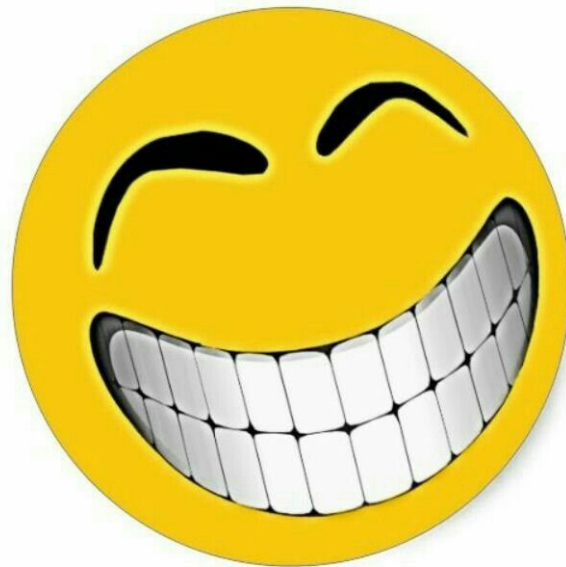


**THEY BROUGHT THEIR BEST SMILES TODAY!  
IF YOUR CHILD/CHILDREN WERE NOT HERE FOR  
PICTURES TODAY OR YOU GET YOUR CHILD'S  
PHOTO THAT IS NOT MANTLE READY 😊,  
RETAKES WILL BE OCTOBER 27<sup>TH</sup>!**



**THANK YOU!**



# Thank you

Thank you to each of our sponsors for all the support and contributions that helped to make the 2023 SSCM Summerfest a huge success! The success of this carnival directly impacts our school's ability to provide quality education and support to our students!

Your generosity in sharing your time and talents contributes to the growth and well-being of our school!

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And to all of our Volunteers- we extend our heartfelt gratitude for your unwavering dedication and selfless service at our event! Your commitment to our mission and the success of the event has made a significant impact!

We are truly blessed to have all of you as part of our community!





# Thank You

SPECIAL HUGE THANK YOU  
TO SUSAN BRADAC, ANNETTE ZUBEK & THE CARNIVAL COMMITTEE  
WHO PUT IN MANY LONG DAYS AND HOURS OF THEIR OWN TIME  
TRYING TO PULL THE CARNIVAL TOGETHER~  
WITHOUT A DOUBT, IT WAS A GREAT SUCCESS AND THE MOST FUN!

SPECIAL THANK YOU  
TO ALL THE CARNIVAL VOLUNTEERS WHO WORKED ALL WEEKEND  
TO MAKE SURE EVERYONE HAD WHAT THEY NEEDED;  
WHETHER YOU WORKED IN THE TICKET BOOTH, SOLD RAFFLE TICKETS,  
WORKED AT THE CAFE OR THE BEER TENT, WE TRULY  
APPRECIATE ALL OF YOUR TIME !

SPECIAL THANK YOU  
TO ALL THE DADS THAT WORKED OVER THE GRILL IN THE SSCM CAFE!  
IT WAS DEFINITELY THE TOUGHEST JOB, ESPECIALLY ON A  
SCORCHING HOT SUMMER NIGHT!

WE ARE BEYOND GRATEFUL FOR ALL OF YOU~  
WITHOUT EACH OF YOU, THIS WAS NOT POSSIBLE!

**YOU ARE ALL AMAZING!!**







# *Thank You ~*

**TO ALL THE FAMILIES THAT CAME OUT TO  
JOIN US AT THE  
KEEATAW PARADE ON SUNDAY!  
IT WAS A GREAT TIME IN SPITE OF THE HEAT!  
FUN THINGS LIKE THIS ARE ONLY  
POSSIBLE WITH ALL OF YOU!  
WE TRULY APPRECIATE AND THANK  
EACH OF YOU FOR ALL OF YOUR SUPPORT!**



# HELPING HANDS FOOD DRIVE!

## A way to help!

PLEASE HELP US STOCK THE SHELVES OF OUR HELPING HANDS FOOD PANTRY!  
BELOW IS A LIST OF WHAT EACH GRADE CAN CONTRIBUTE!

