

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SCHOOL NEWS- SEPTEMBER 10, 2021**  
**BY MR. DUTTWEILER**

Dear Parents,

It was great to have everybody back this week. The students seem to be happy and I think we are off to a great start. Yesterday Bishop Mike and the Superintendent of Catholic schools, Dr. Tim Uhl, visited us for about a half hour. They were greeted in the parking lot by our fifth graders and then came into the school and met each of the grades in their classrooms. Bishop Mike and Dr. Uhl were impressed with our students and our school building. The Bishop is coming back on December 8 to celebrate Mass for the school in honor of the feast of the Immaculate Conception.

Congratulations to our fourth graders who will be making their First Holy Communion tomorrow and next Saturday.

Today the students will receive the family folders; the contents of the folder are also being sent electronically. There are a lot of forms and other materials that need to be filled out and returned as soon as you can. These are the forms we send out every year and they need to be updated. As in the past, family folders will go home every Thursday and the folder needs to be returned, so we can use the folder the following week.

Next Wednesday, September 15 we will have our annual Meet the Teacher Night and Home School Meeting. Teachers will be in their classrooms from 6PM until 7PM and then we will go to the cafeteria for our meeting. The Home School officers will explain the activities for this year and you will have an opportunity to sign up for the fundraising events if you haven't already done so. We are always in need of volunteers to make our fundraisers a success. Last year, in spite of Covid restrictions, the Home School Association did an outstanding job raising money for our school. Masks need to be worn for this evening.

I hope everyone has a good weekend!

Sincerely,



Joseph Duttweiler  
Principal

# September 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 9:30 am – Kindergarten Orientation 9:00 – 12:00 - School Supply Drop Off	2 9:00 – 12:00 – School Supply Drop Off	3	4
5	6 <b>Labor Day</b>	7 Faculty Meeting	8 1 <sup>st</sup> Day of School (Full Day)	9 10:00 am – Band Assembly	10	11 First Eucharist (A-H)
12	13	14	15 6:00 pm – Meet the Teacher Night and HSA Meeting	16	17 9:15 am - School Mass	18 First Eucharist (I-Z)
19	20 7:00 pm – Reconciliation (A-F)	21	22	23	24 School Pictures	25
26	27 7:00 pm – Reconciliation (H-Z)	28 Memorial Walk	29	30		

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SCHOOL

**DRIVE-THRU  
KROLICK'S CHICKEN**

**BBQ**

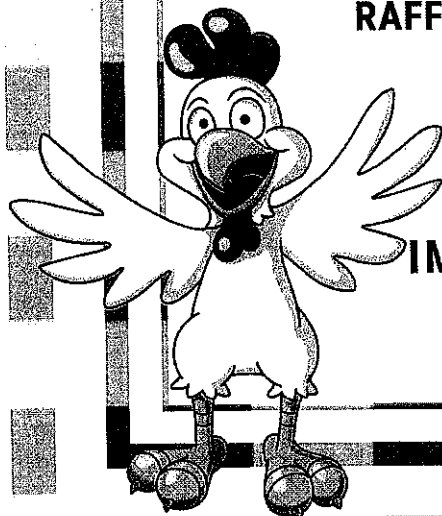
**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2021**

**11 A.M. - 3 P.M.**

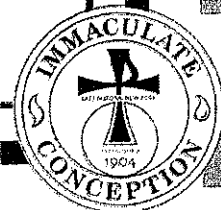
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**510 OAKWOOD AVENUE  
EAST AURORA, NY 14052**

**THEME BASKET RAFFLE  
BILLS, OUTDOORSMEN, 716, WINE, HALLOWEEN, CAMPING  
RAFFLE TICKETS SOLD SEPARATELY**



**CALL FOR TICKETS:  
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SCHOOL  
(716) 652-5855**



Immaculate Conception School

# October Fundraiser

Join us for a **Drive Thru Chicken Dinner by Krolick's**

ICS Parking Lot: 510 Oakwood Ave, East Aurora, NY 14052

**Saturday, October 2 from 11 - 3 p.m.**

- Dinner tickets, Raffle Tickets, and Pot of Gold tickets can be purchased up until Thursday, September 30<sup>th</sup> by sending in pre-sale stubs below along with cash or check payable to ICS *(Please return each portion below in separately marked envelopes. Tickets will be sent home ahead of event.)*

OR

- Just arrive and purchase in line the day of the event with cash or check payable to ICS

**Themed Basket Raffle:** Bills, Outdoorsmen, 7/6, Wine, Halloween, Camping  
Raffle ticket WINNERS will be contacted at the end of the event!



