



# HOLY ROSARY

## NOTES & QUOTES



### Mr. Mullis' Letter

April 8, 2026

As we look ahead to our upcoming Race for Education on Friday, April 24, I want to take a moment to emphasize just how important this event is for our entire school community.

Our Race for Education is more than just a fun and active day for our students, it is one of our most impactful fundraisers of the year. Our goal is to raise \$65,000, and every single family's participation plays a vital role in helping us reach that mark. The funds raised will directly benefit our students by providing much-needed improvements, including new chairs for our cafeteria and updated iPads for our lower school classrooms.

These enhancements are meaningful investments in our students' daily experience. New seating supports our lunch experiences, and updated technology ensures our youngest learners have the tools they need to grow, explore, and succeed in today's world.

In addition to the race, we are excited to continue one of our favorite traditions, our family cookout. This is a wonderful opportunity for our school community to come together, celebrate our students, and enjoy time with one another. It's a day that truly reflects the spirit and strength of our school family.

Participation does not look the same for every family, and we understand that. Whether through securing sponsors, making a donation, attending the cookout, or simply encouraging your child to give their best effort on race day, your involvement matters. When our entire community comes together, we create something special for our students.

We also want our students to feel proud of their efforts, both in running and in contributing to the success of their school. This event builds school spirit, promotes healthy activity, and teaches the value of working together toward a common goal.

Thank you for your support. We are truly blessed by our school community, and we look forward to a fun and successful Race for Education. See the Race Day flyers for more information on the schedule for the day.



Have a great week,

*Darren Mullis*

Darren Mullis  
Principal

### Dates to remember

#### April

- 13 - Sidewalk Chalk Contest
- 15 - HRPO Meeting
- 17 & 18 - Shrek the Musical
- 22 - Spirit Night at Jason's
- 23 - Men's Club Meeting
- 24 - Race For Education
- 25 - HRMC Crawfish Boil

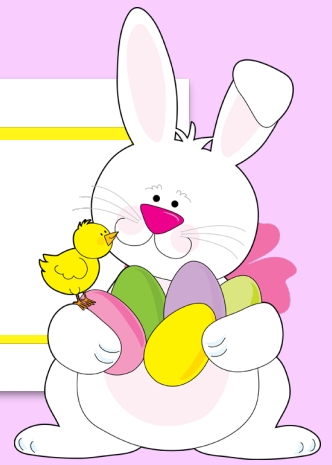
### In today's news...

- April Lunch Menu
- Family Cook Out Form
- RACE FOR EDUCATION
- Sidewalk Chalk Contest
- Shrek Jr. - The Musical
- HRPO Meeting
- Spirit Night at Jason's
- HRMC Annual Crawfish Boil
- HRS Athletic Summer Camps
- Coffee & Conversation w/ Mr. Mullis

Go  
RAMS!



# Wednesday News



## ***RACE FOR EDUCATION***

Sponsored by Holy Rosary School

Friday, April 24, 2026

See you there!

**PLEASE BE SURE TO  
TURN IN YOUR FORM,  
IF YOU ARE PLANNING  
TO EAT  
AT THE COOK OUT  
ON APRIL 24.**



**CRAWFISH BOIL**  
SATURDAY APRIL 25, 2026

Looking for  
**Sports Camps**  
this summer?

Check out the flyer for the  
list of ones we have here.

Make plans to  
come see

# Shrek Jr

## The Musical

April 17 & 18 at 7:00pm  
Check out the flyer for details



### Missing Glasses?

It's starting to look like an optometrist office in here.  
Please stop in the school office, if you think any to  
these may be yours.