STUDENTS WHO ARE "PARTICIPATING" CAN DRESS DOWN ON  
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH. THIS IS THE DAY DONATIONS DUE!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP AND GENEROSITY!

- PRESCHOOL ~ PANCAKE MIX OR SYRUP
- KINDERGARTEN ~ CAKE MIX, BROWNIE MIX, OR FROSTING
- FIRST GRADE ~ TOILET PAPER OR PAPER TOWELS
- SECOND GRADE ~ CANNED BEEF STEW OR MANWICH
- THIRD GRADE ~ CANNED CHICKEN OR CANNED VIENNA SAUSAGES
- FOURTH GRADE ~ HAMBURGER HELPER OR BOXED POTATOES
- FIFTH GRADE ~ CANNED FRUIT OR APPLESAUCE
- SIXTH GRADE ~ RICE OR NOODLE SIDE DISHES
- SEVENTH GRADE ~ PEANUT BUTTER OR JELLY
- EIGHTH GRADE ~ KETCHUP, MUSTARD, OR SALAD DRESSING

**PLEASE DO NOT DONATE ITEMS THAT ARE OUT OF DATE OR EXPIRED; WE CANNOT USE THESE ITEMS FOR THOSE WHO RECEIVE DONATIONS FROM HELPING HANDS ~ THANK YOU!**



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## **Families of SS. Cyril & Methodius School!**

**We are very happy to resume rehearsals with our School Choir!  
As students at our Catholic School, you have a wonderful opportunity  
to participate in the school mass every week!**

**I would like to invite all of you to help me  
in making all our school masses to musically sound beautiful!**

**Please consider joining us this year!  
I am looking for students in Grade 2-8!**

**We will meet once a week for 30 mins. to practice, directly after school!**

**Practice for all grades will be on Thursdays!  
Students will be ready at 2:45 to pick up!**

**I look forward to meeting with all of you  
and I am hoping there will be many of you!!!**

Mira Sojka-Topor, [musicmin@stecyril.org](mailto:musicmin@stecyril.org)

773.370.1538

Director of Music, SS. Cyril & Methodius Parish

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NAME \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_



Ordering lunches has never been easier



**FSP has a new foodservice partner in providing school meals to your students.** Our combined mission is to provide nutrition and create meals kids will enjoy. Our new Foodservice vendor only uses the freshest, high-quality ingredients. We invite your child/ren to try our new Lunch Program. Thank you for your ongoing support as we navigate the school year!

SS. Cyril and Methodius/FSP once again join Boonli to provide a secure, fast, and easy-to-use online ordering platform that allows you to view our menus, order, and manage orders from your smartphone, tablet or computer.

#### NEW PARENTS

- ☒ Go to: <https://fspro.boonli.com> (please bookmark this page)
- ☒ Click Create an Account
- ☒ Registration Password is: **SSCM187**
- ☒ Enter information and click Submit
- ☒ Enter information for your students, click Add Profile. Repeat for any additional students.
- ☒ Click I'm Done and Sign In

#### RETURNING PARENTS

- ☒ Go to: <https://fspro.boonli.com> (please bookmark this page)
- ☒ Sign In: *no need to create a new account*
- ☒ If you have forgotten usernames/passwords please click under "sign in" on the welcome page.
- ☒ Update Profile(s): click on profile name, update information & click **Update Profile**
- ☒ Delete Profile: if a profile is no longer needed, select profile & click **Remove Profile**

**You are now ready to begin ordering!**

#### PROGRAM INFORMATION

- **Ordering for OCTOBER to MAY will be open the month prior from the 1<sup>st</sup> to the 15<sup>th</sup>.**
- Be sure to proceed to checkout and click "Confirm" to complete your order. Orders that are left in the cart will NOT be processed and your student(s) will not have a hot lunch available to them for the month.

**FOOD & POLICY QUESTIONS** (Food questions/concerns including menu offerings, Missed/Late Orders, Changes/Cancellations): please email [Gardner.kim@stcyril.org](mailto:Gardner.kim@stcyril.org) and we'll get back to you as soon as possible.

