

ST. THERESE CATHOLIC SCHOOL NOTES & REMINDERS

May 8, 2025

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● May 9th, Friday – **NO SCHOOL** – Teacher Work Day



May 15th, Thursday - **Sports Banquet** – 6:00 P.M.



May 16th, Friday – **Jog-a-Thon** – Morning

● May 23th, Friday – **NOON DISMISSAL** – Teacher Work Day



May 23th, Friday – **8th Grade Gratitude Mass** – 8:00 A.M.

8th Grade Continuation Ceremony – 9:30 A.M. (in the gym)



May 26th, Monday – **NO SCHOOL** – Memorial Day

A Note from our Principal, Mr. Vaughan:

We are nearing the end of the 3rd Trimester! Now is a great time to check your student's grades on Sycamore and reach out to teachers if you have any questions or concerns. There is still time to raise low grades, but that time is running out! The last day of graded academic work is May 22 for 8th grade and May 30 for kindergarten-7th grade.

Please join us for the Jog-a-Thon next Friday! Preschool will get things started at 9:15 and we'll work our way up in grades every 15 minutes. This is a really fun community event. Come cheer on our runners!

You are all in my prayers every day.



Jog-a-Thon is coming May 16th – This is the St. Therese Booster Clubs' sole fundraiser for our sports program. Make sure you fill those sponsor forms out and return them quickly!!! Any student who **turns in 10 or more sponsor forms receives a voucher for a dress down day or a free concession item** on the day of the Jog. **You must turn in at least 6 sponsor forms to get a FREE Jog-a-Thon t-shirt.** **You must turn in at least 1 sponsor form to be able to participate in the Jog-a-Thon festivities.**

All sponsor forms need to be in by May 9th!!

ENCLOSURES IN THIS WEEK'S THURSDAY FOLDER: (any flyer enclosed with this newsletter that is not a St. Therese Flyer is not a St. Therese sponsored event).

- **IMPORTANT** – Lunch Letter for the 2025-2026 School Year
- Raffle – Rockies Tickets
- Catholic Schools at the Rockies
- Skate City Party

Assurance Statement of Compliance with the purposes of Title IX Education Act

The Catholic schools of the Archdiocese, under the jurisdiction of the Archbishop, and at the direction of the Superintendent, attest that none of the Catholic schools discriminates on the basis of sex in its admission policies, its treatment of students or its employment practices.

Notice of Student Non-Discrimination Policy

The Catholic schools of the Archdiocese of Denver, under the jurisdiction of Archbishop Samuel J. Aquila, S.T.I. and at the direction of the Superintendent, state that all of their Catholic schools admit students of any race, color, national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the schools. Furthermore, Archdiocesan schools admit handicapped students in accord with the policy on Admissions in the Archdiocese of Denver Catholic Schools Administrator's Manual. These schools do not discriminate on the basis of race, age, handicap, color, national or ethnic origin in the administration of their educational policies, employment practices, scholarship and loan programs, or athletic or other school administered programs.

IMPORTANT LUNCH INFORMATION FOR NEXT SCHOOL YEAR 2025-2026

April 25, 2025

Dear St. Therese Families,

I hope you are doing well! A few weeks ago, we sent a survey asking for parent feedback regarding our school lunch program. As was noted in the survey email, we were considering not having a school lunch program for the 25-26 school year. Thank you to all of you who provided your thoughts and perspective!

After reviewing the survey results and taking this decision to prayer, we have decided to end the school lunch program, beginning next year. I would like to share with you the factors that went into this decision:

1. The cost of running a school lunch program has become too high for us to continue doing so. Yes, we do receive some funding from the government to provide lunch, but it does not cover the total cost of the program. St. Therese loses money on every lunch we serve. The money we save on not having a lunch program will go directly to support teacher salaries and student services.
2. A majority of our students already bring a lunch from home. Among those who do purchase a school lunch, most do not eat everything provided. An incredible amount of food is being wasted and most students who receive a school lunch are not eating a well-balanced meal due to not eating most or all of what is served. It is our hope that all students will eat a more balanced meal if they brought their lunch from home.
3. A frequent comment noted on the survey was a concern that students would not have access to a warm lunch. We plan to purchase more microwaves for the cafeteria to allow all students who need to heat a lunch to do so.

Please let me know if you have any questions. While this decision was certainly not an easy one, I am confident that it is truly in the best interest of our students and the school.

You are all in my prayers every day!