Questions? Please contact: Laurie Hammond at 716-512-0592 or Rachel Mest at 716-796-5025



**Thank you for your support!**

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**Pre-Sale Chicken Dinners (\$13.00/dinner)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Chicken Dinners: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Cost: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Pre-Sale Raffle Tickets (\$10.00/ticket or 3/\$20.00)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Raffle Tickets: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Cost: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Pot of Gold Tickets (\$50.00/ticket)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Pot of Gold Tickets: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Cost: \_\_\_\_\_

**Immaculate Conception School**  
**510 Oakwood Avenue**  
**East Aurora, NY 14052**  
**Student Acceptable Computer Use Policy**

The Internet is a global network connecting millions of computers, an environment of independent, unregulated resources that can change on a daily basis. In education, this resource is used in much the same way as books, magazines, newspapers, and videos.

Immaculate Conception School is preparing its students by offering up-to-date computer resources to complement the curriculum. The Internet is a valuable tool offering a vast number of resources to the students.

It is a general expectation that the school's resources are to be used in a reasonable, efficient, ethical, moral, and legal manner in accordance with the beliefs and policies of Immaculate Conception School. Faculty and Administrators may review files and communications to ensure that students are using the system responsibly. The Faculty and Administration will monitor computer use, but the students are responsible for following the guidelines for appropriate use, and they must bear the consequences for misuse.

The following are **NOT** permitted:

- Accessing, displaying, or sending pornographic or offensive material, whether written or graphic.
- Accessing, displaying, or sending materials that are derogatory toward any race, religion, culture, ethnic group, gender, or sexual orientation.
- Using the Internet for transmission of materials in violation of local, state, or federal regulations.
- Using obscene language.
- Violating copyright laws. (plagiarism)
- Accessing personal email, instant messaging and entering chat rooms.
- Tampering, misusing, abusing, or vandalizing any hardware, software, or security measures.
- Trespassing in others' files, folders, or work.
- Downloading music from unauthorized sites.
- Installing software including screen-savers without teacher permission.
- Using school resources for non-school activities.
- Accessing Social Networking sites on school equipment.
- Viewing or listening to inappropriate material.

**Suggested General Consequences**

Violators will be referred to the Principal for disciplinary action, and each infraction will be evaluated on an individual basis. Law enforcement agencies will be involved when appropriate. The student will not have computer privileges unless this form is signed and dated by both student and parent.

**Google for Education** – Immaculate Conception School also creates and maintains a Google email account for each student for educational purposes only. Students are responsible for keeping their password safe and may only share that information with their parents or guardians. Student's email is NOT private, nor should it be used as a private account. \*Google classrooms should not be used as a chatroom. All communication is educational in nature.

**Access is a privilege, not a right. Access implies responsibility.**



**Please fill out and return this form to your homeroom by Friday, September 17, 2021**

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_  
Please Print

I have read the policy and will conduct myself accordingly. \_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature Date

I have read the policy and will support its implementation. \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature Date

Technology accessibility at home:

\_\_\_\_\_ I have Internet through a modem – hardwire or wifi

\_\_\_\_\_ I have Internet using a hot spot.

\_\_\_\_\_ Student has own computer or laptop.

\_\_\_\_\_ Shares a computer or laptop with multiple family members.

\_\_\_\_\_ I choose to bring in my own laptop from home. I accept responsibility for taking care of my device. I will not access any social media platforms (snapchat, twitter, Instagram, etc.) during school hours.

Any violation of this agreement will result in suspension of all computer privileges pending review.

Parent email that is checked regularly: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN PERMISSION SLIP**

Dear Parent or Legal Guardian:

Your student is eligible to participate in **Neighborhood Walks** under the guidance and supervision of employees from **Immaculate Conception School**.

**Event/Location: School neighborhood walks within 2 miles radius of the school**

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**Dates: September 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022**

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**Time: Anytime during the school day between 9:00 am and 3:00 pm**

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**Method of Transportation: Walking**

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**Other Information: Students may take walks for additional physical activity or educational activities**

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If you would like your child to participate in this event, please complete, sign, and return the following statement of consent and release of liability and medical release information. As a parent, legal guardian, you remain fully responsible for any legal responsibility that may result from actions taken by the named student.

