

From the Desk of Mrs. Jaster

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APPLE OF MY EYE: Congratulations to the first "Apple of My Eye" winners of the school year: Jake Warga, Harry Brookreson, Jackson Kiss, Nina Tkach and Gianna Speranza.

SERVICE CORPS INSTALLATION: Our new Service Corps officers and classroom representatives will be installed following the 9am Mass on Friday, October 6th. All are welcome to join us!

President: Gianna Anzideo
Vice – President: Juliana Tulio
Secretary: Alyssa Wade
Treasurer: Haley Stefanik
Ex-Officio: Jake Zook
Pre – K: Gianna Anzideo

K100: Jackson Kiss and Luke Panepresso
K102: Haley Stefanik and Alyssa Wade
Grade 1: Jake Zook and Mairead McDermott
Grade 2: Grace Shepherd and Hailey McDevitt
Grade 3: Meghan Prior and Molly Suter
Grade 4: Harry Davies and Andrew Lyons
Grade 5: Julia Newlin and Sofia Mazzerella
Grade 6: Karey Dawn Williamson and Alyssa Slubowski
Grade 7: Gianna Speranza and Allison Alexander
Grade 8: Tim Clift and Hannah Buckleman

FIREFIGHTERS' VISIT: The Warrington Fire Company will be coming to visit us on Wednesday, October 11th! Children in Pre – K through Grade 2 will have a chance to see the fire engine up close and hear about fire safety.



HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION:

See flyers in this week's communication.

FROM THE ADVANCEMENT DIRECTOR:



Advanced Technology Continues to Highlight SJR

For our new families, I wanted to share the vast cutting-edge technology that is an integral part of the school day to enrich the ways in which our faculty teach and students' learn. Currently, our students enjoy the use of 54 iPads, 52 Chromebooks, 26 Surface 2 Tablets with keyboard covers, and an interactive Smartboard in each classroom. This summer the school added a Smartboard in the Library and Art room. In addition, we have 2 Smart activity tables in our Early Childhood Program.



the Lord!

ALTAR SERVERS: Any student from St. Robert Parish who is interested in becoming an altar server (grade 4 and up) are asked to contact the parish office. The first training will take place on Wednesday October 11th. This is a wonderful way to be of service to the parish community – and to grow closer to



OKTOBERFEST: As part of St. Robert's parish Golden Jubilee year, Oktoberfest will be celebrated on Sunday October 15th. Volunteers are needed to help set up for the event. Sign-up sheets may be found in the narthex of the church after the weekend

Masses.

- **Polish Foods:** Volunteers are needed to help cook the Polish food for the Oktoberfest. Cooking will take place on Friday, October 13th from 8am – 4pm in the kitchen in Monsignor Marley Hall. If you are able/willing to assist, please contact Mrs. Dottie Prior at priors8@yahoo.com or 215-260-3603.



PARISH DIRECTORY: St. Robert parish is sponsoring a Parish Directory as part of the parish Jubilee celebration. Families interested in participating in this may find the following information useful:

PHOTOGRAPHY DATES

Thursday-Monday, November 2-6
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Friday-Sunday, November 24-26
Weekday Hours: 2 to 9 p.m.
Saturday Hours: 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Sunday Hours: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

- Discounts for Seniors, Military or EMS
 - \$5 Give Back coupon if you bring a canned good for the parish ministry
 - \$10 Thank You coupon
 - Early Bird Drawing if you sign up by October 15:
Win 1 of 2 \$50 portrait certificates
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YOUNG REMBRANDTS: See flyer in this week's communication for sign-ups for new sessions.

JUST A THOUGHT: We began our in – service days this week with prayer. Our prayer for Tuesday was one of my favorites – and I thought it was worth sharing with all of you:



May today there be peace within you.

May you find that you are exactly where you are meant to be.

May you not forget the infinite possibilities that are born of faith in yourself and others.

*May you use the gifts you have received,
and pass on the love that has been given to you.*

May you be content with yourself just the way you are.

*Let this knowledge settle into your bones, and allow your soul
the freedom to sing, dance, praise, and love.*

It is there for each and every one of us.

Amen.

St. Therese of Lisieux

SJR SCHOOL:
Focused on Faith and Learning

Home and School Association News and Notes



The 2nd Annual SJR Trunk or Treat will be held Friday, October 27th. What is it? It's SJR's newest tradition—a fun Halloween party for the whole family. Decorate your car, put on your costume, hang out with friends...it's that simple. Check our Facebook page for pictures of last year's event. (google or pinterest "trunk or treat" for ideas or to see what a trunk or treat event is like)

LAST CHANCE! Kid Stuff Coupon Book sale continues through tomorrow, October 5th—please consider buying one (or more) to help raise money for our school.

