

Friday - April 19, 2024



MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS

ASSUMPTION MIDDLE SCHOOL

Our Mission: To inspire excellence and personal growth grounded in Catholic prin-

It's the FINAL COUNTDOWN!



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| April 19 | Hex 5 Report Cards sent home |
| April 22-27 | ITBS Testing Week for all MS students |
| April 21 | BINGO |
| April 27 | Run the Rapids Event |
| May 3 | Day of Service |
| May 7 | HS/MS Spring Choral Concert 6:30pm |
| May 14 | ACS Spring Band Concert 6:30pm |
| May 15 | 6th & 7th grade field trip to MOHEE 7am-3:30pm |
| May 19 | ACS Trivia Night 5pm at Assumption |
| May 20 | 7th grade field trip to Cave of the Mounds 7am-3:30pm |
| May 21 | 6th grade field trip to WI Farm Discovery 7am-3:30pm |
| May 23 | 8th grade field trip to Maritime Museum 7am-3:30pm |
| May 24 | High School Class of 2024 Graduation 7pm |
| May 27 | NO SCHOOL—Memorial Day |
| May 29 | 8th Grade Promotion Mass & Awards Ceremony 9:00am |
| May 30 | 8th Grade Class Trip to the Kalahari 9am-5pm |
| May 31 | LAST DAY OF SCHOOL |
| | 6th & 7th grade field trip to Newman's Mini Golf |



We have lots of upcoming field trips.

Please note the times of departure and arrival as special transportation arrangements will need to be made on these days.

If you have any questions regarding any of the upcoming trips, please let me know. Thank you

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15

For: 6th & 7th grade students

To: Midwest Outdoor Heritage Education Expo

Students should arrive to school by no later than 6:45am. Bus will depart by 7am. Return time is approximately 3:30pm.

Dress code: Assumption top with dress code bottoms and close toed shoes. Bug spray is recommended as students will be outside.

Students may sign up for a sack lunch from the school or bring their own. Sign up attached.

MONDAY, MAY 20

For: 7th grade students

To: Cave of the Mounds

Students should arrive to school by no later than 6:45am. Bus will depart by 7am. Return time is approximately 3:30pm.

Dress code: Assumption top with dress code bottoms and close toed shoes.

Students may sign up for a sack lunch from the school or bring their own. Sign up attached.

TUESDAY, MAY 21

For: 6th grade students

To: WI Farm Discovery Center

Students should arrive to school by no later than 6:45am. Bus will depart by 7am. Return time is approximately 3:30pm.

Dress code: Assumption top with dress code bottoms and close toed shoes.

Students may sign up for a sack lunch from the school or bring their own. Sign up attached.

THURSDAY, MAY 23

For: 8th grade students

To: Maritime Museum

Students should arrive to school by no later than 6:45am. Bus will depart by 7am. Return time is approximately 3:30pm.

Dress code: Assumption top with dress code bottoms and close toed shoes.

Students may sign up for a sack lunch from the school or bring their own. Sign up attached.



Field trip Sack Lunch Sign Up

On the days of off campus field trips, families have the option to choose to send a sack lunch from home or have the school provide a sack lunch.

The schools sack lunch will consist of:

Your choice of an Uncrustable or Beef & Cheese Stick, Fruit, Vegetable, Cheez Its, Rice Krispie Treat & Juice .

Please sign up below and return to the MS Office by no later than May 6th, 2024.

Name: _____ Grade: _____

Wednesday, May 15 (6th & 7th grade only)

Sack lunch from home

School Lunch (pick one) Uncrustable Beef & Cheese Stick

Monday, May 20 (7th grade only)

Sack lunch from home

School Lunch (pick one) Uncrustable Beef & Cheese Stick

Tuesday, May 21 (6th grade only)

Sack lunch from home

School Lunch (pick one) Uncrustable Beef & Cheese Stick

Thursday, May 23 (8th grade only)

Sack lunch from home

School Lunch (pick one) Uncrustable Beef & Cheese Stick



Attention 8th grade Parents

You are coming to the end of your child's middle school years .

