



THE ST. ROBERT

# REPORTER

ST. ROBERT BELLARMINE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Fueling the light of Christ through faith, service, and academic excellence.

## WEEKLY EDITION

September 24, 2026

### Mrs. Bushey's Buzz

Dear St. Robert Families,

I spent the first two days of this week at a conference focused on MTSS (Multi-Tiered System of Supports). Meeting students where they are and helping each child grow has always been at the heart of what we do. MTSS gives us a more intentional, schoolwide framework to build on the great things already happening in our classrooms. With the amazing team of teachers and staff we have this year, I am SO GEEKED about where we are heading!

Friday, while our students enjoyed a day off, our staff spent the day learning with Protect Young Eyes (PYE). The online world isn't going away, and we can't simply shield our children from it. But we CAN equip ourselves with the knowledge and tools to protect them, guide them, and preserve their innocence for as long as possible. As parents and educators, this is one of the most important responsibilities we have. **PLEASE reserve Wednesday, October 7, at 6:30 p.m. for our Protect Young Eyes parent presentation in the Activity Center!** I cannot stress enough how important this evening is for our families. Please invite grandparents and other adults who love and care for your children, too! The more of us who are equipped to protect our kids, the better. ***Our children are worth the time.***

God Bless,  
Mrs. Bushey

### SRS PUPPY CHALLENGE

The response to our SRS Puppy Challenge has been nothing short of AMAZING! So far, we have raised \$1,106.00 in monetary donations and collected a TON of food, treats, and bowls for our rescue puppies! Thank you SO much for your generosity and support! Our St. Robert families are truly making a difference!

This week's classroom ranking:

**1<sup>st</sup> Place: 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade (53 Paw Points)**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place: 1<sup>st</sup> Grade (26 Paw Points)**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Place: 5<sup>th</sup> Grade (19 Paw Points)**

(Paw Points are calculated by assigning 1 "Paw" per \$10 donation or value of donated item, as well as going "above and beyond" by thinking outside the box to help the cause.)

### NEXT WEEK'S CHALLENGE: COMFORT CARE

Our puppies need a cozy place to rest! Next week, we will be collecting blankets, bedding, and other comfort supplies to help keep our furry friends warm and comfortable.

*A little reminder: You are always welcome to donate ahead of time or send in items from a previous week's challenge! If you still have food or treats to donate, we will happily accept those next week, too!*

***Next week's winning class will win a casual day for their class!***

Thank you for helping our students put the SERVICE part of our mission into action!

**UPDATED YEAR LONG  
[CALENDAR LINK](#)**

**SUBSCRIBE TO THE SRS  
[GOOGLE CALENDAR](#)**



### LOOKING AHEAD

**FRI., 9/25**

- **NO SCHOOL**

**SAT., 10/3**

- Powers Milestone Reunion Happy Hour 4-6pm
- Cheers to Chargers event at Powers HS 6pm

**WED, 10/7**

- [Protect Young Eyes Parent Night](#)

**FRI., 10/9**

- Powers Homecoming Family Parade, Tailgate and Football Game

**THUR. 10/15**

- Picture Retake Day

**FRI., 10.30**

- Monster Mash Family Dance



**VIRTUE OF THE WEEK:**  
[RESPONSIBILITY](#)



**SAINT OF THE WEEK:**  
[ST JOAN OF ARC](#)



**SONG OF THE WEEK:**  
[BRAVE](#)

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## STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS

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A HUGE thank-you to all of our students who voted and shared their ideas! We heard you loud and clear: you want more fun, more school spirit, and more opportunities to serve others! Our new Student Council will be reviewing your suggestions and finding creative ways to bring as many of those ideas to life as possible.

**Congratulations to our newly elected Student Council!**

### Student Council Officers

President: Hudson Rathbun  
Vice President: Maria Abuaita  
Secretary: James Andres  
Treasurer: Thomas Danaho  
Member at Large: Chloe Witham



### Classroom Representatives

5th Grade: Violet Massey & Damien Pobocik  
6th Grade: Lucy Kordyzon & Will Klump  
7th Grade: Jacob Blaska & Michael Nemer  
8th Grade: Lucas Tye

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## CASH FOR KIDS

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The Bueche's Cash for Kids program will start back up for the 26/27 school year on Monday, 9/28. Bueche's donates money to St. Robert School for every receipt that we collect. Look for the "Kids 2027" total to appear at the end of your Bueche's receipt. Bueche's receipts can be dropped off at the school office, parish office or in the box located in the church.

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## P.T.O. NEWS

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### Parade!!

Get ready for Homecoming! The big game is Friday, October 9, with the parade starting at Powers at 5:45 p.m. Our tailgate will take place simultaneously right across from Atwood Stadium, where the parade concludes. We are looking for volunteers to help decorate our float and assist with tailgate festivities, including grilling hot dogs, organizing food, and more. If you can lend a hand, please contact the PTO at [srspto@strobertschool.com](mailto:srspto@strobertschool.com) - we would love your help!! Please see the flyers at the end of this newsletter.

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## GCCS NEWS

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Please [click here](#) for the invitation to the Powers Middle School Parent Social and Information Night. This is designed for 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grades, but all are welcome!

# HOW TO CREATE A TECH-READY HOME

Free Workshop for Parents & Caring Adults

Technology is changing quickly - and raising kids in a digital world can feel overwhelming. Join us for an engaging, practical presentation designed to help families navigate technology with confidence.



