



April 17, 2024

Dear Families:

Although the weather has been a little on the chilly side, this month is nonetheless the start of the baseball season. Here at Saint Mark, we're celebrating all things baseball at our card party on Saturday. This is our major fundraiser of the year, and we're really hoping to "hit a homerun"!

While we're on the subject of baseball, did you know that the first Mets game was played at Shea Stadium 60 years ago today? Shea was torn down in 2008, and the Mets now play at Citi Field. If you think that's a long time, the Yankees new stadium also opened in 2008, but before that, they played in the "old" Yankee stadium from 1923 to 2008; that's over 85 years!

At Saint Mark Catholic Academy, we have both the Yankees and the Mets beat! Our school building has been our "home field" for the past 100 years—and it's still going. The Yankees and Mets have rich histories, and SMCA is also a part of the history of our Sheepshead Bay community. In fact, as I've mentioned before, our students make history every day, carrying on the legacy of the students who came before them by studying, playing, and praying together as a school community!

Although I'm a Mets fan, I'd like to borrow a quote from Yankee Lou Gehrig: "Today I consider myself the luckiest man on the face of the earth." I consider myself lucky, honored, and fortunate to be principal of Saint Mark Catholic Academy. On Saturday, we will put bitter rivalries aside because everyone is rooting for the same team—Saint Mark Catholic Academy!

Sincerely,

Mr. Mark Wilson  
Principal

# LUNG FORCE DRESS DOWN DAYS

THURSDAY, APRIL 18 AND FRIDAY, APRIL 19

SUGGESTED DONATION \$5

TWO DAYS OF DRESS DOWN FOR THE COST OF ONE!

*LUNG FORCE unites those impacted by lung cancer across the country to stand together against lung cancer.*

WEAR TURQUOISE TO SUPPORT LUNG HEALTH!

Dress Down  
Day



**LUNG FORCE**  
Turquoise Takeover  
American Lung Association.

Although it is a dress down day, students are reminded to dress with modesty. Students should adhere to the following attire as described in the **Parent-Student Handbook**:

- Appropriate length skirt, shorts or dress – no shorter than 3” above the knees
- No torn or tight jeans or pants
- No spaghetti strap tanks, midriffs, tube tops, etc.
- No logo type T-shirts
- No hats (unless specifically designated)
- No loose/baggy pants or shorts
- No make-up or nail polish (including gels/French manicures)
- No hoop earrings or excessive jewelry
- No jeggings, leggings or skinny jean

**Parents will be called to bring a change of clothes for students who do not adhere to these regulations.**

# St. Mark Catholic Academy

## *27th Annual Card Party*

FULL CHANCE AUCTION

Thousands of Dollars in Prizes



**Saturday, April 20th**

**Doors Open 10am | \$35 Entry Fee**

**(INCLUDES LUNCH & SO MUCH MORE)**

**3 DAYS LEFT**

**Get Your Tickets**

**NOW!**

**718.332.9304**

**8-3pm**

**347.574.1828**

**24 Hrs a Day**

# The Parish of St. Mark- St. Margaret Mary

Saturday, April 27 from 11:00am-  
6:00pm



## A Taste of Honey at Nansen Park

3466 Victory Boulevard  
Staten Island, N.Y. 10314



**Cost: \$40 per adult, \$20 per child 6 - 14, children under 6 free**

**DJ, Music and Dancing**  
Tentative activities include:  
Shuffleboard,  
Horseshoes, Bocce Ball, Volleyball  
Softball (bring your glove)  
Sack Races, 3 Legged Races  
Face painting



Vigil Mass at 5:00 pm  
for  
Sundav. April 28th



**Menu includes unlimited:**  
Bagels, Danish, Coffee and Tea  
Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Fries, Salad Bar  
BBQ Chicken, Sausage & Peppers,  
Roast Beef Sandwiches, Corn on the Cob  
Watermelon, Ice Cream, Soda and Water

(No outside alcohol permitted on premises)



If there is enough interest, we will have a bus which will leave the Rectory at 10:00am to go to Nansen Park in Staten Island.  
(Free onsite parking) *If interested please complete the tear off and return in Wednesdays folder with payment* (Free onsite parking)  
Buss \$5.00 p/p

Please complete and return in Wednesdays Folder.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Adults \_\_\_\_\_

Children 6-14 years old \_\_\_\_\_

Children under 6 free \_\_\_\_\_

Bus-yes/no \_\_\_\_\_ Amt of people on bus (including children) \_\_\_\_\_

*See you at the picnic!!*

# SAINT MARK CATHOLIC ACADEMY



# Summer 2024

June 26th - August 9th 2024

# Academic

Monday - Friday 8:30 AM - 12 PM



# Extended Day Program

Monday - Friday 12 PM - 6 PM

## ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

Our Summer Academic and Extended Day programs are focused on creating an engaging and fun learning culture.

Our Academic program focuses on Math and ELA and Educational Enrichment opportunities for our Summer Program participants.

Our Extended Day Program participants will have the opportunity to participate in outdoor activities as well as a wide variety of physical education classes and fun activities.

Our students will have educational and fun experiences in a summer to remember!