**LIABILITY RELEASE**

I/we recognize and acknowledge that there are risks in my child’s presence and participation in the above mentioned event. I agree to indemnify, hold harmless, waive and relinquish all claims I may have against Immaculate Conception School and the Diocese of Buffalo including any negligence claims on their part and its officers, agents, employees, representatives or volunteers arising out of the transportation to and/or from the event, or in connection with any claims arising out of or caused by any activity my child participates in during the event.

**MEDICAL RELEASE**

Our permission is hereby given to the representatives of Immaculate Conception School to authorize by his/her signature, whatever medical or surgical treatment may be considered necessary in the event of an accident or medical emergency in which the parent or guardian cannot be reached. It is understood that every attempt to reach the parent or guardian will be made. If the physician below cannot respond, I authorize any licensed physician or medical center to treat the student designated below.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parents’ Name/Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

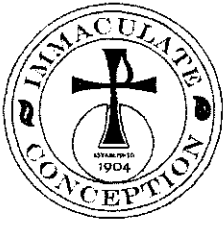
\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Emergency Contact / Telephone Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Primary Care Physician/Phone Number

Health Insurance Company/Plan #/ ID # \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies, reactions, or other pertinent medical information: \_\_\_\_\_



# Immaculate Conception School

## Consent and Release Form for the Use of Student Photograph(s), Video, Work, and Sound Recordings

Throughout the year there will be numerous occasions when we will be contacting local media outlets (newspapers, television, radio, internet, social media) in the hopes of getting coverage for diocesan and school events. We also hope to use some of the images, recordings, and work of our students for our own use or use by the secular media.

### CONSENT AND RELEASE

Please complete the following form and return to the office no later than Friday, September 17, 2021. *If the form is not turned in by this date, it will be assumed that permission is not given.*

I \_\_\_\_\_, the parent/guardian, **give / do not give**  
Print Parent Name (circle one)

Immaculate Conception School of East Aurora permission to use my child(ren)'s photograph, video image, sound recording, and/or work for use by representatives from the school, the Department of Catholic Schools, WNY Catholic media and/or secular media.

Student's name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

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Student's name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

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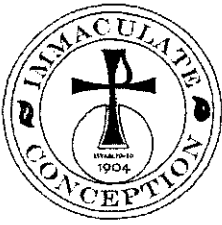
\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature Date

**\*I understand that I may revoke this permission at any time by contacting the school administration.**

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# Immaculate Conception School

September 9, 2021

Dear Parent, Guardian, and School Staff:

New York State Education Law Section 409-H, effective July 1, 2001, requires all public and nonpublic elementary and secondary schools to provide written notification to all persons in parental relation, faculty, and staff regarding the potential use of pesticides periodically throughout the school year. Immaculate Conception School is required to maintain a list of persons in parental relation, faculty, and staff who wish to receive 48-hour prior written notification of certain pesticide applications. The following pesticide applications are not subject to prior notification requirements:

- If a school remains unoccupied for a continuous 72 hours following an application;
- Anti-microbial products;
- Non-volatile rodenticides in tamper resistant bait stations in areas inaccessible to children;
- Non-volatile insecticidal baits in tamper resistant bait stations in areas inaccessible to children;
- Silica gel and other nonvolatile ready-to-use pastes, foams, or gels in areas inaccessible to children;
- Boric acid and disodium octaborate tetra hydrate;
- The application of EPA designated bio pesticides;
- The application of EPA designated except materials under 40CFR152.25;
- The use of aerosol products with a directed spray in containers of 18 fluid ounces or less when used to protect individuals from an imminent threat from stinging and biting insects including venomous spiders, bees, wasps, and hornets.

In the event of an emergency application necessary to protect against an imminent threat to human health, a good-faith effort will be made to supply written notification to those on the 48-hour prior notification list. If you would like to receive 48-hour prior notification of pesticide applications that are scheduled to occur at the school, please complete the form on the next page and return it to Immaculate Conception School.