**PROTECT**  
young eyes  
*creating safer digital spaces*

- UNDERSTAND how technology and AI are shaping our children.
- LEARN practical ways to create healthy digital habits and boundaries.
- DISCOVER how to prepare, balance, and protect your family online.

Register Here



## JOIN US!

Wednesday, October 7 6:30 PM

St. Robert Catholic School Activity Center

310 N. Cherry St. Flushing, MI 48433

Free to attend (Registration is required)

Childcare available - [RSVP Here](#)



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# Powers Homecoming

Friday, October 9, 2026



## Homecoming Parade

**St. Robert will have a float in the parade, and we'd love students and parents to walk with us! Wear your SRS swag!**

**All are welcome!**

*Students must have a responsible adult with them!*

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|------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <b>4:00 p.m.</b> | <b>Decorate float at Powers (all are welcome!)</b> |
| <b>5:15 p.m.</b> | <b>Arrive to Powers to walk in the parade.</b>     |
| <b>5:45 p.m.</b> | <b>Depart Powers to walk to Atwood</b>             |

## Tailgate

**Join us for an evening of fun in the upper grass parking lot at Atwood for a St. Robert tailgate!**

*Hot dogs, chips, water and cookies will be supplied by our PTO!*

**5:00-8:00pm**

## Football Game

**Kickoff at 7:00 p.m.**

**Powers Chargers vs. Alma**



# SPIRIT WEEK AT SRS

FIVE DAYS OF MUSTANG SPIRIT LEADING UP TO  
POWERS HOMECOMING!

**MONDAY**  
**10/5**



## COMFY COZY DAY

Roll out of  
bed and come  
comfy!

*Jeans may be worn*

**TUESDAY**  
**10/6**



## MISMATCH MADNESS

The more  
mismatched,  
the better!

*Jeans may be worn*

**WEDNESDAY**  
**10/7**



## JERSEY DAY

Wear a jersey,  
team shirt, or  
team colors for  
your favorite  
team!

*Mass Day - no jeans.*

**THURSDAY**  
**10/8**



## NEON DAY

Wear your  
brightest  
neon colors  
from head to  
toe!

*Jeans may be worn*

**FRIDAY**  
**10/9**



## SRS SPIRIT DAY

Wear your SRS  
spirit wear, red  
& blue, or  
anything that  
shows your  
Mustang pride!

*Jeans may be worn*

**ATWOOD:**  
**LET'S TAILGATE! • 5 P.M.**  
**KICKOFF • 7 P.M.**



**POWERS:**  
**DECORATE FLOAT: 4:00 P.M.**  
**LINE UP: 5:15 P.M.**

Join Us for the 49<sup>th</sup> Annual

# CRAFT SHOW AND MARKETPLACE

December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
9AM - 3PM

St. Robert Activity Center  
310 N. Cherry St. Flushing, MI

Interested in becoming a vendor?  
Scan for more information!





# OCTOBER 2026

## ST. ROBERT



### BREAKFAST & LUNCH MENU

#### BREAKFAST

OFFERED DAILY 7:00-7:30

(Hot daily breakfast choices on calendar) Also, choices include: assorted whole grain cereal with 1% fat-free white milk, bagel w/ cream cheese or jelly, whole grain muffins, mini-cinnis, & fruit or 100% juice.

#### BREAKFAST PRICES

\$2.25 student  
\$4.25 adult  
\$ .30 reduced

#### LUNCH

##### ALTERNATE CHOICES OFFERED DAILY:

- Whole Grain Cheese pizza
- Turkey, ham & cheese Lunchable

##### EVERY LUNCH CONTAINS:

- Entrée (Protein & whole grain)
- Vegetables & Fruits
- Salad bar daily (with all lunches)
- White milk or Chocolate milk

#### LUNCH PRICES

\$4.25 student  
\$6.25 adult  
\$ .40 reduced  
\$ .75 milk

| MONDAY                                         | TUESDAY                              | WEDNESDAY                              | THURSDAY                                                          | FRIDAY                            |
|------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
|                                                |                                      |                                        | 1 Chicken Patty on a bun & Starz Tator Tots                       | 2 Pepperoni Pizza                 |
| 5 Pancakes, Sausage Patty, & Hash Browns       | 6 Walking Tacos & Refried Beans      | 7 Hot Dogs & French Fries              | 8 Mustang Bowl™ - popcorn chicken, corn, mashed potatoes w/ gravy | 9 Bosco Sticks w/ marinara sauce  |
| 12 Waffles, Bacon, & Hash Browns               | 13 Deluxe Nachos w/ Refried Beans    | 14 Mac & Cheese & Pretzyl Sticks       | 15 Chicken Alfredo & Garlic Bread                                 | 16 Pepperoni Calzones             |
| 19 French Toast Sticks, Sausage, & Hash Browns | 20 Soft Shell Tacos w/ Refried Beans | 21 Chicken Nuggets & Buttered Noodles  | 22 1/2 Day of School (no lunch)                                   | 23 NO SCHOOL                      |
| 26 Pancakes, Bacon, & Hash Browns              | 27 Walking Tacos & Refried Beans     | 28 Hamburger & French Fries            | 29 Chicken Tortilla Soup & Tortilla Strips                        | 30 1/2 DAY HAPPY HALLOWEEN        |
| <u>BREAKFAST</u><br>Pancakes                   | <u>BREAKFAST</u><br>Cinnamon Roll    | <u>BREAKFAST</u><br>Breakfast Sandwich | <u>BREAKFAST</u><br>Cinnamon French Toast                         | <u>BREAKFAST</u><br>Maple Waffles |

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