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Thank you to the Moms for all that you do!

St. Madeleine Sophie’s Center
Let us show our love towards our dear mothers for the respect, devotion, kindness, and caring they gave to their children throughout the years. We are grateful for their sweet love!

Sunday, May 8, 2022
With Love on Mother's Day
BY: MR. JOHN AGOSTINI

Andre & Colette Gerard
Michael & Karen Mercadante
Aidan & Mary Grant
Chandra & Viki Deal
Katie & Karen Ellison
Kelsey & Lorraine Wammack
Rachel Guerrero & Laura Underwood
Laura & Paula Sloan
Cal, Eldora & Becky Williams
Jackson & Patricia Kepic
Triton team mates, Katie Ellison and Coleen Baucom at the pool!

I love having a smoothie, especially with my Grandmother! There are so many enjoyable recipes to make different kinds of smoothies and you can enjoy them by drinking them in a glass or eating them in a bowl. Smoothies are made of different items like milk, fruits, nuts, and seeds, and ice to make it cold. Mix them in a blender and enjoy a refreshing and healthy snack!

https://feelgoodfoodie.net/recipe/feelgood-smoothie-bowls/

The Triton’s had their first swim meet on Saturday, April 9th in the SMSC pool. All Triton team members did an excellent job and took home many 1st, 2nd and 3rd place ribbons! The next swim meet will be with S4EA on Saturday, July 23rd. The date of the Triton Family Fun Meet has not been determined but will be held at SMSC’s Aquatic Center.

Coleen Baucom competed in the butterfly, the most difficult swim stroke to learn and perform!
Kyle Cooprider is a prolific artist who specializes in expressive portraits using markers to create line and texture in his work. Studying painting with Ken Goldman at the Athenaeum for 20 years, he was encouraged to improve his technical skills while maintaining his self-taught vision. Goldman said, "Kyle is loved by his fellow artists." He added, "Since he can no longer attend classes, his squeaky markers are missed by all!" After decades of painting, he has developed a recognizable style of bold and colorful pieces using the moniker Vinci Van Kyle. He identifies with Vincent Van Gogh - as painters they share a lively color palette, a deep passion for art, and both men have endured tragic events in their lifetimes. Kyle’s life was forever changed when he sustained a traumatic brain injury in an automobile accident years ago. Kyle transcended his injury to discover an artistic gift and a unique style of art that he loves to share with others!
John Agostini

DREAM IT... DO IT!

"It feels like a dream come true," John remarked about being back at St. Madeleine’s. "I love seeing my fellow students and the staff" he added. "St. Madeleine’s holds the key to our future!" John was excited to hear that his painting of Marilyn Monroe was chosen for the 2022 Haute with Heart Fashion Show: Diamonds are a Girl’s Best Friend. He is even more excited to wear a tuxedo to the event! Over the years John’s artwork has been used for many of SMSC's fashion show invitations including his paintings of actresses Lucille Ball, Elizabeth Taylor, and Susan Hayward to name a few. Offering encouragement to his friends at SMSC, John said, "Believe everything is possible and remember you are gifted by God. Dream it, Do it!"
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Cultural Corner
EXPLORING DIVERSITY
Cinco de Mayo

May 5, 2022

A celebration of the Mexican victory over French forces at the Battle of Puebla, on May 5, 1862!
Happy Birthday!

MAY 2022

Steven Bartholomew
Diane Baer
Heather Brewer
Stephan Bruening
Elmer Buck
Jerry Burch
Melissa Corrao
Emily Cunningham
Sara Elias
Owen Godfrey
Dong Han
Luis Herrera
Austin Hiscock
Kristian Huerta
William Lane
Felicia Laverdiere
Virginia Lippold
Nicole Lumpkin
Amy Lodewyks
Benjamin Mason
Michael Mercadante
Samir O'Brien
Jessica Pena
Paul Prutzman
Karina Reid
Paul Rioux
Lisa Rowin
Tiffany Simpson
Salvatore Sottile
Roberto Suarez
Anne Thunder
Richard Van Nuis
Gabrielle Vargas
Cameron Vega-Brightenburg
Cali Williams
May 2nd Alfredo pasta w/garden salad & garlic bread
May 3rd Popcorn chicken bowl
May 4th Philly cheese steak sandwich, parmesan garlic fries
May 5th Barbacoa tacos w/rice & black beans
May 6th Pizza w/Caesar salad

May 9th Chicken marsala over angel hair pasta, side Caesar salad
May 10th Pork adobo w/potatoes & roasted carrots
May 11th Greek gyro sandwich w/chips & pickle
May 12th Mexican beef stew over steamed rice
May 13th Pizza w/pasta Salad

May 16th Shrimp fajitas w/black beans & cilantro lime rice
May 17th Eggplant parmesan, buttered noodles, side salad
May 18th Egg roll bowl over steamed white rice
May 19th Grilled Jamaican jerk chicken over Cajun rice & beans
May 20th Pizza w/garden salad

May 23rd Rolled tacos w/ refried beans & Spanish rice
May 24th Meatball sub sandwich w/pasta salad
May 25th Balsamic grilled chicken over garlic mashed potatoes, green beans
May 26th Teriyaki pork over steamed rice with carrots & broccoli
May 27th Pizza w/cucumber tomato salad

May 30th Holiday closed Memorial Day
May 31st BBQ cheeseburgers w/ onions Rings
MEMORIAL DAY
REMEMBER & HONOR!

MAY 30. 2022

Memorial Day is a federal holiday observed on the last Monday of May, to honor the men and women who have died while serving in the military.

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IN HONOR OF THE HOLIDAY