December 2026

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4 Bills Dress Down	5
6 2nd Sunday of Advent St. Nicholas Day	7 The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary	8 2:00pm Mass	9 Report Cards	10 11:00 am Dismissal Parent Teacher Conferences UPK, Pre-K - 8	11 Merry Moose Shop Bills Dress Down	12 Breakfast with Santa 9:00am
13 3rd Sunday of Advent	14 Advent Prayer Service	15	16	17 2:00pm Mass Christmas Concert 6:30 pm	18 Bills Dress Down	19
20 4th Sunday of Advent	21	22 Bills Dress Down	23 No School K-8 Christmas Break UPK Half-day 9-11	24 No School Christmas Eve	25 No School Christmas Day	26
27	28 No School Christmas Break	29 No School Christmas Break	30 No School Christmas Break	31 No School Christmas Break	All Dates are Subject to Change	

LUNCH

DECEMBER 2026

St. Stephen School

Each Student Receives
One Free Breakfast and
One Free Lunch

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Available Daily 4x6 Pizza Yogurt Fun Lunch PB&J Lunch Carrotinees Milk: 1% & Chocolate	1 Viking Nachos Taco Meat / Tortilla Chips Cheddar Sauce /Salsa, corn Seasoned Rice / Black Beans NY State Apple / Mixed Fruit	2 Big Daddy Pizza Romaine Salad Broccoli NY State Apple Diced Peaches	3 Brunch for Lunch French Toast Sticks Sausage or Egg Patty Hashbrown Patty Carrot Coins NY State Apple / Orange Slices	4 Chicken Finger Sub (Plain or Spicy) Green Beans NY State Apple / Mixed Fruit
7 Rodeo Burger Tater Tots NY State Apple Diced Pears	8 Twin Taco Corn / Rice / Taco Sauce Refried Beans NY State Apple Mixed Fruit	9 Personal Pan Pizza Romaine Salad Broccoli NY State Apple Diced Peaches	10 Student Half Day	11 Chicken Patty Sandwich Green Beans Celery Sticks with Ranch NY State Apple Mixed Fruit
14 Chicken Nuggets Mini Loaf Broccoli NY State Apple Diced Pears	15 Burrito Bowl Taco Meat / Shredded Cheddar Corn / Seasoned Rice Black Beans / Salsa NY State Apple Mixed Fruit	16 Big Daddy Pizza Romaine Salad Green Beans NY State Apple Diced Peaches	17 Brunch for Lunch Waffles w/ Syrup Sausage or Egg Patty Hashbrown Patty Carrot Coins NY State Apple / Orange Slices	18 Grilled Cheese Sandwich Tomato Soup Baked French Fries NY State Apple Mixed Fruit
21 Pizza Crunchers Dipping Sauce Green Beans NY State Apple Diced Pears	22 Cheese Quesadilla Salsa / Corn / Rice Refried Beans NY State Apple Mixed Fruit	23 Winter Recess	24 Winter Recess	25 Winter Recess
28 Winter Recess	29 Winter Recess	30 Winter Recess	31 Winter Recess	



Exciting News! Our NY State apples are sourced from a local farm. Enjoy fresh apples while supporting local farmers. Menu is subject to change due to availability.

MY SCHOOL BUCKS
PAY FOR MEALS ONLINE
MySchoolBucks.com

After-School Pickup Information



Please use

Door 9

for After-School Pick-Up.

When you arrive, please ring the bell.

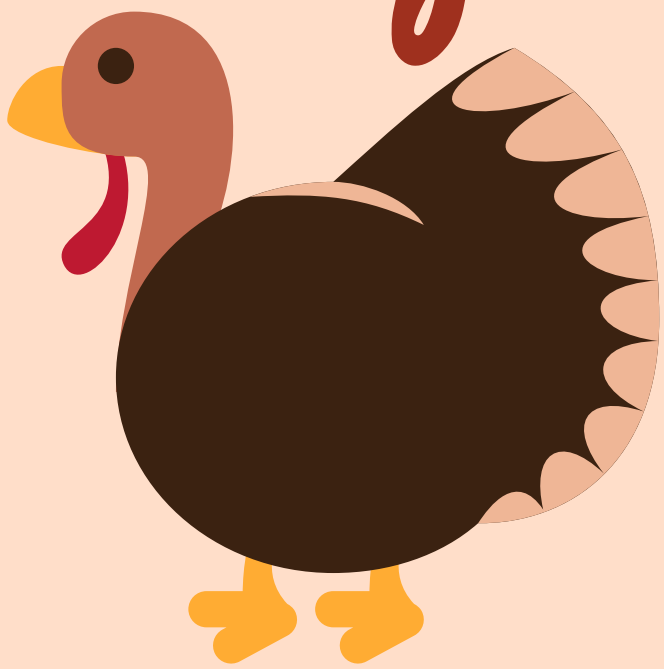
Our after-school phone is being replaced. In the meantime, please call the school office at

