

## ECLIPSE

Students had a magnificent time viewing the eclipse with their special glasses. Thank you, PTO and Mr. Reiva, for organizing.



## IOWA TEST RESULTS

The test results are in and looking great. Individual results will be emailed out next week. We will also have graphs that illustrate how magnificent our students are doing! IOWA graphs and T2 Honor Roll will be forthcoming.

## CONCERT FOR GRADES 2-3-4-5

What a wonderful music event! Students sang and performed various instruments.



## ATHLETE BLESSING

Fr. Fitzpatrick blessed our Track and Field Team at this week's school Mass.





**FOOD PANTRY**

Thank you to all who sent in items. We had a very successful drive with a little over 250 pounds of food!

**PARISH & DIOCESAN NEWS**

**Christian Service Fair**  
Brought to you by The Knights of Columbus Council 3880

Not sure where to turn for support? Or maybe you just have a few questions? This service fair is a chance for St Thomas Parishioners to ask questions, and learn about resources, to help make life's challenges a little easier.

**Who:** Everyone is invited!  
**Where:** St Thomas Church (451 W. Terra Cotta Avenue) Community Center  
**When:** Sunday April 14th from 8-1pm. (After all morning masses)  
**What:** Come with your questions or come to see what support is available.

	Support for Managing Anxiety, Depression, or Other Mental Health Concerns. National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)
	Faith Based Response to Mental Health & Substance Abuse Challenges. St Thomas Ministry of Hope
	Insurance, Retirement, and Other Member Benefits. Knights of Columbus Member Benefits
	Following Christ in Service to Those in Need. St Vincent De Paul Society
	Medicare Advantage & Supplemental Questions & Answers Nicholas Hager
	Food and Supplies for Individuals and Families in need. Crystal Lake Food Pantry
	Effective Re-Employment: Having a solid game plan for yourself and the job market. Peter Harren
	Pregnancy & After Pregnancy Support First Way Life Center
	Connecting seniors with services they need to remain independent Senior Care Volunteer Network

**AFTER SCHOOL CARE**

*Please help spread the word that we NEED a supervisor for the after-school care program. We are looking for someone to manage the program as well as supervise the children. Two supervisors are needed to manage the students through at least 3 or 3:30 to be available for the ET recess time. Once the students have returned to the classroom, we could get by with only one supervisor. The last pick-up time is 5pm but students are usually picked up 5-10 minutes before, so the supervisor is able to clock out by 5.*

**Please contact me if you have any leads on this position.**

*This program cannot continue much longer without supervisors. Please help us find a few people to manage this position.*

**STS**  
**ATHLETICS**  
**GOLF**  
**OUTING**

*Teeing Up for Trojans*

**MAY 31<sup>ST</sup>, 2024** 1:00PM

**PRAIRIE ISLE GOLF COURSE**  
2216 IL Route 176  
Crystal Lake, IL



**AGENDA**

- 12:00p - 12:45p** Golf Registration and Lite Lunch
- 1:00p** Shotgun Start Scramble Golf
- 5:00p** Dinner in the Club House  
(\*Time is Approximate)
- 6:00p** Awards and Celebration!

Other Sponsorships  
Opportunities  
Available!

**Register Now!**

<http://teeing-up-for-trojans-golf-outing.perfectgolfevent.com>

*You are invited*

**MOMS**  
**&**  
**MIMOSAS**

**April 28th 2024**  
**2:00pm - 4:00pm**

**St. Thomas Church**  
**Community room**  
**Oak street**

*RSVP by April 22*

*Uniform Resale*  
**LAST SALE OF THE YEAR**

7:45am - 8:30am

**Friday April 26**

CARMEN ZEPEDA  
MARIAZEPEDAALVAREZ@GMAIL.COM

KATIE WOZNIAK  
WOZWOOD2009@GMAIL.COM

COLLEEN KENNEALLY  
COLLEENKENNEALLY78@GMAIL.COM

*Resale shop*  
**SPIRIT WEAR**

The resale shop is asking for your old spirit wear t-shirts.  
Any old spirit wear t-shirts please send to Carmen Zepeda or can be  
dropped off in the office.  
Thank you, we appreciate all your donation!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!



## CALENDAR EVENTS



April 22

Earth Day Celebration

See full Athletics calendar here:

<https://sites.google.com/stthomascl.org/stsathletics/monthly-calendar-nssc-game-schedules>

## LEND A HAND



[Virtus](#) password to set up a new account: 2train!

## VOLUNTEER AT RECESS:

[Grades 4 & 5](#)

[Grades k & 1](#)

[Grades 2 & 3](#)

[Junior High](#)

## VOLUNTEER AT THE THOMAS TRADING POST: - [Thomas Trading Post Volunteer signup sheet](#)

Donate \$10 gift certificates for the Thomas Trading Post (Julie Anns, Five Below, Target, Amazon, McDonald, etc.): send to school office marked Thomas Trading Post

Support the **Thomas Trading Post Wishlist:**  
[Amazon.com](#)

## REMINDER

## TUITION ASSISTANCE

If you are in need of tuition assistance for the 2024-2025 school year, the [grant application portal](#) in

FACTs is now open. Assistance must be applied for each year; it is not automatically granted.

As always- I will be  
Praying with you and for you,  
*Mrs. Houston*

