April 10, 2024

Dear Families:

At Saint Mark Catholic Academy, we pride ourselves on the great academic foundation we provide our students. Recently, our foundation was—quite literally—put to the test, and I'm not referring to the state exams! Last week, most of us felt the ground shake during Friday morning's earthquake. I hope you, your families, and your homes are all okay!

Considering SMCA was constructed in 1923, I was a bit anxious about how the school would fair after all of the trembling and shaking. I'm happy to report our school survived Friday's earthquake unscathed.

Indeed, Saint Mark Catholic Academy is still standing, just as it has done for over a century, a testament to the craftsmanship of the physical structure, but more importantly an acknowledgment of the resiliency of school community.

For 100 years Saint Mark has certainly stood the test of time. We have faced difficult times before, and we will undoubtedly face them again, but we do so confident in the strength of not just a brick-and-mortar structure, but also in the adaptability, versatility, and resourcefulness of our school community.

I am happy and proud to be part of our growing, diverse, and strong school family. I'm confident that our "guiding light in Sheepshead Bay" can "eclipse" any future challenges head on.

Sincerely,

Mr. Mark Wilson

Principal

#### 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 - 5 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!



- 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



TO REGISTER

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

### SAINT MARK CATHOLIC ACADEMY SUMMER ACADEMIC AND EXTENDED DAY PROGRAM 2024

June 26th - August 9th 2024

REGISTER HERE: https://tinyurl.com/yxdc47xj



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.

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- 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)

CONTACT:	Mrs. Lori Ryan	(718)-332-9304	SUMMER PROGRAM	SCAN QR CODE TO REGISTER
CONTACT:	Mr. Michael Davis	(347)-574-1828	EXTENDED DAY PROGRAM	1986 1886 1886
CONTACT:	Mr. Mark Wilson	(718)-332-9304	ACADEMIC PROGRAM	

## St. Mark Catholic Academy 27th Annual Card Party FULL CHANCE AUCTION







## Saturday, April 20th Doors Open 10am | \$35 Entry Fee

(INCLUDES LUNCH & SO MUCH MORE)

10 DAYS LEFT
Get Your Tickets
NOW!

718.332.9304 8-3pm

347.574.1828 24 Hrs a Day

#### WHAT IS A CARD PARTY?

March 13, 2024

Dear Families:

In just a few weeks we will host our 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Card Party! This is our biggest fundraiser of the year, and it's great to see that so many tickets are being sold already!



Since last year was our first card party in a few years, and we now have several new families, we've been getting a few questions about what a card party is.

A card party isn't about playing card games. It's about winning prizes! Thanks to many volunteers and donors, we have hundreds of prizes and gift cards to raffle off!

It's important to note that this is an event for those who are 18-year-old and over. It is not an event for children. Instead, it is an opportunity for adults to socialize, win prizes, and have fun—all while supporting Saint Mark Catholic Academy.

If you'd like to purchase tickets to the card party, please do so soon—seats are filling up quickly. If you are unable to attend the card party, but would like to make a donation, that would great, too!

Please let us know if you have any questions about the card party. Thank you, as always, for your support!

Sincerely,

Mr. Mark Wilson

Principal

#### 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.

1 page \$50

½ 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, <u>ikane@smsonthebay.com</u> , with a	ny questions.
Name	Student Name & Grade	
I would like to place an ad in	the 2023-2024Saint Mark Catholic Acad	demy Yearbook.
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I will email the ad to Mrs. Kane \_\_\_\_\_

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

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





A Tasta of Honey at Nansen Park 3455 Victory Boulevard Staten Island, N.Y. 1931.



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







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 Fark in Staten Island. (Free onsite parking) (Free onsite parking)

If interested please complete the tear off and return in Wednesdays folder with payment Buss \$5.00 n ln

	Please complete and return in Wednes	days Folder.
Name		Phone #
Adults	Children 6-14 years old	Children under 6 free

See you at the picnic!!

## **April 2024**

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	NO BUS SERVICE	NO BUS SERVICE				