

# Saint Michael School News

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Principal



## Important Dates

9/4 Back to School Night, 6:00-7:00  
9/9 PTO Meeting, 6:30  
ALL are welcome  
9/13 ½ Day, no aftercare  
9/13 MS Dance 6-9  
9/15 Catechetical Sunday, 9:30 All-school Mass, reception to follow at the school  
9/25 First Communion Parent Meeting, all grade 1 & 2 parents @ St. Joseph Parish Hall @ 7 PM  
9/29 Confirmation Class, grade 8  
9/30 Blue Mass, 7 PM  
10/9 Picture Day (attire-uniforms)

## Principal's News

We had a great first week back. It is wonderful to hear the sounds of happy voices filling the halls of SMS. The faculty and staff of SMS are looking forward to seeing all parents tomorrow night. **Back to school night will be on Wednesday, September 4 at 6:00 PM.** We look forward to seeing each of you there. This is an important night for parents to visit and learn about their child's upcoming year. Communication is key to everyone's success and this is the first step.

Please make sure you have read the handbook with your child and have returned the signed form. It is critical that all members of the SMS community are aware of the rules and expectations and follow them. Students not in compliance will be sent home.

Lunches should be ordered weekly online and are free. The link can be found on the parent page of [www.smsfr.org](http://www.smsfr.org). Please fill in your child's name, grade, and selections. If purchasing milk, you can send payment in an envelope.

School pictures will be done by Lifetouch on October 9. All students should wear their full uniform that day.

## PTO Corner

The SMS PTO is the parent organization of this school. They meet monthly on Monday nights (ordinarily the first Monday of each month at 6:30). Each parent is considered a member of this group and their participation in it is critical to the school's success. We look forward to see you at meetings and events. Your support is what makes SMS so special.

- Next Meeting, 9/9 @ 6:30

## Reminders

- CORI training is online at <https://fallriver.cmgconnect.org/>
- Drop off and pick up on Essex Street: **please stop your car before the crosswalk to allow people to cross in the crosswalk.** Please be mindful of students walking across the street as you drop off.
- School lunch is available everyday. Lunch is free and includes milk. **Please do not bring lunch from fast food restaurants.** Orders should be submitted through the parent page of the school website, [www.smsfr.org](http://www.smsfr.org).

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## SMS Mission

Saint Michael School is a Catholic community that provides a Christ-centered, learning environment, in which all students can reach their spiritual, academic, and social potential.

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**ST. MICHAEL CHURCH  
HOLY GHOST COMMITTEE**

*"Luau" Benefit Supper  
Tropical Attire Encouraged*

**When:** Saturday, September 28, 2019

**Time:** Dinner served at 6:00 PM

**Where:** Parish Hall, 189 Essex Street, Fall River, MA

Music Entertainment by D.J. and **MARC DENNIS**

Serving Take-Out from 4:00 PM-5:30 PM

Pork Loin or Shrimp Mozambique Tickets Available

**Donation:** Adults - \$25 Children: 10 and under - \$10

Tickets Available at the School Office

*25% of funds raised will be applied to your fundraising commitment*

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Please order tickets by Friday, September 13th

\*\*\*\*Please indicate if you will be dining in or taking out

**AND Choose Either:**

**Portuguese Pork Loin OR Shrimp Mozambique**

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

Number of **Adult** tickets \*\*\*\*dining in at \$25.00 each \_\_\_ Pork Loin or \_\_\_ Shrimp Mozambique

Number of **Child** tickets \*\*\*\*dining in at \$10.00 each \_\_\_ Pork Loin or \_\_\_ Shrimp Mozambique

Number of **Adult** tickets taking out at \$25.00 each from 4:00-5:30PM

\_\_\_ Portuguese Pork Loin or \_\_\_ Shrimp Mozambique

Number of **Child** tickets taking out at \$10.00 each from 4:00-5:30PM

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