To mark this milestone, there will be a Promotion Mass and Awards Ceremony with a celebratory light brunch to follow.

Parents, siblings, relatives and friends of your 8th grade child are invited to attend.

Please help us plan seating and the brunch menu by returning this RSVP. Thank you

8TH GRADE PROMOTION CEREMONY

WHEN: WEDNESDAY, MAY 29TH, 2024

TIME: 9:00AM

LOCATION: ASSUMPTION GYMNASIUM

Please RSVP by no later than: May 15th, 2024

Student Name: _____

Parent(s) Name: _____

_____ # attending Mass & Awards Ceremony

_____ # attending Brunch

*(*You do not need to include your 8th grade child in the #attending)*



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CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

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MAY 2024



ACHS/ ACMS Lunch Menu

| Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri |
|---|---|--|---|--|
| | | 1 Beef Tacos Black Beans Tropical Fruit Salad | 2 General Tso's or Plain Chicken Brown Rice & Cookie Stir Fried Vegetables Pineapple Tidbits | 3 Cheese Pizza Relish Tray Sliced Pears |
| 6 Hotdog Baked Beans Sweet Potato Fries Mixed Fruit in Jell-O | 7 Spaghetti Meat sauce Breadstick Green Peas Sliced Peaches | 8 Chicken Fajita Onions & Peppers Refried Beans Baked Apple Slices | 9 Chicken Teriyaki Brown Rice Roasted Brussel Sprouts Pineapple Tidbits Fortune Cookie | 10 Fish Nuggets Buttered Noodles Sliced Carrots Mandarin Oranges Brownie |
| 13 Chicken Parmesan Sandwich Roasted Broccoli Sliced Pears | 14 Chicken & Waffle Hash brown Strawberries | 15 Beef Nachos Black Beans Pineapple Tidbits | 16 Tandoori Chicken Flat Bread Hummus Mandarin Oranges Coffee Cake | 17 Mozzarella Dippers Relish Tray Sliced Peaches |
| 20 Cheeseburger French Fries Lettuce Tomatoes Sliced Pears | 21 Pesto Chicken Rotini Pasta Garlic Bread Roasted Broccoli Applesauce | 22 Cheese Quesadilla Refried Beans Mandarin Oranges | 23 Assorted Pizza Lettuce Tomatoes Sliced Peaches | 24 Cook's Choice |
| 27  | 28 Cook's Choice | 29 Cook's Choice | 30 Cook's Choice | 31 Cook's Choice  |

AMS/AHS Breakfast Prices

Students \$ 2.70

Adults \$ 2.80

Extra Entrée for all \$1.65

Extra Milk \$0.50

Extra Juice \$0.60



Whole Grain is added to 80% of Grain
Being Served

All Meals Served with 1% White or
Chocolate Skim Milk
Unless Otherwise Stated

*This institution is an equal opportunity provider
All Menus Are Subject To Change*



