

St. Mary Family and School  
Organization (FSO)

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## Get ready for the SMS Dance (Mini-) Marathon!

Many US universities host dance marathons each year to raise money for charity. For example, Penn State University students participate in a 46 hour dance marathon and raise millions of dollars for medical research.

This year, SMS students will also be dancing to raise money for FSO. (But it won't be 46 hours! We have structured the event to minimize out-of-classroom time.) The SMS Dance Mini-Marathon will take place on May 1. Every student will have an opportunity to dance and raise money.

Look for more information to be sent home soon!

Feel free to contact us via our FSO email address:  
[FSO@stmarybg.org](mailto:FSO@stmarybg.org)

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# UPCOMING EVENTS



## Spring Fundraiser

On May 1 all SMS Students will participate in a Dance Mini-Marathon to raise money for St. Mary FSO.

FSO funds many programs at SMS including re-enrollment t-shirts, end-of-year Field Day and first day of school ice cream social. FSO also provides fund for educational programs such as the learning garden and STEM class supplies.

Please help make our spring fundraiser a success!

## We Need You!

The FSO has many opportunities throughout the year to give back to our wonderful school. For the 2017–2018 school year, we also have several key positions that we are looking to fill. No experience needed. We welcome anyone who is willing to help!

Needed for 2017–2018 school year:

- School Store Coordinator
- FSO Secretary
- FSO Treasurer
- FSO VP of School Events

Contact us at [FSO@stmarybg.org](mailto:FSO@stmarybg.org) if you are interested or would like to learn more!



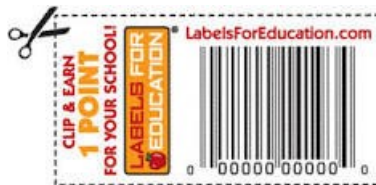
*The next FSO Meeting is Tuesday April 4 at 7pm in the Lunchroom.*

*All are welcome to attend!*

# THERE ARE SO MANY WAYS YOU CAN HELP SMS!



Clip the 10¢ Box Tops coupons from participating products. Place the Box Tops coupons in the bins located in the school office, school store, and Church vestibule.



Only UPCs with the Labels for Education logo will be accepted as this program is winding down. Place the UPCs in the Box Tops bins located in the school office, school store, and Church vestibule.

**Note: This program, is ending Aug 1, 2017 so bring in those labels!**



Cartridges for Kids donates money to schools in exchange for used electronics.

Bring in your used printer ink cartridges and earn money for SMS!

**NOTE: This program is ending June 4, 2017**

*Check out the FSO webpage for more fundraising programs!*