**TECHNICAL SUPPORT** (help navigating the site): email [support@boonli.com](mailto:support@boonli.com)

Thank you for participating in our program!

# OCTOBER 2023 LUNCH

## -HOT MENU OPTIONS

### HALLOWEEN HUMOR

#### Question:

Why do cemetery's have fences?

How do you make a skeleton laugh?



#### Answer

Everyone is dying to get in

Tickle his funny bone

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>02</b> <b>Mini Corn Dogs</b> Ketchup/Crackers or <b>Grilled Chicken Chunks</b> Ranch/BBQ Sauce/Cornbread  Peas & Carrots Baked Beans+ Fresh Apple Mandarin Oranges	<b>03</b> <b>Spaghetti &amp; Meatballs</b> or <b>Chicken Parmesan</b>  Broccoli & Cauliflower Fresh Pear Pineapple Tidbits Breadstick	<b>04</b> <b>Cheeseburger</b> Ketchup & Mustard or <b>Grilled Chicken Patty</b>  Green Beans Tater Tots Fresh Melon Applesauce Sunchips	<b>05</b> <b>Chicken Nuggets</b> BBQ Sauce or <b>Sweet n Sour Meatballs</b> Brown Rice Fresh Orange Tropical Fruit <b>PIZZA DAY</b>	<b>06</b> <b>Sausage Pizza</b> or <b>Taco Bites</b>  Romaine Salad/Ranch Baby Carrots Canned Fruit Flavored Applesauce Sunflower Seeds Condiments
<b>09</b> <b>Meatball Sub</b> Marinara Sauce or <b>Hot Dog</b> Ketchup/Mustard Green Beans Fresh Apple Tropical Fruit Cup Cheese Crackers <b>NO SCHOOL</b>	<b>10</b> <b>Chicken Strips</b> BBQ Sauce or <b>Sloppy Joe</b> Hamburger Bun  Diced Carrots Baked Beans+ Fresh Pear Mandarin Oranges	<b>11</b> <b>Chicken Tortellini Alfredo</b> Breadstick or <b>Beef Chili</b> Oyster Crackers/Cornbread Broccoli & Cauliflower Fresh Orange Flavored Applesauce <b>HOT DOG DAY</b>	<b>12</b> <b>French Toast Sticks</b> Blueberries/Syrup or <b>Chicken Drumstick</b> Corn/Applesauce/Pretzel  Turkey Sausage Tater Tots Diced Pears	<b>13</b> <b>Cheese Pizza</b> or <b>Cheese Calzone</b> Marinara Sauce  Baby Carrots Cole Slaw Pineapple Tidbits Flavored Applesauce
<b>16</b> <b>Sweet n Sour Chicken</b> or <b>Beef Teriyaki</b>  Broccoli & Cauliflower Fresh Apple Mandarin Oranges Brown Rice	<b>17</b> <b>Cheese Lasagna</b> Spaghetti Sauce/Bread & Margarine or <b>Chicken Nuggets</b> Cheese Its  Green Peas Pear Pineapple Tidbits	<b>18</b> <b>Swedish Meatballs</b> Beef Gravy / Egg Noodles/ Breadstick or <b>Mini Corn Dogs</b> Ranch/Cornbread Green Beans Diced Peaches Flavored Applesauce <b>MAMA'S DAY</b>	<b>19</b> <b>BBQ Rib Patty Sandwich</b> BBQ Sauce or <b>Taco Bites</b> Taco Sauce  Corn Pinto Beans Orange Cantaloupe	<b>20</b> <b>Bosco Sticks</b> Marinara Sauce or <b>Stuffed Crust Pizza</b> Juice  Baby Carrots Grapes Tropical Fruit Cup Educational Crackers
<b>23</b> <b>Nachos</b> or <b>Grilled Chicken Chunks</b> BBQ Sauce  Diced Carrots Black Beans Orange Flavored Applesauce Tortilla Chips	<b>24</b> <b>Cheese Ravioli</b> Breadstick or <b>Meatball Sub</b> Marinara Sauce  Broccoli Sweet Potato Tots Apple Tropical Fruit Cup	<b>25</b> <b>Meatloaf</b> Ketchup or <b>Grilled Chicken Breast</b> Chicken Gravy Green Beans Mashed Potatoes Pear Diced Peaches Bread/Margarine <b>CHICK-F-A DAY</b>	<b>26</b> <b>Chicken &amp; Waffles</b> Syrup or <b>Chicken Strips</b> BBQ Sauce/Cheez It  Corn Tater Tots Blueberries Pineapple Tidbits	<b>27</b> <b>Cheese Pizza Wedge</b> or <b>Sausage Pizza</b>  Romaine Salad/Italian Grape Tomatoes Baby Carrots Orange Flavored Applesauce Sunflower Seeds
<b>30</b> <b>Taco Mac &amp; Cheese</b> or <b>Chicken Rings</b>  Peas & Carrots Pear Flavored Applesauce Tortilla Chips	<b>31</b> <b>Chicken Drumstick</b> Cornbread or <b>Nachos</b> Cheddar Cheese/Tortilla Chips Green Beans Black Beans Orange Tropical Fruit Cup <b>PIZZA DAY</b>	<p><b>MILK</b> contains no artificial growth hormones or antibiotics</p> <p>We use whole grain breads and 100% fruit juice</p> <p>Nutrition and allergen information available at <a href="http://www.FSPPro.com">www.FSPPro.com</a></p> <p>Milk is available with all meals Menu items do not contain pork + Does not contain meat</p>		