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ACHS/ ACMS Breakfast

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|--|---|--|---|--|
| | | 1 French Toast Bread Diced Pears <u>Snack</u> Cheez*It String Cheese | 2 Sausage Biscuit Mixed Fruit <u>Snack</u> Dried Pineapple Pieces Graham Crackers | 3 Banana Bread Applesauce <u>Snack</u> Doritos 100% Juice |
| 6 Pumpkin Bread Diced Pears <u>Snack</u> Blueberry Lemon Cookies | 7 Tornado Egg & Sausage 100% Juice <u>Snack</u> Strawberry Chex Mix | 8 Cream Filled Donut Mixed Fruit <u>Snack</u> Goldfish 100% Juice | 9 Ham & Cheese Combo 100% Juice <u>Snack</u> Muffin | 10 Chocolate Crescent Roll Applesauce <u>Snack</u> Popcorn 100% Juice |
| 13 Mini Cinnis Pineapple Tidbits <u>Snack</u> Tiger Bites | 14 Bagel Cream Cheese Diced Peaches <u>Snack</u> Cheez It | 15 Assorted Cereal Applesauce <u>Snack</u> Hard Pretzel 100% Juice | 16 Egg & Cheese Biscuit Tropical Fruit <u>Snack</u> Cheddar Chex Mix String Cheese | 17 Mini Waffles Mixed Fruit <u>Snack</u> Baked Doritos 100% Juice |
| 20 Apple Frudel Diced Pears <u>Snack</u> Tortilla Chips Salsa 100% Juice | 21 Bagel Strips Sliced Peaches <u>Snack</u> Vanilla Wafer Cookies | 22 Cereal Bar Mixed Fruit <u>Snack</u> SunChips 100% Juice | 23 Breakfast Burrito 100% Juice <u>Snack</u> Cookies | 24 Soft Cereal Bar 100% Juice <u>Snack</u> Popcorn |
| 27  | 28 Cook's Choice <u>Snack</u> Soft Pretzel String Cheese | 29 Assorted Muffins Diced Peaches <u>Snack</u> Fritos Corn Chips 100% Juice | 30 Pancake Wrap Diced Pears <u>Snack</u> Baked Potato Chips 100% Juice | 31 Pop tart String Cheese Pineapple Tidbits <u>Snack</u> Baked Doritos 100% Juice  |

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Ready for Summer
Vacation!!!



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Hosted by the Assumption Boys Basketball Program

Boys & Girls Divisions

3rd Grade - High School

(4 players per team - Must supply own uniforms)

Mail payments to:

Amber France (Tournament Contact) 4920 Prairie View Drive, Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494

Checks Made Payable to: Assumption Boys Basketball

*PayPal and Venmo option upon request

Register Online or Mail Form

| WHEN | PLACE | COST |
|---------------------------------|---|------------------|
| May 25, 2024 Starting at 9am | Assumption High School Wisconsin Rapids | \$80 per team |

DEADLINE TO REGISTER: MAY 18, 2024

Questions? Contact Amber at amberdfrance@gmail.com or 715-218-6278



Assumption Memorial Day Weekend 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament Saturday May 25, 2024



**Boys and Girls Divisions
Grades 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, & High School**

Assumption High School
445 Chestnut Street
Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494



Cost: \$80 per team (4 players per team - must supply own uniforms)

Accepting first 8 teams in each division... Register by May 18, 2024

- Games will start at 9am with set game start times (10 minutes per half).
- 3 game guarantee (Schedules emailed the week of the tournament).
- Players may play up a grade but not down.
- Teams are limited to four players per team with the oldest player determining division bracket.
- Register **online** OR fill out the entry form and return with a check for \$80 to:
Amber France (Tournament Contact), 4920 Prairie View Drive, Wisc Rapids, WI 54494
Make check payable to: "Assumption Boys Basketball"
*PayPal and Venmo available upon request

Questions? Contact Amber at amberdfrance@gmail.com or 715-218-6278

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Contact Person _____ Phone _____ Email _____

Team Name _____ DIVISION: Boys _____ Girls _____

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|----------------|--------------------------------|
| | (Circle Grade) |
| Player 1 _____ | Grade: 3 4 5 6 7 8 High School |
| Player 2 _____ | Grade: 3 4 5 6 7 8 High School |
| Player 3 _____ | Grade: 3 4 5 6 7 8 High School |
| Player 4 _____ | Grade: 3 4 5 6 7 8 High School |

Online Registration Available: Email amberdfrance@gmail.com or text 715-218-6278

Save the Date

All ABOARD! the LEARNING EXPRESS!