**SAVE THE DATE!**  
**HOLY ROSARY VBS 2026**



**JULY 13-17 2026**

# APRIL



| Monday   | Tuesday   | Wednesday  | Thursday  | Friday  |
|--|---|--|---|---|
|  |   | 1<br>Chicken Sandwich<br>Lays<br>Pudding<br>   | 2<br><b>No School - Easter Break</b><br>                          | 3   |
| 6<br><b>No School - Easter Break</b><br>                       | 7<br>Chicken Sandwich<br>Fries<br>Oranges<br>         | 8<br>Grilled Cheese<br>Veggie Soup<br>Fritos   | 9<br>Mini Corn Dogs<br>Mac N Cheese<br>Grapes                     | 10<br>Pizza<br>Salad<br>Apples<br>Cookie  |
| 13<br>Chicken Nuggets<br>Mashed Potatoes<br>Lima Beans<br>Roll | 14<br>Pancakes<br>Omelet<br>Sausage                   | 15<br>Chef Salad<br>Soft Pretzel<br>Jello<br>  | 16<br>Taco Stix<br>Corn<br>Chips & Salsa                          | 17<br><b>Shrek's Lunch.</b><br>Sloppy Shrek Sandwich<br>Fiona's Fries<br>Swamp Greens<br>Gingerbread Man Cookie |
| 20<br>Deli Wrap<br>Carrots w/ranch<br>Chips<br>Cookie          | 21<br>Beef Nachos<br>Corn<br>Churro<br>               | <b>Ben Hammond's Birthday Lunch!</b><br>Salisbury Steak<br>Mashed Potatoes/ Gravy<br>Oranges, Roll<br>Birthday Treat | 23<br>Lasagna Roll Up<br>Salad<br>Green Beans<br>Garlic Bread<br> | 24<br><b>Race Day!</b><br>Hamburger or<br>Hot Dog<br>   |
| 27<br>Grilled Ham & Cheese<br>Fritos<br>Applesauce<br>         | 28<br>Ravioli<br>Green Beans<br>Garlic Bread<br>Salad | 29<br>Chicken Sandwich<br>Tater Tots<br>Pasta Salad<br>  | 30<br>Italian Meatball Sub<br>Chips<br>Oranges                    |   |



# ALL SCHOOL FAMILY COOK-OUT

(Same as RACE Day)

When: Friday, April 24, 2026

Where: HRS Field

Lunch times for the students are:

|         |                   |         |                  |
|---------|-------------------|---------|------------------|
| 10:45am | 4K & Kindergarten | 11:15am | 1st & 2nd grades |
| 11:00am | 5th & 6th grades  | 11:45am | 3rd & 4th grades |
| 11:05am | 2k & 3K           | 12:15pm | 7th & 8th grades |



**Reservations are required for everyone.**

**Please turn in this form by **\*\* April 17, 2026 \*\*****  
**so we know how many burgers/hot dogs to order.**

Attn: Elaine Fogerty  
Or email your reservation to  
[elaine.fogerty@holynosarymemphis.org](mailto:elaine.fogerty@holynosarymemphis.org)

MENU: hamburger or hot dog, chips, water, & special treat!

Students & families will pay out of the Family Lunch Account.  
All lunches for students and parents are \$3.60.

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Homeroom \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Homeroom \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Homeroom \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate how many others will buy lunch on Friday, April 24.

Parents/Adults \_\_\_\_\_

Non-Holy Rosary Siblings \_\_\_\_\_

**Total # attending (including students)** \_\_\_\_\_





# RACE FOR EDUCATION

Sponsored by Holy Rosary School

March 16, 2026

Dear Holy Rosary School Parents,

On Friday, April 24, 2026, Holy Rosary School will be conducting a **Race for Education** to raise \$60,000 for all new cafeteria chairs, to cover the cost of our 1.1. iPad program, and other essential educational needs.

Students will walk and/or jog around a 1/4 mile area as many times as possible for a one hour time period. Each student will raise funds by asking sponsors to contribute a tax deductible donation to the school. Here are the details.