716-773-7647

and leave a message.

Phones are monitored by our **after-school staff**, and your call will be returned shortly.

Happy Thanksgiving!



Thanksgiving break is from 11/25 to 11/27. Miss Lombardo will be in the office on 11:25 from 8-12.

See you on 11/30!

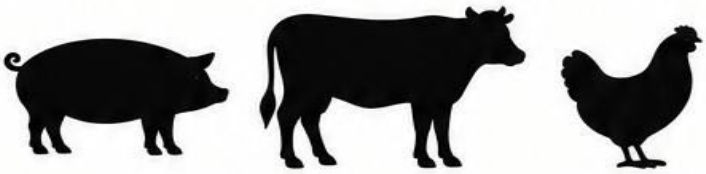
BILLS DAY

Season Pass Dress Down Holders!

Friday, November 20th
Tuesday, November 24th
Friday, December 4th
Friday, December 11th
Friday, December 18th
Tuesday, December 22nd

St. Stephen School

MEAT RAFFLE



November 21st, 2026

2080 Baseline Rd. Grand Island, NY 14072

For questions email: sssoffice@ststephensgi.org

DOORS OPEN AT
5:30PM

FIRST PULL IS AT
7:00PM

PRESALE TICKETS
$12/PERSON
TABLE OF 8 FOR $90

AT THE DOOR
$15/PERSON



TICKETS INCLUDE UNLIMITED POP AND 2 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

15+ ROUNDS OF MEAT

CASH, CREDIT, OR VENMO ACCEPTED FOR RAFFLE BUCKS

BUY TICKETS AT:
https://givebutter.com/sssmeatraffle

Event held in school cafeteria, enter at door #1

Bring your own snacks! • *No outside alcohol permitted* •
Age 21+ event • *Powered by bestmeatraffles.com*

Eagle Leadership & Service Council (ELSC)
2026-2027 Meeting Dates

Mandatory Meeting Dates (3:30-4:15pm)

Wednesday, October 28
Wednesday, December 2
Wednesday, January 6
Wednesday, February 3
Wednesday, March 3
Wednesday, April 7
Wednesday, May 5
Wednesday, June 2 (End of Year Celebration)

Optional Committee Work Session Dates

Thursday, November 5 (8:00-8:30am)
Monday, November 9 (3:30-4:00pm)
Thursday, December 10 (8:00-8:30am)
Monday, December 14 (3:30-4:00pm)
Thursday, January 14 (8:00-8:30am)
Monday, January 25 (3:30-4:00pm)
Thursday, February 11 (8:00-8:30am)
Monday, February 22 (3:30-4:00pm)
Thursday, March 11 (8:00-8:30am)
Monday, March 15 (3:30-4:00pm)
Thursday, April 14 (8:00-8:30am)
Monday, April 19 (3:30-4:00pm)
Thursday, May 13 (8:00-8:30am)
Monday, May 17 (3:30-4:00pm)

SAINT STEPHEN SCHOOL

Grand Island, NY

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

OUR STUDENTS MAKE EVERY DAY BETTER!

JOIN OUR SSS LUNCH ROOM TEAM!

Do you have a little time during the school day?
We'd love to have you help make lunchtime a positive, safe, and enjoyable experience for our students!

Parents, Grandparents, Family Members & Friends are Welcome!

VOLUNTEER DUTIES INCLUDE:

- Helping younger students open lunch containers and packaging
- Assisting with lunch recess supervision
- Wiping down tables after lunch
- Cleaning up small spills as needed
- Most importantly... spending time with some awesome SSS students!