# OCTOBER 2023 LUNCH

**-COLD MENU  
OPTIONS-**

## HALLOWEEN HUMOR

### QUESTION

Why did the Witch take a nap?

What do you call 2 Witches trick or treating together?



### ANSWER

She needed to rest a spell

Broommates

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>02</b> <b>Meat Lovers Sandwich</b>  Potato Salad Baby Carrots Pineapple Tidbits Condiments	<b>03</b> <b>Power Pack</b>  Beef Stick Mozzarella Cheese Stick Sunflower Seeds Vegetable Sticks Flavored Applesauce Crispy Cheese Crackers	<b>04</b> <b>Poor Boy Sandwich</b>  Cucumber Slices Baby Carrots Tropical Fruit Cup Crackers Condiments	<b>05</b> <b>Yogurt Parfait</b>  Sunflower Seeds Granola Grape Tomatoes Baby Carrots Diced Peaches Honey Graham	<b>06</b> <b>Egg Chefs Salad</b>  Grape Tomatoes Baby Carrots Fresh Pear Breadcrumbs Ranch Dressing
<b>09</b> <b>Salami &amp; Cheese</b>  Fresh Broccoli Baby Carrots Fresh Pear Apple Juice Crackers Condiments	<b>10</b> <b>Grab N Go</b>  Turkey Bites Sunflower Seeds Baby Carrots Sun Splash Juice Flavored Applesauce Cheese Crackers	<b>11</b> <b>Turkey &amp; Cheddar</b>  Potato Salad Baby Carrots Tropical Fruit Cup Crackers Condiments	<b>12</b> <b>Sunbutter Sandwich</b>  Mozzarella Cheese Stick Grape Tomatoes Celery Sticks Fresh Pear Condiments	<b>13</b> <b>Grilled Chicken Pita</b>  Cheddar Cheese Green Peppers Pinto Beans Mandarin Oranges Picante Sauce
<b>16</b> <b>Ham &amp; Swiss Hoagie</b>  Fresh Broccoli Fresh Pear Pineapple Tidbits Hoagie Roll Condiments	<b>17</b> <b>Hummus &amp; Crackers</b>  Mozzarella Cheese Stick Green Peppers Baby Carrots Diced Peaches Apple Juice Crackers	<b>18</b> <b>Bologna &amp; Cheese</b>  Cucumber Slices Fresh Orange Educational Crackers Condiments	<b>19</b> <b>Fiesta Chicken Salad</b>  Black Beans Corn Tropical Fruit Cup Breadsticks Condiments	<b>20</b> <b>Yogurt Parfait</b>  Sunflower Seeds Granola Grape Tomatoes Baby Carrots Flavored Applesauce Pretzels
<b>23</b> <b>Honey Mustard Chicken Sandwich</b>  Green Peppers Potato Salad Fresh Orange Hoagie Roll	<b>24</b> <b>Chips &amp; Salsa</b>  Con Queso Dip Salsa Cup Black Beans & Corn Flavored Applesauce Tortilla Chips	<b>25</b> <b>Cold Cut Combo</b>  Fresh Broccoli Fresh Orange Condiments	<b>26</b> <b>Chicken Tortellini Salad</b>  Green Peppers Baby Carrots Mandarin Oranges Cheese Crackers	<b>27</b> <b>Turkey Croissant</b>  Cucumber Slices Baby Carrots Fresh Orange Kiwi Strawberry Juice Condiments
<b>30</b> <b>Meat Lovers Sandwich</b>  Potato Salad Baby Carrots Pineapple Tidbits Condiments	<b>31</b> <b>Power Pack</b>  Beef Stick Mozzarella Cheese Stick Sunflower Seeds Vegetable Sticks Flavored Applesauce Crispy Cheese Crackers	<div> <p><b>MILK</b> contains no artificial growth hormones or antibiotics</p> <p>We use whole grain breads and 100% fruit juice</p> <p>Nutrition and allergen information available at <a href="http://www.FSPro.com">www.FSPro.com</a></p> <p><b>Milk is available with all meals</b>  <b>Menu items do not contain pork</b>  <b>All Deli Meats are Turkey Based</b></p> </div>		