## YOUR SUPPORT

The success of **Race for Education** relies on the number of sponsors and the amounts they give. Think of relatives, friends, neighbors, business associates, coaches, and anyone else you know who would want to invest in your child's education. Then email them with a message such as this:

**"[Your child's name] will be walking/jogging during a special fundraising event at Holy Rosary School on Friday, April 24, 2026. Would you be willing to sponsor [him/her]? Please go to [www.race4ed.com/hrs](http://www.race4ed.com/hrs) to find out more. Type [your child's name] in the Search bar to make a donation. Thank you."**

You can also post the website link, [www.race4ed.com/hrs](http://www.race4ed.com/hrs), on your Facebook page, on your other social media sites, or even text it to relatives & friends. **We will reach our goal of \$60,000 if parents contact an average of 15 potential sponsors per child.**

## PAPER MAILERS

If you prefer, you can mail or hand out "self-mailers" to some of your family, friends, and neighbors for contributions (see attached mailer). There are blank spaces on the mailer for you or your child to handwrite something personal to the sponsor, i.e. "I hope you will sponsor me." You can contact the school for additional mailers to be sent home with your student. Please note that 4 pieces of scotch tape need to be affixed to the folded mailer (see sample below) if you send it out via the postal service.

SAMPLE OF TAPED MAILER



Donors can also send a check made out to Holy Rosary School and with your student's name on it to: Holy Rosary School, 4841 Park Avenue, Memphis, TN 38117.

## RACE DAY SCHEDULE

- 2K – 3K: 8:30 to 9:00 a.m.
- 4K – K: 9:00 to 10:00 a.m.
- 1st – 2nd grade: 10:00 to 11:00 a.m.
- 7th – 8th grade: 11:00 to 12:00 p.m.
- 5th – 6th grade: 12:00 to 1:00 p.m.
- 3rd – 4th grade: 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Over →

## PRIZES

- Students who receive at least one donation from a sponsor will get to Spin the Wheel for a Prize.
- Students who receive multiple donations from sponsors will get the following:
  - 5 donations: an Out of Uniform Day.
  - 10 donations or \$150.00 or more: the above plus Mini Golf and Snack
- Students who receive 15 donations or \$250.00 or more will get the following:
  - the above plus Carnival (Interactive Games, Food, and more)
- Each class with an average of three sponsor donations per student will be treated to a Pizza Lunch.
- For every five sponsor donations a student receives, the student's name will be entered into a drawing for a GRAND PRIZE of a \$100.00 "Target" Gift Card. A Grand Prize will be awarded on each level: 2K – 4K, K – 2nd, 3rd – 5th, and 6th – 8th.
- A first place medal will be awarded to the girl and boy in each class who complete the most laps during the ***Race for Education***.

## QUESTIONS

If you have questions about our ***Race for Education***, please feel free to contact Nora Boswell at [nora.boswell@holynosarymemphis.org](mailto:nora.boswell@holynosarymemphis.org). If we meet or exceed our goal of \$60,000, we can fully benefit our school's campus, technology, and educational needs. So, let's start the ***Race*** to get sponsors!

Sincerely,

Darren Mullis, Principal  
Nora Boswell, Race Coordinator

# SIDEWALK CHALK CONTEST

*The theme for this contest will be :*

## ***RAMS ARE OUT OF THIS WORLD***

Think about space, planets and stars. You can think outside the box for this theme. We can't wait to see what you design!

**Monday, April 13 - Rain Date: April 20**

Name 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Name 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Name 3: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Name 4: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent in charge of group:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Each individual or group must have a parent present*

**Entrance fee: \$20 per team. Checks payable to Holy**

**Rosary**

*Begin drawing right after school  
until 5pm*

**Some chalk provided**

**Judging:**

**Primary(K-2nd)**

**Elementary(3-5)**

**Middle(6-8)**

**Judging on April 14th before 9am. All parents  
are encouraged to judge!**



# SHREK

THE MUSICAL

*Holy Rosary Theatre*

JR




WILEY GYM  
4841 PARK AVE, MEMPHIS,  
TN 38117

**April 17th & 18th - 7pm**

**Tickets \$5**  
**Scan to buy:**





Final Meeting of the year  
Wednesday, April 15



HRPO  
Meeting



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Please join us as we honor our  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade Parents

We will also share updates  
and opportunities to be  
involved with HRPO

Dinner served at 5:30 PM

Meeting 6 -7 in the Family Room

Please RSVP to [hrpo@holyrosary.org](mailto:hrpo@holyrosary.org) and  
include the number of children for pizza  
and childcare.