For the Glory of God/Para la Gloria de Dios,

Steve Vaughan
Principal/Director de la Escuela

INFORMACIÓN IMPORTANTE SOBRE EL ALMUERZO PARA EL PRÓXIMO AÑO ESCOLAR 2025-2026

25 de Abril de 2025

Queridas familias de Santa Teresa,

¡Espero que estén bien! Hace unas semanas, enviamos una encuesta solicitando comentarios de los padres sobre nuestro programa de almuerzos escolares. Como se señaló en el correo electrónico de la encuesta, estábamos considerando no tener un programa de almuerzo escolar para el año escolar 25-26. ¡Gracias a todos los que brindaron sus pensamientos y perspectivas!

Después de revisar los resultados de la encuesta y tomar esta decisión en oración, hemos decidido finalizar el programa de almuerzos escolares a partir del próximo año. Me gustaría compartir con ustedes los factores que influyeron en esta decisión:

1. El costo de tener un programa de almuerzos escolares se ha vuelto demasiado alto para que podamos continuar haciéndolo. Sí, recibimos algunos fondos del gobierno para proporcionar el almuerzo, pero no cubre el costo total del programa. Santa Teresa pierde dinero con cada almuerzo que servimos. El dinero que ahorremos al no tener un programa de almuerzos se destinará directamente a apoyar los salarios de los maestros y los servicios estudiantiles.
2. La mayoría de nuestros estudiantes ya traen su almuerzo de casa. Entre los que compran un almuerzo escolar, la mayoría no come todo lo que se les proporciona. Se desperdicia una cantidad increíble de alimentos y la mayoría de los estudiantes que reciben un almuerzo escolar no comen una comida bien balanceada debido a que no comen la mayor parte o la totalidad de lo que se sirve. Esperamos que todos los estudiantes coman una comida más equilibrada si traen su almuerzo de casa.
3. Un comentario frecuente observado en la encuesta fue la preocupación de que los estudiantes no tuvieran acceso a un almuerzo caliente. Planeamos comprar más microondas para la cafetería para permitir que todos los estudiantes que necesiten calentar un almuerzo puedan hacerlo.

Por favor, dejeme saber si tiene alguna pregunta. Si bien esta decisión ciertamente no fue fácil, estoy seguro de que realmente es lo mejor para nuestros estudiantes y la escuela.

¡Están todos en mis oraciones todos los días!

For the Glory of God/Para la Gloria de Dios,

Steve Vaughan
Principal/Director de la Escuela



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APPRECIATION WEEKEND

BENEFITTING | EN BENEFICIO DE
DENVER CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

MAY 9-11



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ADDITIONAL GAMES AVAILABLE
JUEGOS ADICIONALES DISPONIBLES

May 23 & 25



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TICKETS STARTING AT
BOLETOS A PARTIR DE

\$17

Available online only | Disponible solo en línea

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COLORADO ROCKIES

2025 SCHEDULE



MARCH/APRIL

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					28 TB 7:10	29 TB 2:10
30 TB 11:40	PHI 1:05		1 PHI 4:45	2 PHI 11:05	3 PHI 11:05	4 A's 7:10
5 A's 1:10		6 LAD 8:10	7 LAD 8:10	8 LAD 8:10	9 LAD 8:10	10 SD 7:40
11 SD 2:10	12 LAD 8:10	13 LAD 8:10	14 LAD 8:10	15 LAD 8:10	16 LAD 8:10	17 W 7:40
18 W 1:10	19 W 1:10	20 W 1:10	21 W 1:10	22 KC 5:40	23 KC 5:40	24 KC 12:10
25 C 1:10	26 A 6:40	27 A 6:40	28 A 6:40	29 A 6:40	30 A 6:40	

MAY

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1 SF 1:00	2 SF 8:15	3 SF 2:05
4 SF 2:05	5 TEX 8:05	6 TEX 8:05	7 TEX 8:05	8 TEX 8:05	9 AZ 7:40	10 AZ 8:10
11 SD 1:10	12 TEX 8:05	13 TEX 8:05	14 TEX 8:05	15 AZ 7:40	16 AZ 8:10	17 AZ 8:10
18 AZ 2:10	19 P 8:40	20 P 8:40	21 P 8:40	22 P 1:10	23 NYM 6:40	24 NYM 2:10
25 NYM 1:10	26 CHC 12:20	27 CHC 8:05	28 CHC 8:05	29 NYM 5:10	30 NYM 5:10	31 NYM 2:10

