your designee.

Parents please remember that even though we are experiencing moderately warm temperatures right now the students need to bring cold weather gear. The morning recess is at 10:00am and it can still be very cool outside.

You can order SCRIP online using the code: 315114L45414. The website is: <https://www.shopwithscrip.com/>.

Holy Family Parish is offering a 2017 Cash Raffle with drawing being held on Sunday, May 21st, 2017. The proceeds of this raffle will support the school. The Grand Prize is \$7,500.00; there are two 1st Place Prizes of \$2,500.00 each; and ten 2nd Place Prizes of \$250.00 each. Tickets are \$10 each or 11 for \$100. Need not be present to win. Tickets are available in the school office, both rectories and around town at different locations.

Please help support the school through advertising this raffle and purchasing tickets. Who knows, maybe you'll be our Grand Winner!

Sign up dates for Prairie du Chien Independent Little League are Monday, March 13 & Tuesday, March 14. 5:00pm - 7:00pm each night at the Bluff View Cafeteria. Boys and Girls in grades Kindergarten through 8th for the 2016-2017 school year are invited to sign up. Registration fee for grades 3 - 8, \$50.00. Fee for 2nd grade, \$40.00. Fee for K and 1st, \$35.00. Registration deadline is Friday, March 31, 2017. Anyone with questions can inquire at sign up.