

From the Desk of Mrs. Jaster

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APPLE OF MY EYE: Congratulations to the first students who were recognized for doing something good: Ryan Byrne, Kayla Emberson, Angella Kiss, Chase Wray and Amanda Messina.

PARENT CONFERENCES: Parent conference times are being sent home today for the students in grades PreK – grade 6. The students in grades 7 & 8 use a different model.



FORTY HOURS DEVOTIONS: St. Joseph parish will be celebrating Forty Hours devotions beginning on Sunday, October 18th. The children who will be receiving their First Holy Communion at St. Joseph church are asked to attend the recitation of the rosary on Monday evening beginning at 7:30pm.

FROM OUR DIRECTOR OF ADVANCEMENT:

Early Childhood Registration for families of St. Robert Bellarmine Parish and St. Joseph Parish begins Monday, November 2nd



This year registered families of St. Robert Bellarmine Parish or St. Joseph Parish will have the privilege of priority registration beginning **Monday, November 2nd**. **Families can call the school to schedule a convenient time the week of November 2nd (Monday – Friday) between 9 am – 3 pm 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 8th from 10:00 am – 1:00 pm** and again on **Wednesday, November 11th from 9:00 am – 12:00 Noon**. Open enrollment for non-parishioners to register their children for Pre-K and Kindergarten will begin on **November 8th**. After this date, 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.

Please share the invitation included in this week's communication with your family and friends. We are the enthusiastic "voices" that bring new families to our school.



HOME AND SCHOOL NEWS: Important dates:

- **Friday, October 16:** 2nd Annual Bingo Bonanza. Tickets are available now – and going quickly! Don't miss out!
- **Kidstuff and Yankee Candle** returns are due by Friday, October 16th. Thank you for any support you can manage!
- **See HSA Notes!**



The **Yankee Candle Fundraiser** ends this Friday, October 16th. See flyer for more information on ordering. For questions please contact Kathleen Rosenello at kathleen314@aol.com.



PAN – CAN DRESS DOWN DAY: On Monday, October 19th, the children may dress down for a dollar donation. All monies will go to support the Pancreatic Cancer Walk. Alex Corey, grade 4 walks each year in memory of her mother. Many thanks to Julia and Emma Yogis for supplying ribbons to all who participate in the Dress Down.



SJR IS ON TWITTER! : We have joined Twitter! Be sure to follow us @SjrSchool! We are #SJR Proud!

WINTER UNIFORMS: The children will be required to wear their formal winter uniforms beginning on Monday, November 2nd. Please be sure that the children have the uniforms ready to wear on that date.



COLD AND FLU SEASON: The change of seasons is a good time to remind everyone of the following:

- If a child has a fever and we call the parents, the child must go home. If parents are unable to pick up the child, other plans must be put into place. This is not only to benefit the child who is sick but all of their classmates.
- If a child is home with a fever, they must be fever-free for 24 hours without the use of any fever-reducing medications before returning to school.

PRE-CANA: The Pre-Cana team at St. Robert's is looking for married couples to join our ministry. There are 2 sessions a year, in March and November. The one-day sessions are part of the marriage preparation required to be married in the Catholic Church and is run by married couples in the parish under the guidance of Father Stokely. If you have any interest in being a part of the team or even have questions about what it entails, please contact Brian and/or Colleen Zook at brianzook@comcast.net or 267-483-8409.

JUST A THOUGHT: Recently, I came across this list of *Things Every Child Needs to Hear*. The author stated that children need to hear these words regularly, not just "feel" them. In addition, the article included some thoughts about whether or not the list was complete.

Seven Things Every Child Needs to Hear:

1. I love you.
2. I am proud of you.
3. I'm sorry.
4. I forgive you.
5. I'm listening.
6. This is your responsibility.
7. You've got what it takes!

What do you think?



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HSA NOTES

Yankee Candle

Order packets are due this Friday, October 16. Online orders can continued to made through the calendar year. Contact Kathleen Rosenello with questions kathleen314@aol.com

Kidstuff

The coupon book orders are due this Friday, October 16. If you are not purchasing a book, please return the one you received. Contact Colleen Welte crw317@yahoo.com with any questions.

5th & 6th grade Hayride

Is October 23. Forms were due Monday, October 12. Please contact Coleen Welte crw317@yahoo.com

Bingo Bonanza

Ladies, Bingo is this Friday at 7:00, tickets are just about sold out. Contact Daiana Fuller fullerfamily1999@gmail.com

All Prospective Families are cordially invited to visit:



St. Joseph/St. Robert School

- *Offering education to grades Pre-K through 8th
- *Options for five half day or full day Pre-K and Kindergarten
- *Faith based values integrated into education and activities
- *Challenging curriculum based on *Common Core State Standards*
- *Innovative use of technology including SMART Boards, Surface Tablets and iPads in all grades
- *Specialty teachers for weekly Spanish, Library, Technology, Art, Music & Physical Education in all grades

OPEN HOUSE & EARLY CHILDHOOD REGISTRATION

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Information/Enrollment Requirements: 215.343.5100 or [www. STJSTR.ORG](http://www.STJSTR.ORG)
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IMPORTANT DATES

Sale starts: October 2nd

Sale ends: October 16th ****All orders & money must be returned NO LATER THAN the ending date. ****

MONEY COLLECTION

Please collect all money while taking orders.

Checks should be made payable to: **SJR HSA**

3 WAYS TO ORDER

1. **CATALOG** - Share the catalog with family, friends and co-workers. Fill out order form and **KEEP** the **PINK COPY** and **RETURN** the **YELLOW AND WHITE COPIES**.
2. **WEBSITE** - Create a Seller's Login on the website, www.yankeecandlefundraising.com, and invite friends and family to shop online. **Our group # is 990085509.**
3. **MOBILE APP** - Create a Seller's Longin on the mobile app (or use one you create on the website), **Yankee Fundraising**, and invite friends and family to shop on the app.

Detailed instructions were sent home in the fundraising packet. Any questions, please contact **Kathleen Rosenello** at kathleen314@aol.com .



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Classes Held

Thursday

3:15 PM - 4:15 PM

11/5/2015 - 12/3/2015

(No class 11/26)



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\$55

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Young Rembrandts

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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.

Student Name First _____ Last _____ School **St Joseph/St Robert** Start Date **11/5/2015**

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 also understand all personal absences are forfeited.**

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**

My child will: [] be picked up [] walk home [] other _____ **school on the check. We accept MasterCard and Visa.**

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(as it appears on the card) [] Charge my account in full [] Charge my account monthly Amount: _____