Save the date for our ACS Stay Smart Summer Program

Stay Smart Program Highlights:

- No cost - program is FREE to attend
- For: Students currently in 4K thru 8th Grade
- Dates: Tues, Wed & Thurs - June 11-July 11 (no session on July 4)
- Time: 9am—Noon
- Location: Assumption library & classrooms
- Focusing on: Reading & Math Enrichment, Weekly Art Projects, and mini Religion Lessons

To register, please fill out the pre-registration form below or email Stay Smart Director: Mrs. Behrend at sbehrend@assumptioncatholicschools.org

Pre-register by: April 28, 2024.



Stay Smart Pre-Registration

Student Name _____ Grade _____

Student Name _____ Grade _____

Student Name _____ Grade _____

Student Name _____ Grade _____

YES My child/children will definitely be participating in this years' program.

UNSURE Interested, but unable to commit at this time.



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2024

AQUA SKIERS

Join the Team!

Who are we?

We are the Wisconsin Rapids Aqua Skiers Show Team! Our organization has been giving local families the opportunity to spend time together on the water for over 50 years. Throughout the summer, the team puts on weekly shows that are held at Red Sands Beach on Lake Wazeecha. The team also hosts the world's largest and longest running water ski show tournament every summer! In 2024, the tournament will take place July 18-21 at Lake Wazeecha and is **FREE to the public!**

Fun for the Individual or Entire Family!

Whether joining as an individual or family, we offer the unique opportunity for your entire family to be involved and perform together on the water! You will make lifelong memories and form new friendships that can last a lifetime! There is a spot for everyone on the team! No experience or equipment is needed to participate. We have certified instructors and veteran team members ready to teach!

Learn to:

- Waterski
- Barefoot Waterski
- Swivel Ski
- Climb Pyramids
- Drive Boat
- Announce
- Run Sound Equipment
- Manage our Dock & Equipment
- Jump
- And Much More!

Free Learn to Water Ski Clinic

We will be hosting a **FREE** learn to water ski clinic for any community members interested in learning on **Monday, August 12th at 5:30 pm**. For more information or to sign up email Autumn at aquaskierswr@gmail.com.



Follow us on Social Media!



@AQUASKEIRSWR



2024 Show Schedule

All shows are Thursday nights. Pre show at 6:30 pm and our regular show at 6:45 pm at Red Sands Beach on Lake Wazeecha.

- June 13th
- June 20th
- June 27th
- July 6th
Show @ River Site 1:30 pm
- July 11th
- July 16th
- July 18th-21st *Wisconsin State Water Ski Show Championships*
- July 19th *State Performance*
- July 25th
- August 1st
- August 3rd-4th *D2 Nationals Shawano*
- August 8th

Practice Schedule

The team practices from 5:30 pm - Dusk. Not all practices are mandatory.

- Monday- Development night
- Tuesday- Full Team
- Wednesday- Full Team

Membership

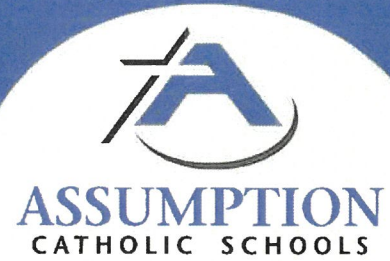
There are three simple steps to becoming a member of the Aqua Skiers:

1. Join **USA Waterski** usawaterski.org
(Anyone over the age of 18 will need to complete a safe sport course)
2. Join **WWSF** waterski.org
3. Join the **Aqua Skiers** aquaskiers.org/become-a-member

Membership questions? Contact our Membership, Katie Ness at aquaskiers@gmail.com

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Dear Families,

As you may have heard, the Wisconsin Rapids Public School system initiated a “Universal Late Start Monday” beginning with the 2024-2025 school year. This decision affects the middle and high school bussing every Monday and would run 45 minutes later than normal throughout the school year.

Due to our collaboration with WRPS and the local bussing companies, ACS will be included in this decision.

After much discussion the Assumption Middle and High Schools have decided to create an alternative schedule but continue to begin the day at 7:30.