**K-8 LEX**



# SSCM

THE OFFICIAL ONLINE STORE

# BACK-TO-SCHOOL SALE



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SSCM Schoolwide Service Project

# Feed My Starving Children

**Join SSCM  
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experience!**



Kids & adults hand-pack nutritious MannaPack® meals for hungry children around the world.

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THERE**



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Aurora, IL 60504**

**September 16, 2023  
4:30- 6:30PM**



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or click HERE  
to register by Sept. 9**

For more information, contact [psa@stcyril.com](mailto:psa@stcyril.com)

**\*Everyone under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult**



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## **SSCM SPORTS PARENTS**

If you have not done so already, PLEASE send in your Sport Registration Form with payment! If your child/children intend to play basketball this winter, all Sport Registrations must be completed and turned in no later than Friday, September 1<sup>st</sup>!

All Basketball information (teams and rosters) must be given to the Conference by Monday, September 11<sup>th</sup>. This means any Sport Registration Forms turned in AFTER the September 1<sup>st</sup> deadline WILL NOT be accepted.

Prior to the start of the school year, several Sport Registration Forms were turned in without payment. If you turned in a Sport Registration Form without payment, please send in payment as soon as possible.

Thank you~

Any questions regarding Sport Registration Forms, contact:

Bob Villasenor A.D.

[Robert.villasenor2@aol.com](mailto:Robert.villasenor2@aol.com)

Cell # 708-212-0088



SS. Cyril and Methodius Athletic Commission  
607 Sobieski St.  
Lemont, IL 60439

Dear Parents,

The Athletic Commission is planning a full athletic program for the 2023-2024 school year. SSCM is a member of the Tri-County Catholic Conference (TCC). The conference is developing guidelines following state, regional, local, and archdiocesan guidelines.

**Registration is now open for boys and girls in Grades K-4 for soccer and 4 through 8 for all other sports (Soccer, Basketball, Volleyball and Cheerleading).** Following is the Sports Registration form for the 2023-2024 sports season. Please complete the form if your child(ren) wishes to participate in the athletic program. Please make check payable to the SS. Cyril and Methodius Athletic Commission and mark the envelope Sports Registration c/o Bob Villasenor.

The Athletic Commission realizes that during these challenging times, it may be difficult to include the registration fee. If it is not convenient to include payment with the registration form, please send in the registration form without payment by the deadline date. Enclose a note or contact Bob Villasenor (708-212-0088) to discuss payment options.