## FUN & ACTIVITIES

- ✓ Critical Thinking Activities
- ✓ Sports
- ✓ Movies
- ✓ Games

# BOYS AND GIRLS

## 3-K TO 8th GRADE

✓ **Early morning drop off!**



**For Details:**

**718-332-9304**

Scan **CODE**



**2602 East 19th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11235**  
**WWW.SMCAONTHEBAY.ORG**

**TO REGISTER**

# SAINT MARK CATHOLIC ACADEMY

## SUMMER ACADEMIC AND EXTENDED DAY PROGRAM 2024

June 26<sup>th</sup> – August 9<sup>th</sup> 2024

**REGISTER HERE:** <https://tinyurl.com/yxdc47xi>



**Academic Program:** St. Mark Catholic Academy is currently planning for the *School's Summer Academic Program* and the *Summer Extended Day Program*. The Academic Program provides our students with the essential or enriched coursework for greater success next school year. *If you have questions about the summer academic program and/or its importance for your child, please contact Mr. Mark Wilson (Principal) or Mrs. Lisa Rizzo (Assistant Principal) (718)-332-9304.*

**Extended Day Program:** Once again, this summer, we are offering an "extended day" program after morning classes five days a week. Enrichment and recreational activities, as well as breakfast, lunch, and an afternoon snack/beverage, are included. *Mr. Michael Davis is coordinating this Extended Day program. To learn more about the program, please contact Mr. Michael Davis (347)-574-1828.*

REGISTRATION FEE:	EARLY MORNING DROP OFF:
\$200 EARLY REGISTRATION FEE ENDS MAY 17 <sup>th</sup> 2024  -AFTER MAY 17 <sup>th</sup> , 2024, REGISTRATION FEE IS \$250- NON-REFUNDABLE	(7:30 AM - 8:30 AM) Includes Breakfast <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 Child=\$200</li> <li>• 2 Children=\$350</li> <li>• 3 Children=\$500</li> </ul>

TUITION & PAYMENT SCHEDULE					
SUMMER ACADEMIC PROGRAM [mornings] Mon – Fri 8:30am – 12:00pm		SUMMER ACADEMIC PROGRAM AND EXTENDED DAY Mon – Fri 8:30 am – 6:00 pm		EXTENDED DAY ONLY Mon – Fri 12:00 pm – 6:00 pm	
<b>TUITION (1 CHILD)</b>	<b>\$1,100</b>	<b>TUITION (1 CHILD)</b>	<b>\$2,750</b>	<b>TUITION (1 CHILD)</b>	<b>\$2,300</b>
Payment Due dates: June 7 <sup>th</sup> & July 7 <sup>th</sup> 2024		Payment Due dates: June 7 <sup>th</sup> & July 7 <sup>th</sup> 2024		Payment Due dates: June 7 <sup>th</sup> & July 7 <sup>th</sup> 2024	
<b>TUITION (2 CHILDREN)</b>	<b>\$1,980</b>	<b>TUITION (2 CHILDREN)</b>	<b>\$4,950</b>	<b>TUITION (2 CHILDREN)</b>	<b>\$4,140</b>
Installment Payment Due dates: June 7 <sup>th</sup> & July 7 <sup>th</sup> 2024		Installment Payment Due dates: June 7 <sup>th</sup> & July 7 <sup>th</sup> 2024		Installment Payment Due dates: June 7 <sup>th</sup> & July 7 <sup>th</sup> 2024	
<b>TUITION (3 CHILDREN)</b>	<b>\$2,805</b>	<b>TUITION (3 CHILDREN)</b>	<b>\$7,013</b>	<b>TUITION (3 CHILDREN)</b>	<b>\$5,865</b>
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**SUMMER ACADEMIC AND EXTENDED DAY PROGRAM: MON – FRI 8:30 AM – 6:00 PM**

- **INDIVIDUAL WEEKS:** \$500 per week must be prepaid at the beginning of each week. (8:30 AM - 6:00 PM)
- **DAY RATE:** \$125 Per/Day-Full Day Session only (8:30 AM - 6:00 PM)

<b>CONTACT:</b>	Mrs. Lori Ryan	(718)-332-9304	SUMMER PROGRAM	SCAN QR CODE TO REGISTER  
<b>CONTACT:</b>	Mr. Michael Davis	(347)-574-1828	EXTENDED DAY PROGRAM	
<b>CONTACT:</b>	Mr. Mark Wilson	(718)-332-9304	ACADEMIC PROGRAM	

# SAINT MARK CATHOLIC ACADEMY

# YEARBOOK 2024

Our school yearbook is a work in progress. Please consider placing an ad to congratulate your child on their accomplishments: graduation, sacraments, stepping up or just a great school year!

Please submit your yearbook ad, please write out your message carefully and add images as you wish. Please type or print all messages. If you are sending an ad into school, please put in an envelope, clearly labeled "Yearbook 2024."

Photos must fit the size selection you have chosen.

$\frac{1}{4}$  page \$50

$\frac{1}{2}$  page \$70

Full page \$100

Deadline: May 1, 2024

You will receive a complimentary copy of the yearbook with your advertisement purchase.

Please email Mrs. Kane, [jkane@smsonthebay.com](mailto:jkane@smsonthebay.com), with any questions.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Student Name & Grade \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to place an ad in the 2023-2024 Saint Mark Catholic Academy Yearbook.

I have enclosed \$50 \_\_\_\_\_

\$70 \_\_\_\_\_

\$100 \_\_\_\_\_

I have enclosed my ad with this payment \_\_\_\_\_

I will email the ad to Mrs. Kane \_\_\_\_\_