# SPIRIT NIGHT

# HONEST TO GOODNESS FUNDRAISING

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WITH FOLKS WHO CARE

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Jason's Deli is proud to support  
**Holy Rosary Catholic School**

Please join us in raising funds on

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22ND | 4:00 PM TO 9:00 PM**

Order online using code **FUND20** or present this flyer when you dine-in and Jason's Deli will donate a percentage of your total food purchase back to your organization.



1213 RIDGEWAY RD. STE. 103

PLEASE PRESENT OR MENTION THIS FLYER WHEN PLACING YOUR ORDER TO RECEIVE CREDIT FOR THIS EVENT. 20% OF PRE-TAX SALES WILL BE DONATED BACK TO THE ORGANIZATION ABOVE. NO SOLICITING FLYERS ON PREMISE OF THE EVENT OR SALES WILL NOT BE ACCOUNTED FOR. WE LOOK FORWARD TO SERVING YOU AND APPRECIATE YOU USING JASON'S DELI TO SUPPORT YOUR FUNDRAISING NEEDS.



**SATURDAY, APRIL 25TH**

**FOLLOWING 4:30PM MASS**

**FOR ALL YOU CAN EAT CRAWFISH**

**ON THE ATHLETIC FIELD**

**EARLY BIRD**

**DISCOUNT**

**\$35 PER ADULT (IN ADVANCE) SCAN THE  
QR CODE TO PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS.**

**\$40 PER ADULT AT THE DOOR**

**KIDS 13 & UNDER \$5**

**KIDS: CRAWFISH, PIZZA, & SIDE ITEM**

**Be Sure to Bring Your Own Lawn Chair or Blanket!**



Questions contact:

[mensclub@holyrosarymemphis.org](mailto:mensclub@holyrosarymemphis.org)

**Supporting the Holy Rosary Men's Club**

**KNIGHTS OF  
COLUMBUS  
VS  
YOUTH MINISTRY  
BASKETBALL  
NIGHT**

**Sunday, April 19**

**4:00-6:00pm**

**PLC Gym**

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**Middle & High School  
families welcome**

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**Knights vs. Kids Game  
Potluck (bring a side or  
dessert to share)**





# HOLY ROSARY ATHLETICS

## SUMMER 2026

| DATE             | TIME         | SPORT       | GRADE     | GENDER | COST  | REGISTRAION DUE | STAFF                                    |
|------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|--------|-------|-----------------|--|
| June 8 - 11      | 8:30 - 11:30 | Lacrosse    | 1st - 8th | Girls  | \$150 | May 25th        | Mack Mckinney & St Agnes Varsity Team    |
| June 15 - 19     | 9:00 - 12:00 | Soccer      | 3K - 2nd  | Co-ed  | \$160 | June 8th        | Soccer Shots                             |
| June 22 - 25     | 8:30 - 11:30 | Basketball  | 3rd - 8th | Co-ed  | \$150 | June 8th        | Gabe Jaurgui & HR Staff                  |
| June 29 - July 2 | 8:30 - 11:30 | Soccer      | 1st - 8th | Co-ed  | \$150 | June 15th       | Chris Wright & St Benedict Varsity Team  |
| July 20 - 23     | 8:30 - 11:30 | *Volleyball | 6th - 8th | Girls  | \$225 | July 6th        | Memphis Juniors Volleyball Assocication* |
| July 20 - 23     | 1:00 - 2:30  | *Volleyball | 3rd - 5th | Girls  | \$100 | July 6th        | Memphis Juniors Volleyball Assocication* |

\* = Registration link coming soon

Holy Rosary Catholic School

# Coffee & Conversations

## with Mr. Mullis

All parents are invited to join our Principal, Mr. Darren Mullis, for *coffee and conversations!* These small-group gatherings are a great opportunity to share your thoughts, ask questions, and get to know our administration in a relaxed setting.

Meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month in the family room from 8:15 AM - 9 AM. Sign up for the date that works best for you!

SCAN HERE TO SIGN UP



St. Agnes Academy  
Presents

# PROJECT GRADUATION TRIVIA

**\$10 per person • Tables of 8 players**  
**BYO Food and Drink**

**Friday, April 10th**  
**Doors open @ 6pm & Trivia**  
**begins @ 7pm**  
**Adults Only Event!**



Project Graduation is an all-night lock-in held on campus for our seniors the night of graduation- a very special last night spent together as a class.

Proceeds will go toward food, inflatables, and some fun surprises to keep the girls safe and entertained all night long!

# HRPO Spirit Wear

Orders will be sent to production on the 1st and 15th of each month. Once the order is submitted, please allow approximately 2 weeks for production before items are ready for pickup or delivery.



Rams Headband  
\$25.00



HRS Headband  
\$25.00



Mint Bow Headband  
\$12.00



Knotted Headband  
\$15.00



Light Blue HRS Bow  
\$15.00



Navy HRS Bow  
\$15.00



Blue Rams Bow  
\$15.00



Plaid HRS Bow  
\$15.00



Plaid Scrunchie  
\$10.00



Scan the QR code or Visit the HRPO Website to Order:

<https://holyrosaryparentsorganization.membershiptoolkit.com/store/11452>

## HRPO SWEATSHIRTS



Navy  
Uniform Approved for All Grades



Light Blue  
Uniform Approved for 2K-5th Grades

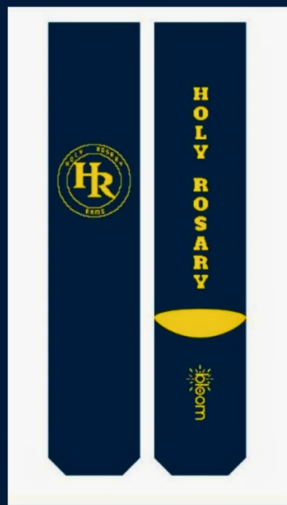
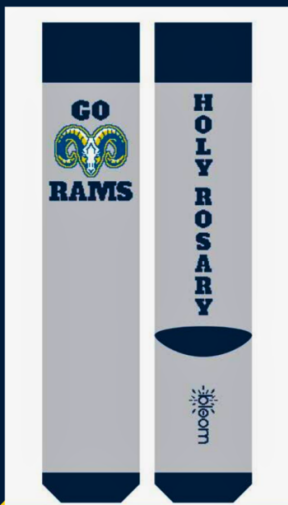


SCAN QR CODE TO SHOP NOW!

- Please visit the HRPO website for pricing details and size availability per style!
- Orders are sent to production on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> of each month. Allow 2-3 weeks for production and delivery to HRS.
- Email [hrpo@holyrosarymemphis.org](mailto:hrpo@holyrosarymemphis.org) with any questions.



## HRS SPIRIT SOCKS \$13 Each



SCAN QR CODE TO ORDER NOW!



Visit the HRPO website spirit shop to see these items and more.

You can scan the QR code or visit this website to shop now!

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# Customized Bunnies



**\$10 each with name on ear**  
**Bunnies are 8 inches**  
**Colors available: Blue, Brown, Biege,**  
**Gray and Purple**  
**Preferred Payments: Cashapp or**  
**Venmo**

**Deadline to Order**  
**March 31st to**  
**recieve prior to**  
**Easter Break**

**To Order Contact:**  
**Megan Parker at 901-626-9552**  
**or Double Trouble Designs via**  
**email at**  
**doubletroubledesigns901@gmail**  
**.com**

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