**REGISTRATION WAS DUE**  
**Friday, June 9, 2023**

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,  
**Bob Villasenor, Athletic Director**  
**708-212-0088**

**SS. Cyril and Methodius Athletic Commission Members**

Treasurer - **Vacant**

Secretary – **Beverly Marzec** Member

at Large – **Michael Moran** Member at

Large – **Alan Papiernik** Member at

Large – **John Tracy** Member at Large

-**Michael Lichner** Member at Large –

**Stan Brzezniak**

Volleyball Coaches Coordinator – **Amy Grubisic**

Basketball Coaches Coordinator – **Rick DiBartelo** Girls

Basketball Representative – **Vacant**

Boys Basketball Representative – **Vacant**

School Administration Representative – **John Brady**



## 2023/2024 Sports Registration Form

Family Name \_\_\_\_\_ Number \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

<u>Child's Name</u>	<u>2023/2024 Grade</u>	<u>Sport</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**Participation Fees** (includes a family pass to all home athletic functions)

**REGISTRATION WAS DUE Friday, June 9, 2023**

Amount Paid	Participation Fees
	<b>\$150.00</b> - Grades K-8 Sports Participation Fee <b>first child-first sport</b>
	<b>\$75.00</b> - Grades K-8 Sports Participation Fee <b>first child-each additional sport</b>
	<b>\$100.00</b> - Grades K-8 Sports Participation Fee <b>second child-each sport</b>
	<b>No charge</b> - Third or fourth child from same family
\$100.00	<b>\$100.00</b> - Parent Participation Fee (per family fee refunded at end of season if commitment to work as scheduled was fulfilled). <b><u>This is a per family fee.</u> Failure to fulfill the commitment to work as scheduled will increase the Parent Participation Fee to \$200 for the following season.</b>
	<b>Total Paid</b>

I authorize my child(ren) to participate in the S.S. Cyril and Methodius Athletic Program. I understand that this program is instructional for Grades K-4, 5, and 6 athletes and a minimum play time rule is in effect. I understand that for Grades 7 and 8 athletes, the program is competitive and there is no minimum playing time rule. I understand that my child(ren) will be required to regularly attend scheduled practices and games. I understand and accept the policy that absences and behavior issues could result in decreased playing time for my child. I agree to volunteer with admissions/concessions and other duties that may be required of parents of the athletes.

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

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

For Athletic Commission Use Only:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Received  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Check Number  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Registration Form  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Contract  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Initials

Revised: 5/2/2023.



2023-2024

# SSCM PSO

Back-to-School Social	8/10
Keepataw Parade	9/03
PSO Meeting	9/12
Feed My Starving Children	9/16
PSO Meeting	10/10
Indoor Trunk-or-Treating	10/31
PSO Meeting	11/14
Thanksgiving Feast	11/17
Holiday Family Bingo	11/30
Santa's Secret Workshop	12/07
PSO Meeting	1/16
Catholic Schools Week	1/26 - 2/02
Fundraiser	1/26
Family & Alumni Mass	1/28
SSCM/Parish Staff Luncheon	1/31
Family Fun Night	2/01
Daddy-Daughter Dance	2/02
PSO Meeting	2/13
PSO Meeting	3/12
School Play	3/14 & 3/15
PSO Meeting	4/09
Mother-Son Bowling	4/19
SSCM Staff Appreciation Week	5/06 - 5/10
Waller Walk-a-Thon	5/10
PSO Meeting	5/21
End-of-Year Picnic	6/03

Volunteers are ALWAYS needed & appreciated for events!

If you are interested, please email [psso@stcyril.org](mailto:psso@stcyril.org)





## **PARENT SCHOOL ORGANIZATION (PSO)**

Hello! I, along with the rest of the Parent School Organization (PSO), would like to tell you about PSO.

The Parent School Organization is composed of parent volunteers who ensure school wide events and programs are both possible and a success. The sitting positions are President, 1st and 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary. Together, with enthusiastic volunteers from our school family, we plan and organize programs, sponsor events and activities which are outside of the school's operational budget and enhance the school's curriculum. These fun, organized activities held throughout the school year are for the children as well as parents and families.

With your contribution, PSO is able to distribute funds to each classroom that support annual SSCM traditions and host school wide event. Students and staff look forward to many of the activities each year, and **our activities benefit ALL children in our school.**

To continue offering/supporting the programs and activities listed below, we graciously ask each family to contribute \$30 towards PSO. Our goal is to have a 100% contribution from our school families!

