




Apple of My Eye

Congratulations to the latest "Apple of My Eye" winners of the school year:

 Emma Bontempo

 William Fuller

 Luke Hoffman

 Angella Kiss

 Nate Peddicord

Monday, November 5 is Picture Day!

Forms were sent home last week and should be returned with the children on Monday, November 5th.



HALLOWEEN CANDY COLLECTION

We will be collecting an extra Halloween candy on Friday November 2nd. Donations may be sent directly in to school.



From the Desk of Mrs. Jaster



Oct. 31, 2018

Gentle Reminders

Thursday, Nov. 1

All Saints Day – holyday – no school

Friday, Nov. 2

First Friday (All Souls Day) Mass 9am, Grade 3 Saints presentation, Pizza lunch, **Winter uniforms begin!** Treats for Troops collection

Saturday, Nov. 3

Daylight Savings time ends.

Sunday, Nov. 4

Sacrament Sunday for all grade 3 parents – 1pm at St. Robert's School Picture Day!

Monday, Nov. 5

Friday, Nov. 9th

Walkathon!!! See info in this week's e-folder

Home & School Happenings

Thank you to everyone who participated in our Third Annual Trunk or Treat last Friday evening! What a wonderful time for families to gather and share some fun.

Thank you, too, to the parent organizers of the grade 5&6 Halloween Dance. Everyone had a great time!

Parent
+
Teacher
=
Educated
Child



**St. Joseph/St. Robert School :
A 2018 National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence!**



From the Advancement Director:

Early Childhood Registration for families of St. Robert Bellarmine Parish and St. Joseph Parish begins Monday, November 12th.

Registered parishioners of St. Robert Bellarmine Parish or St. Joseph Parish may begin to register on Monday, November 12th. Families can call the school to schedule an appointment to tour/complete registration.

New Family Open House & Early Childhood Enrollment

Our annual Fall Open House for new families will be held on Sunday, November 18th from 10:00 am – 1:00 pm and again on Tuesday, November 20th from 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm. After November 20th, families may call the school to schedule an appointment to complete registration. Registration for new families with children in Grades 1st through 8th will begin in February.

SJR SCHOOL –

Focused on Faith and Learning

Spotlight on Kindness: This week, our Service Corps will participate in a favorite Service Activity. They will bring a card and a plant to the homes of parishioners who have lost a loved one during the past year. The children always speak of this as one of their cherished memories!



Just a Thought:



This week's gospel reading for the feast of All Saints contains the passage: ***"Blessed are the peacemakers for they shall be called Children of God."***

Now, more than ever, I pray that our children have models in their lives of true peacemakers. Each day seems to bring new examples of anger and hate.

Let's consciously choose words and actions to demonstrate charity to and for all!





HSA Happenings

A BIG THANK YOU to Brian Zook for a successful Trunk or Treat, and Kristi Brennan for a fun 5th and 6th grade Halloween Dance!!

11/9 – Walk-A-Thon-If you would like to be a part of the committee please e-mail Kate at kategoaldan@gmail.com

Please get those pledges in!! We made it easier to send the information out to family and friends, please pass it along - <https://www.grouprev.com/sjwalkathon2018>

11/16-Blue Ribbon Mass/Ceremony/Open House

11/18-Mother/Daughter Event – School cafeteria

11/20-Spirit Night at Red Robin

We are looking for volunteers to assist with the teacher's luncheons. Let me know if you are interested -mdm1106@aol.com

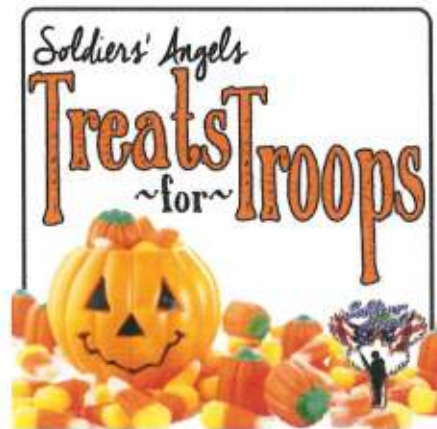


Bring in your unwanted or donated candy for SJR's Soldiers' Angels Treats for Troops Halloween Candy drive! Not only will you be serving the community by getting rid of excess candy from, but also serving our service members, wounded heroes, and veterans.