JUNE

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					6 M 6:40	7 M 7:40
1 NYM 11:40	2 MIA 4:40	3 MIA 4:40	4 MIA 10:10	5 MIA 10:10	6 M 6:40	7 M 7:40
8 M 1:10	9 S 6:40	10 S 6:40	11 S 6:40	12 S 6:40	13 ATL 5:15	14 ATL 2:10
15 ATL 11:35	16 WSH 4:45	17 WSH 4:45	18 WSH 4:45	19 WSH 11:05	20 A 6:40	21 A 7:10
22 A 1:10	23 LA 6:40	24 LA 6:40	25 LA 6:40	26 LA 1:10	27 MIL 6:10	28 MIL 2:10
29 MIL 12:10	30 LA 6:40					

JULY

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 ★ 6:40	2 ★ 6:40	3 ★ 1:10	4 ★ 6:30	5 ★ 7:10
6 S 1:10	7 BOS 9:10	8 BOS 9:10	9 BOS 9:10	10 CIN 5:10	11 CIN 5:10	12 CIN 2:10
13 CIN 11:40	14 ALL-STAR BREAK	15 ALL-STAR BREAK	16 ALL-STAR BREAK	17 CIN 6:40	18 CIN 6:10	19 CIN 6:10
20 P 1:10	21 S 6:40	22 S 6:40	23 S 1:10	24 BAL 5:05	25 BAL 5:05	26 BAL 5:05
27 BAL 11:35	28 CLE 4:40	29 CLE 4:40	30 CLE 4:40	31 CLE 4:40		

AUGUST

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1 P 6:10	2 P 1:10
3 P 1:10	4 A 6:40	5 A 6:40	6 A 1:10	7 A 1:10	8 AZ 7:40	9 AZ 8:10
10 AZ 2:10	11 STL 5:45	12 STL 9:45	13 STL 12:15	14 A 8:40	15 A 6:40	16 A 6:10
17 A 1:10	18 LA 6:40	19 LA 6:40	20 LA 6:40	21 LA 1:10	22 PIT 4:40	23 PIT 4:40
24 PIT 10:05	25 HOU 6:10	26 HOU 6:10	27 HOU 6:10	28 HOU 12:10	29 C 4:40	30 C 6:10
31 C 1:10						

SEPTEMBER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 S 2:10	2 S 6:40	3 S 6:40	4 S 6:40	5 S 6:40	6 S 6:10
7 S 1:10	8 LAD 8:10	9 LAD 8:10	10 LAD 8:10	11 SD 7:40	12 SD 7:40	13 SD 8:40
14 SD 2:10	15 M 6:40	16 M 6:40	17 M 6:40	18 M 1:10	19 ★ 6:10	20 ★ 6:10
21 A 1:10	22 SEA 7:40	23 SEA 7:40	24 SEA 7:40	25 SEA 7:40	26 SF 8:15	27 SF 2:05
28 SF 1:05	29 SEA 7:40					

OPENING DAY

HOME

AWAY

FIREWORKS

All game dates and times are subject to change.

2025 GROUP TICKET PACKAGES AND THEME DAYS



EDUCATIONAL EVENTS: STEM DAY, BUSINESS OF BASEBALL, COLLEGE FAIR

UNIVERSITY DAYS: CU, CSU, UNC, AIR FORCE, NEBRASKA, WYOMING, MSU, CMU

THEME DAYS: STAR WARS, GRATEFUL DEAD, HARRY POTTER, GRADUATES NIGHT

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Let's play ball!



Purchase your \$5 raffle tickets for a chance to win two tickets to the June 24 Colorado Rockies game vs. the world champion Los Angeles Dodgers!



Buy your raffle tickets in the front office from Monday, April 28-Thursday, May 8.

The winner will be drawn during afternoon prayer on Thursday, May 8!

All raffle funds will directly support St. Therese Catholic Classical School.



¡Juguemos a la pelota!



¡Compre sus boletos para la rifa de \$5 y tenga la



oportunidad de ganar dos boletos para el juego de los Colorado Rockies del 24 de junio contra los campeones mundiales Los Angeles Dodgers!

Compre sus boletos para la rifa en la oficina del lunes 28 de abril al jueves 8 de mayo.

¡El ganador será elegido durante la oración de la tarde del jueves 8 de mayo!

Todos los fondos de la rifa apoyarán directamente a la Escuela Católica Clásica St. Therese.





SCAVENGER SKATE PARTY

St. Therese Catholic School

Skate 150 skaters & win a \$150 Skate City gift card
directly for your classroom!

Thursday
May, 22nd
6-8pm

Beat the line and pre-purchase your admissions/rentals
using the QR code below for an expedited entry!

\$5 Meal Deals Available!

Admission Fee **\$7**

\$5 Skate Rental



You and your school can participate in the **Scavenger Hunts** throughout Skate City During your party. Find the items and get correct answers to **GREAT PRIZES!**

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