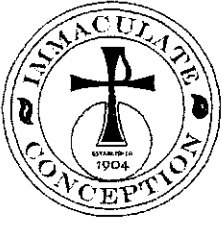
Sincerely,

Joseph Duttweiler  
Principal

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# Immaculate Conception School

## Request for Pesticide Application Notification

School Building Name: Immaculate Conception School

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please feel free to contact Immaculate Conception School at one of the following:

Main Office: 510 Oakwood Avenue, East Aurora, NY 14052

Phone: 716-652-5855

FAX: 716-805-0192

Email Mr. Duttweiler's Office at [jduttweiler@icschoolea.org](mailto:jduttweiler@icschoolea.org)

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## Cafeteria News

School opens with a full day this year so don't forget to pack a lunch. There will be beverages and snacks to buy. Also, there will be ice cream on the first day. Also, microwaves will be back this year. I will have a system that I will explain to the kids when school starts.

Milk - white and chocolate - 35 cents

Water - 35 cents

Juice - 35 cents

Ice Cream - 50 cents

Snacks - 50 cents

Wednesday, September 15 will be our first Pizza lunch. Pizza will be from Del Aureo's and will include one slice of pizza, a drink, ice cream, or a snack.

One slice - \$2.00

Two slices - \$3.00

Three slices - \$4.00

Four slices - \$5.00

We are offering to pay ahead for the whole year. Cash or check and checks should be made out to ICS. Please send in an envelope marked Pizza. No Refunds will be available.

One slice - \$70.00 per child

Two slices - \$105 per child

Three slices - \$140 per child

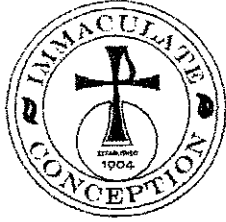
Four slices - \$175 per child

You can always add an extra slice by sending in \$1.00 per slice.

If you do not pay ahead and your child would like pizza just send in the money on Wednesdays.

I am so excited to see everyone. I always need help in the cafeteria. I need extra help on Wednesdays. Lunch starts at 11:00 AM and ends at 1:00 PM. If you are interested in volunteering any day please call me at 716-587-2837.

Becky Davidson



# Immaculate Conception School

## BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

The Immaculate Conception School "Before and After School Program" is available to all parents with children enrolled at Immaculate Conception School. The program is designed for parents who are working or are unable to be at home when the children return from school.

Our Before and After School Program will be supervised by teaching staff each day, and the staff member will be compensated via monies paid by the parents utilizing the program.

**HOW IT WORKS:** Please send in a note with your child(ren) in the morning stating that they will be attending the After School Program. If you know that it will be the same day/days each week, you can just send in one note stating that. If there are last minute changes to the schedule, parents are asked to call the office (preferably before 2:30 pm that day).

**WHERE?:** Both programs will be held in the cafeteria.

**AM TIME:** 7:00 am to 8:15 am, Monday through Friday when school is in session. Students may not be dropped off prior to 7:00 am as no one will be on site to supervise your child(ren). In the event school is cancelled due to weather, the Before School Program is cancelled as well.

**AM COST:** \$10 per child/per day on regular school days. These are the funds that would compensate the teacher for her time.

**PM TIME:** 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm, Monday through Friday when school is in session. Parents are expected to pick up their child(ren) no later than 5:00 pm each day at the parking lot door. In the event a parent is running late, they are required to contact the teacher(s) and let them know. *There will be an additional charge after 5:00 pm.* In the event after school activities are cancelled due to the weather, the After School Program will be cancelled as well. On early dismissal days, the After School Program is **not** available as teachers must complete professional development on those days.

**PM COST:** \$10 per child/per day on regular school days. *In the event a parent is late in picking up, an additional charge of \$2.50 will be applied per every 15 minutes over.* These are the funds that will compensate the teacher for her extra time.

**AM/PM COSTS:** \$20 per child/per day on regular school days.

**BILLING:** Parents will be billed every two (2) weeks. Attendance will be taken by the teacher. Checks are to be made out to Immaculate Conception School. In the event a parent does not pay, the child(ren) may not attend in the future.