LUNCH VOLUNTEER SHIFTS

FIRST LUNCH (GRADES K–2)
10:45 – 11:30 A.M.
Pre-K: Velzy and Cacciatore

SECOND LUNCH (GRADES 3–5)
11:30 A.M. – 12:10 P.M.
Pre-K: Jones and Mermigas

THIRD LUNCH (GRADES 6–8)
12:10 – 12:45 P.M.

Volunteer for one shift or multiple shifts—
whatever works best for your schedule!

ALL VOLUNTEERS MUST BE **VIRTUS TRAINED** BEFORE SERVING.

SIGN UP USING OUR *SignUpGenius!*

A new SignUpGenius will be emailed each month, giving you the flexibility to volunteer whenever you're available.

SCAN TO SIGN UP!

Thank You!

Your time, kindness, and helping hands make a tremendous difference in the lives of our students.
WE COULDN'T DO IT WITHOUT OUR AMAZING VOLUNTEERS!

TOGETHER, WE'RE MAKING LUNCHTIME THE BEST PART OF THE DAY AT ST. STEPHEN SCHOOL!

HSA SPOTLIGHT

SAVE THE DATES

11/20 -Bills Dress Down
11/20 -Raffle Tickets Due
11/21 -Meat Raffle
11/24 -Bills Dress Down
11/25 -Start of Thanksgiving Break

CURRENT FUNDRAISERS

- **Last chance for Share the Wealth Raffle tickets! There are 2 chances to win: Grand Prize is 30% of the total proceeds and second place is 20%!**
- Winning ticket holders do not need to be present at the drawing to claim their prize. Tickets are due to the office by Friday and the drawing will be held during the meat raffle.

SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

- Treat yourself to a fun night out without the kids and join our fabulous teachers at the SSS Meat Raffle this Saturday! Grab some friends, pack some snacks, and get ready to win some great prizes! We hope to see you there!

Keep up to date on HSA News by joining *REMIND*
Text @ssshsa to 81010

HSA Contact Email:
ststephenhsa@yahoo.com

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Baskets FOR OUR MEAT RAFFLE!



We're looking for donations of new items, gift cards, or themed baskets for our upcoming meat raffle!

Your generous donations help make this event a success and support St. Stephen School.

Any theme, any size, all donations are appreciated!

MEAT RAFFLE



Thank you for your support!

SHARE THE WEALTH RAFFLE

PRIZES

GRAND PRIZE: 30% OF TOTAL PROCEEDS

2ND PRIZE: 20% OF TOTAL PROCEEDS

REMAINING PROCEEDS WILL SUPPORT ST STEPHEN SCHOOL

Tickets
1 for $10
3 for $25

SAINT STEPHEN SCHOOL
Grand Island, NY

SCAN FOR TICKETS

DRAWING WILL BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 21ST AT 9PM AT ST. STEPHEN SCHOOL, 2080 BASELINE RD, GRAND ISLAND, NY 14072. MUST BE 18+ AND A NYS RESIDENT TO PURCHASE. TICKET HOLDER NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN. GC14-214-040-07348

Athletics
2026-2027



NOVEMBER

SPORTS GAMES



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Swim Meet 9:00	2	3 NO SCHOOL	4	5	6	7 Bowling Championship
8	9	10	11 NO SCHOOL	12	13	14 Free Throw Competition 10am
15 Swimming Championship	16	17	18	19	20	21 JV Boys Basketball 9:30am
22	23	24	25 NO SCHOOL	26 NO SCHOOL	27 NO SCHOOL	28
29	20					

To participate in any sports you *must* fill out a permission slip and pay the fee!

Athletics
2026-2027



NOVEMBER
SPORTS PRACTICES



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3 NO SCHOOL	4 Varsity BB 3:30-5 Swim Practice 5:30	5	6	7 Swim Practice 12:30
8	9	10 Varsity BB 3:30-5 JV BB 5:45-6:45	11 NO SCHOOL	12	13	14 Swim Practice 12:30
15	16	17 Varsity BB 3:30-5 JV BB 5:45-6:45	18 Varsity BB 3:30-5	19	20	21
22	23	24 Varsity BB 3:30-5 JV BB 5:45-6:45	25 NO SCHOOL	26 NO SCHOOL	27 NO SCHOOL	28
29	20					

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