For families with too much candy in your home, this is your opportunity to support a good cause!

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**ADVERTISE IN THE WIZARD OF OZ JR. PROGRAM BOOK!
PROMOTE YOUR BUSINESS OR SEND A WISH TO A CAST
MEMBER! ALL ADS CAN BE USED FOR CAST WISHES!**

**AD DUE DATE:
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5**

PRICING: (PLEASE CIRCLE)
FULL PAGE AD: \$75
HALF PAGE AD: \$50
BUSINESS CARD AD: \$25

RETURN FORM TO LAUREN KULP C/O KEEGAN KULP GRADE 2

Yes! Please include me in the 2018 Thespians Program Book!

Name _____

Email _____

**Electronic copies of ads should be emailed to sjrthespians@gmail.com
All checks made payable to SJR**



**ST. JOSEPH / ST. ROBERT SCHOOL
THESPIANS CLUB PRESENTS
THE WIZARD OF OZ!**

SHOW DATE:
DECEMBER 1, 2018 AT 2:00 PM

LOCATION:
**ARCHBISHOP WOOD HIGH SCHOOL
WARMINSTER, PA**

TICKETS:
\$10 FOR ADULTS, \$5 FOR CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER

**PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS TODAY BY VISITING
WWW.STJSTR.ORG OR FILL OUT REQUEST FORM BELOW**

**QUESTIONS? CONTACT LAUREN KULP AT
LMKULP11@GMAIL.COM**

NAME: _____ TICKET QUANTITY: _____ PAYMENT _____

EMAIL FOR TICKETS : _____

SJR Home and School Annual Walkathon

November 9, 2018

(Rain date November 16, 2018)

It is time to get ready for our Annual Walkathon, a major fundraiser for our Home and School Association and a fun tradition for our students. As most of you know, the Home and School Association is a wonderful partnership of administration, faculty and school families that helps provide enrichment to the SJR experience. All of the proceeds from the Walkathon are deposited directly into the HSA account and are used to fund activities and programs for your children.

Children in grades Pre-K-8 will assemble at 1:00 p.m. in the schoolyard and then walk through the Palomino Farms neighborhood. Family members are welcome to meet the children in the schoolyard and walk with the SJR students..

In addition to a fun day for our school community, we have some incentives to encourage you to participate in our fundraising efforts:

\$25.00/family in pledges – Dress Down Day (Date TBD)

\$75.00/family in pledges – one SJR tailgate chair
(Dress Down Day also included at this level)

****The family that collects the most money in donations will win 4 front row seats to our very own theatrical masterpiece,
*The Wizard of Oz*****

**** Of course, any and all pledges are welcome ****

Use the "sponsor form" to record your pledges. Pledge money can be returned to Kate Gozdan c/o Patrick – grade 7. All money is due by Wednesday, November 21st and checks can be made payable to SJR HSA.

If you prefer to donate via a secure online site, or wish to share this fundraising opportunity with others, please use the following link:

<https://www.grouprev.com/SJRwalkathon2018>

Please contact Kate Gozdan at 484-368-9638 or kategozdan@gmail.com with any questions.

We hope that everyone is able to support this year's Walkathon in some way. We are looking forward to a safe, sunny and very successful outing!!

**Permission Slip
Walkathon for Catholic Education**

Dear Parents and Students,

It is time for our Annual Walkathon for Catholic Education.

Date: Friday, November 9, 2018 (rain date November 16, 2017)

Time: Grades Pre-K – 8, 1:15 p.m.

Place: Residential area surrounding school; starts in the school parking lot

Please return this portion of the form to school no later than November 5, 2018.

Waiver: In consideration of the furtherance of the purposes and objectives of the Pennsylvania Committee Walkathon for Catholic Education and in consideration of your permitting me to participate in the Walkathon for Catholic Education, on behalf of myself waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages, especially against the Walkathon Committee, as well as any other person or organization connected with the Walkathon, for any and all injuries arising out of the Walkathon.

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____

Names/Grades/Room Numbers of Students participating in the Walkathon:

ANY STUDENT NOT RECEIVING WRITTEN PERMISSION FOR THIS WALKATHON WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO LEAVE THE SCHOOL PROPERTY.