Our next Spirit Night event is Tuesday, October 24th at Chick-Fil-A.

Volunteers still needed: check previous week's communications to sign-up.



Attention Facebook users: join us at *SJR Home and School Association* for updates, questions, pictures and more!

2ND ANNUAL SJR TRUNK OR TREAT

A Halloween celebration for the whole family!

When: Friday October 27th

Time: 5:30-7 p.m. (setup can begin as early as 4 pm)

Where: SJR School parking lot

Prizes will be awarded for Best Costumes, Trunks, and Creativity!

SJR students and their families are invited to decorate their trunks, wear costumes and trick or treat while viewing decorated cars in the school parking lot. Cost is \$10 per family. Please fill out the registration below so that we have a general idea of how many “treaters” there will be and also how many parking spots we will need. **This is not a “drop off” event.** Children should be accompanied by an adult.

NEW THIS YEAR!

Dinner available—pre-order a Hotdog, chips, and water for only \$2 per meal. Please indicate below how many you would like and add \$2 per meal ordered. Limited amount available for sale the night of the event

“Celebrity” Judges to judge costumes and determine winners of best decorated trunks.

Electricity!—if your trunk decoration requires electricity, there will be a limited number (10-12) of spaces available for an additional \$5. First come first serve. Must provide own extension cords.

For additional information or to reserve a spot for your decorated vehicle, you can also contact Brian Zook at brianzook@comcast.net

Family Name: _____ **# of kids “treating”** _____

Email (for confirmation and car #): _____

of Hot Dog Dinners _____

Total enclosed (\$10 per car, \$2 per meal, \$5 for elec. if needed): _____

Please return form and money (checks payable to SJR HSA) to: Brian Zook c/o Molly, grade 5



Young Rembrandts

For ages 5-14

Drawing Classes for kids

at ST. JOSEPH ST. ROBERT

Our Students Can Expect

- A new exciting lesson every week
- Improved core art skills
- To have fun!

Our Parents Can Expect

- Increased attention to detail
- Improved fine motor skills
- Discipline, persistence, and patience

Classes Held

Thursday

3:15 PM - 4:15 PM

10/26/2017 - 11/30/2017

(No class 11/23)



Tuition

\$70

for a 5 Week Session



Payment Options

**MAIL IN ENROLLMENT or
ENROLL ONLINE at**

www.youngrembrandts.com/buxmont-pa

Young Rembrandts

412 Goodwin Rd

Hatboro, Pa. 19040

Ph: 215-675-8878

Fax: 215-394-5752



TO ENROLL: Submit your completed registration form to Young Rembrandts, 412 Goodwin Rd., Hatboro, PA 19040. Once submitted your child is automatically enrolled unless you are notified otherwise. Save your time and a stamp. **ENROLL ONLINE at:** www.youngrembrandts.com/buxmont-pa. Young Rembrandts provides all classroom supplies and a trained instructor. Classes are held immediately after school. Parents are responsible for transportation at class end. Dismissal begins 5 to 10 minutes after our class ends.

Student Name First _____ Last _____	School ST. JOSEPH ST. ROBERT Start Date 10/26/2017
Parent Name _____	Class Day Thursday Class Time 3:15 PM - 4:15 PM
Address _____	May we use your child's drawing in our promotional materials? [] Yes [] No
City _____ State _____ Zip _____	May we photograph/video your child in class? [] Yes [] No
Email Address _____	<i>I also understand all personal absences are forfeited.</i>
Grade _____ Birth Date _____ Teacher _____	Signature _____
Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____	I would like information about being a Parent Volunteer (FREE tuition!) [] Yes [] No
Cell Phone _____ Emergency Phone _____	Make check payable to Young Rembrandts and include your child's name and school on the check. We accept MasterCard and Visa.
My child will: [] be picked up [] walk home [] other _____	Card Expiration _____ [] MC [] Visa Security code _____
Credit Card Number _____ / _____ / _____ / _____	Signature _____ Date _____
Name _____ (as it appears on the card)	[] Charge my account in full [] Charge my account monthly Amount: _____



NEON NIGHT DANCE

WHO: ALL 6TH, 7TH, & 8TH GRADERS

WHEN: FRIDAY OCTOBER 20, 2017
7PM-10PM

WHERE: VILLA JOSEPH MARIE H.S. GYM

WHY: HELP RAISE MONEY FOR PEDIATRIC CANCER
TICKETS \$10

TEXT @ftkdance TO 81010 TO REGISTER

Body paint, temporary tattoos, water, & pretzels \$1

All proceeds benefit Villa's Mini-THON for the Four Diamonds!

**** PLEASE DRESS APPROPRIATELY ****

Questions? Contact Stephanie McCarthy at smccarthy@vjmhs.org