Please know we are so appreciative of your support!

It is because of your support that these extraordinary programs are possible:

*1st Grade Best Buddies Program / Field Trip Buses / 2nd Grade Communion Breakfast  
5th Grade DARE Graduation / Staff Appreciation Week Luncheon / Mardi Gras Celebration  
Holiday Bingo / Student & Staff Birthday Treats / 6th Grade Tea & Etiquette Lunch / School Play  
School Assembly / Family Fun Nights / Class Picnics / Back-to-School Bash / 8th Grade  
Confirmation Reception & Awards Banquet / Welcome Wagon / Support School Board Events*

The PSO hosts annual events to help raise funds to be able to provide means for securing school and classroom equipment, educational materials, and resources necessary for the proper support of the school's educational facilities.

*Annual Fundraiser Gala / Walk-a-Thon / Daddy-Daughter Dance / Mother-Son Night  
Santa's Secret Workshop / Pack-the-Place Events*



Historically, meetings are held the 1st Tuesday of each month, virtual or in-person. Agendas include event and committee updates, progress of programs and fundraisers, Principal's report, important voting, as well as an open forum for questions. If you are not able to attend meetings, communications and meeting minutes will be emailed to keep you well-informed of what is going on at school.

You do not need to attend meetings to be part of PSO! Your contribution helps every child attending our school!!

**Just by submitting your information and \$30 donation, you will receive:**

- **Five dress down passes for 2023-2024**
- **Meeting information sent via email**
- **Invitations to attend monthly meetings, whether virtually or in-person**

Payment can be made by via . . .

1. Cash
2. Check (payable to SSCM PSO with child's name & *PSO Contribution* in memo)
3. Zelle (payable to [sscmcomets@stcyril.org](mailto:sscmcomets@stcyril.org) with child's name & *PSO Contribution* in memo)

We look forward to a fun school year making new memories and meeting new families!

Respectfully,

*Jennifer Sidlow*

2023/2024 PSO President



**SS. Cyril & Methodius School**  
**2023-2024 PARENT SCHOOL ORGANIZATION CONTRIBUTION**

Please circle one to indicate method of your \$30 payment:      **Cash**              **Check**              **Zelle**

**\*Zelle (payable to sscmcomets@stcyril.org with child's name & *PSO Contribution* in memo)**

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

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

1st Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

3rd Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

4th Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

5th Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

6th Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

*Contribution Verification (for PSO officers)*

*Paid:* \_\_\_\_\_ *Date:* \_\_\_\_\_ *Rcv'd by:* \_\_\_\_\_

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## **ROOM PARENT COORDINATOR**

The Parent School Organization relies strongly on our volunteers to achieve our goals.

If you are interested in volunteering as Room Parent Coordinator (RPC), please complete the form below and submit it to the school office. Candidates for Room Parent Coordinators include VIRTUS-approved mothers, fathers, grandparents, caretakers, or legal guardians. There will be opportunities to volunteer for events at the beginning of and throughout the school year.

In order to be a volunteer, **YOU MUST BE VIRTUS APPROVED**. (Please contact the school office for more information on VIRTUS training.)

As RPC, you will be the main liaison for your respective class(es). The PSO's 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President will be in contact to hand out the class binders and to discuss protocols. Then the RPC will contact their grade level teachers and schedule to meet with them to determine the activities that will be happening in the classroom. The RPC will then relay that information to the rest of the parents in the class. The RPC is responsible for securing classroom volunteers for events throughout the year.

Please keep in mind many events throughout the year are reliant on our help as parents. Know we are so appreciative of your time, effort and dedication!

### **Yes, I'm interested in being a RPC!**

Interested Candidate's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Circle One:    Mother              Father              Other (Please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Circle grade of interest:    PK3    PK4    K    1    2    3    4    5    6    7    8

In the event there is interest by more than one parent for the grade you selected, are you willing to be RPC for another grade?    Yes    No    If yes, indicate the other grade(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Please contact the PSO at [psso@stcyril.org](mailto:psso@stcyril.org) with any questions.