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# Immaculate Conception School

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Students: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents/Authorized Persons to pick up your child (children):

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

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OFFICE USE ONLY

CHECK# \_\_\_\_\_ DATE PAID \_\_\_\_\_ REC'D BY \_\_\_\_\_ RCPT GIVEN \_\_\_\_\_

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# Immaculate Conception School

## ONE FORM PER CHILD

Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION IF PARENTS CANNOT BE REACHED

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

### INSURANCE INFORMATION

Name of Provider: \_\_\_\_\_

Policy #: \_\_\_\_\_

### MEDICAL INFORMATION

*Medications your child is taking and what it is being taken for. Please use reverse if more space is needed.*

\_\_\_\_\_ Prescribed for \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Prescribed for \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF PEDIATRICIAN \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

### ALLERGIES

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

In the event of injury or illness, I hereby give permission for my child, named above, to be treated by any doctor or hospital as he/she may require.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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# Home To School Note

Immaculate Conception School

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date \_\_\_\_\_



Was absent on \_\_\_\_\_  
because \_\_\_\_\_

Will be picked up today at dismissal by  
\_\_\_\_\_

Will be picked up early today at \_\_\_\_\_  
o'clock by \_\_\_\_\_  
because \_\_\_\_\_

Will be discharged today at this address:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Was late today because \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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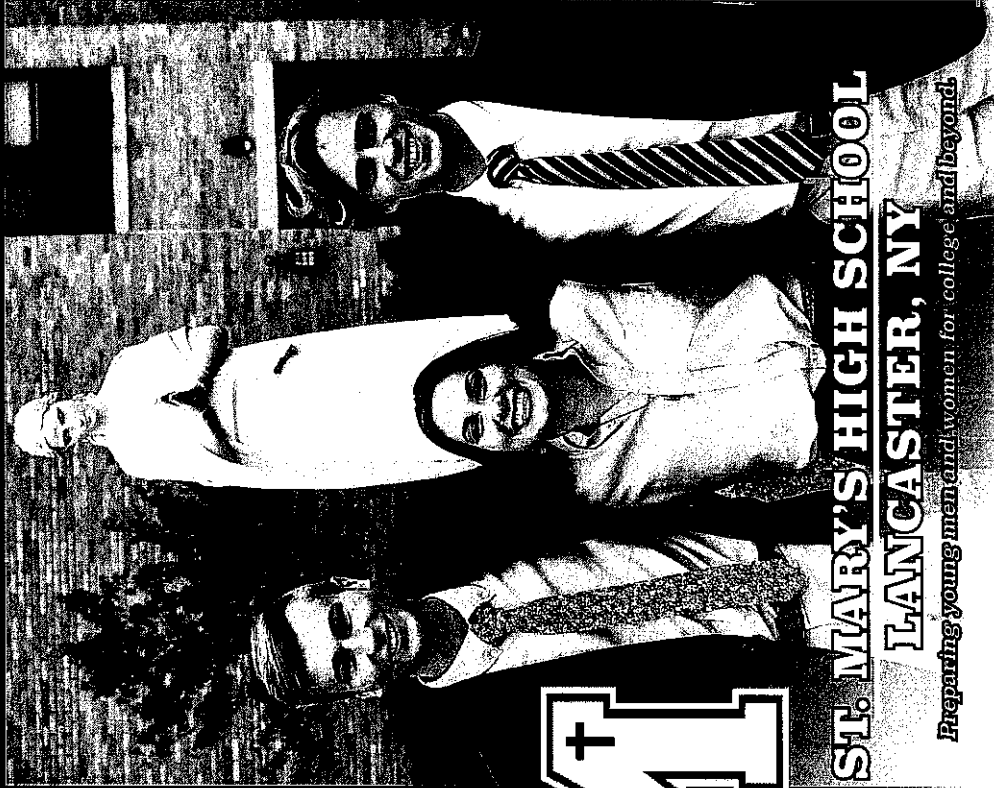
**Become Part of the St. Mary's Family!**

# Open House

**Thurs. Sept. 30th from 5 to 8 p.m.**

**Fri. Oct. 1st from 5 to 7 p.m.**

**Preregistration required at [smhlancaers.com](http://smhlancaers.com)  
Reserve your time slot today!**



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*Preparing young men and women for college and beyond.*





Even in an unprecedented year  
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students haven't missed a beat.  
First's rankings of 161 high schools  
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There is no better time to be  
all of the exciting opportunities  
St. Mary's story! How will you

# Write your story!



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"I am so grateful to St. Mary's for  
providing our children with a wonderful  
four-year high school experience. So many  
great kids are graduating from St. Mary's,  
and it's a direct result of the hard work  
done by the faculty and staff. Thank you  
for your dedication to all of your families.  
We are so happy to be a part of it!"

- Karen Murty, parent of Shamron Murty '18 (University  
of Rochester), Brendan Murty '20 (Syracuse University),  
& Aidan Murty '22