Any student who rides the bus will continue to arrive at school 45 minutes later.

The schedule will be altered so students who ride the bus would not be missing out on instruction as we would begin every Monday with Royal Time.

The schedule for Monday’s would be the following

AHS/AMS Monday Schedule

Royal Time 7:30-8:12

Period 1 8:15-8:56

Period 2 8:59-9:40

Period 3 9:43-10:24

Period 4 10:27-11:08

AMS Lunch/AHS Period 5 11:11-11:51

AHS Lunch/AMS Period 5 11:54-12:34

Period 6 12:37-1:17

Period 7 1:20-2:01

Period 8 2:04-2:45

Thank you,

Jimmy Lynch

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VISION:

*A community of academic excellence, Catholic in spirit
and culture, nurturing integrity and respect*



AHOY, TREASURE HUNTERS

Mid-State's College Camp is June 12. Shiver me timbers!
Arrr you ready for adventure?

COLLEGE CAMP 2024

Embark on an adventure to discover your interests—and find treasure—at Mid-State Technical College's College Camp! Students entering grades 6, 7, and 8 next fall are invited to join for a day filled with hands-on workshops, games, and challenges.

- Try out exciting Mid-State programs.
- Hear from program faculty.
- Have tons of fun getting to know how it feels to be a college student while uncovering the skills needed in today's workforce!
- Ride the Mid-State Shuttle from the Adams, Marshfield, or Stevens Point Campuses.

Wednesday, June 12

8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Wisconsin Rapids Campus

500 32nd Street North

Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494

LEARN MORE AND REGISTER
BY MAY 22 AT [MSTC.EDU/CAMP](https://mstc.edu/camp)

Questions

If you have questions about this event, please contact:

recruitment@mstc.edu • 888.575.6782

If you have a disability and require accommodations to participate in this activity, contact the event coordinator as soon as possible, ideally 14 days in advance.



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 **MID-STATE**
TECHNICAL COLLEGE
INDEMAND

Mid-State does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age in its program, activity, or employment. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the nondiscrimination policies:
Vice President – Human Resources, 500 32nd Street North, Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494, 715.422.5325 • AAEO@mstc.edu, 3/2024

SPEED AND AGILITY TRAINING

Presented by:



Calling all athletes entering grades 6-12 in the 2024/2025 school year.

Set yourself up to succeed before your season begins and get the edge on your competition.

INCREASE PERFORMANCE. REDEFINE ATHLETICISM.

Athletes will learn and engage in speed and quickness drills while partaking in exercises designed to specifically improve agility and strength. Pinpointed training will give focused athletes a jump start on their competition as they head into their fall sports season and beyond.

To register, return this form along with payment to the:

Assumption Athletic Department by June 3rd, 2024

Checks payable to: Assumption Athletics

2024 SPEED & AGILITY CLINIC

ATHLETE REGISTRATION

Boys Clinic Dates:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday / June 10th—June 19th
Time: 7:00-7:45a.m.

Girls Clinic Dates:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday / June 24th - August 2nd
Time: 7:00-7:45a.m.

Cost: \$50.00

Please register by Monday, June 3rd.

**Same day or late participants will be accepted, however we greatly appreciate on-time registrations to help us prepare the best possible clinic experience. Return registration & payment to the Assumption Athletic Office.*

Athlete Name _____

Grade entering 2024-2025 school year: 6 / 7 / 8 / 9 / 10 / 11 / 12

Payment included ___Cash / ___Check (payable to: Assumption Athletics)

Emergency Contact Information

Name: _____

Relationship to athlete: _____

Best phone # to call: _____

Please include any information you would like us to be made aware of (ie: allergies/asthma)

KNOWLEDGE WANTED!

... but not required.

(Come for the fun, and show your support)

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Trivia Night Fundraiser

Delicious Food & Drink will be available for purchase.

Win
Cash
Prizes!

Winning Teams will be awarded the following:

1st Place \$600 / 2nd Place \$300 / 3rd Place \$100

*Must be 14 and older to play.

Register your team today!

Where:

Assumption HS Gym
445 Chestnut Street
Wisc Rapids

When:

Sunday
May 19, 2024

Doors open @

4:30

Game starts @

5:00 p.m.

Cost:

\$20.00

(Team of 4)

Add additional
team members
for \$5.00 each.

Submit registration forms to your School Office or ACS Advancement Office.

Any questions, please contact Matt Zakowski, ACS Advancement Dir.

715-422-0914 / mzakowski@assumptioncatholicschools.org



Sunday
May 19, 2024
5:00 p.m.

Join us for a fun and lively game of Trivia as you compete against your friends. Upon arrival, by scanning the trivia game's unique QR code that will be displayed on the presentation screen — Team captains will login and join the game. Using their mobile device they will enter their team name. Only the team captain will be allowed to use their mobile device during game play.

All questions are multiple choice and will vary across a wide range of subjects and categories. Teams will have a limited amount of time to input their answer and automatic real-time updates and rankings will be shown on the presentation screen to show who's in the lead!

Can teams cheat? This live trivia game experience uses a points timer. Teams that answer questions correctly and the fastest, based on their mad trivia knowledge, are awarded the most points. If a team were to try and cheat by Googling an answer, they will most likely run out of time to input an answer and will not be awarded as many points for their answer. Additionally, each question may be answered only once, and teams cannot change their answer once input.

In addition to the 3 top teams winning prize money, all registered players will be automatically entered into our Trivia Raffle, with the chance to win multiple prizes throughout the event.

Free popcorn will be provided during game play and Concessions with delicious snack and dinner time options will be available for purchase. Volunteers will take concession orders and deliver to your table, so your game play is not interrupted.

Cost is \$20 for a team of up to 4 people. You can add additional team members over 4 people for \$5.00 each. It is recommend that teams consist of no more than 6 people.

Any other questions, please contact Matt Zakowski in the Adv Office at 715-422-0914 or mzakowski@assumptioncatholicschools.org

Trivia Team Registration

Forward registration to your school office or the ACS Advancement Office by May 15th. Thank you

Team Name: _____

of Team Members: _____ Team Captain: _____

Team Captain Email: _____

(Please list each member of your team below—(Recommend a maximum of 6 members per team)

Name: _____ Age: _____ Name: _____ Age: _____

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Add \$5.00 per each team member over 4.

(+\$5) Name: _____ Age: _____ (+\$5) Name: _____ Age: _____

(+\$5) Name: _____ Age: _____ (+\$5) Name: _____ Age: _____

(Submit payment w/ your registration)

Team Registration Fee (\$20) + additional members (\$ _____) = Total \$ _____ Cash Check

Attention Men!

There is a Men's Group that meets Thursday mornings at 6:15 AM in the Library at Assumption Catholic High School and you are invited!

Are you looking for ways to be faithful, courageous, and holy? Do you want to be a better husband, father, and version of yourself? Struggling with all that life is throwing at you? If you answered yes to any of these questions then this Group is for you! We gather to pray, see powerful presentations, and challenge each other to live the life God has intended for us.

To live the kind of life God calls you to takes sacrifice, fortitude, and faith. We are not called to be an island! We need support from other faithful men that share the same ideals!

This Group is **NOT** a bunch of weeping men with their hands in the air. Nor are we fire and brimstone. And we definitely are not a bunch of guys with too much time on their hands, as it is quite the opposite!

We **ARE** a Group of guys doing the best they can to help each other grow in their Faith, to be better husbands and fathers, and devoted men in fulfilling their duties.

If this sounds interesting to you please come by some Thursday morning and see for yourself. It will be worth your time!

For any further information you can contact Joe Rayles at jrayles@assumptioncatholicschools.org and I will be sure to get back to you.