

From the Desk of Mrs. Jaster

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APPLE OF MY EYE: Congratulations to the “Apple of My Eye” winners for the week! These children are celebrated for being “caught doing something good”: Jenna Butler, Michael Darcy, Kaylee Chesla, Alyssa Slubowski and Daniel Speranza.



PARENT CONFERENCES: Dates/times for the upcoming parent conferences have been sent home. If you have not received information regarding the date/time of your conference, please contact your child’s teacher. These conferences are for the students in Pre-K through grade 6. Students and parents in grades 7 & 8 use a different model.

- Because of the conferences, we will dismiss at 12noon on Thursday, October 27th so that afternoon and evening conferences can take place. All buses will be available at the noon dismissal. In addition, there is no school for the children on Friday, October 28th for the completion of the conferences.
- CARES will be available until 6pm on October 27th only if we have enough families to participate.



DRESS UNIFORMS: Our dress uniform must be worn beginning on Wednesday, November 2nd. However, please know that the dress uniform may be worn throughout the school year. The “summer uniform” is simply an option.

BINGO BONANZA DRESS DOWN DAY: All families who contributed to our Bingo Bonanza Baskets may dress down on Friday, October 21.



YEARBOOK COVER CONTEST: Calling all artists! Students are welcome to submit an entry for our Yearbook Cover Contest. The contest opens on Monday, October 17th and closes Monday, November 7th. Entries must be 8 1/2" x 11". Our theme is “SJR – Focused on Faith and Learning”.



HOME AND SCHOOL NEWS:

- **Chick-fil-a Spirit Night:** SJR is sponsoring a Spirit Night at the Chick-fil-a in Warrington on October 25th.
- **Trunk of Treat!:** Our first – ever event like this! Join us on Friday evening, October 28th for the fun. (Check out the SJR Home and School Facebook page for some great ideas and also see flyer in this week's e-folder for more information)
- **Dads Night Out:** Some of our SJR Dads will be gathering at Mike's York Street to watch the Eagles/Cowboys game on Sunday evening, October 30th. Interested? Please contact Ed Dixon, father of Maggie in Kindergarten.
- **SCHOOL DIRECTORIES:** The school directories are in and they look fabulous! A Huge Thank You goes out to Kim Junod who put much time and effort into creating the book for us. They will be coming home today/tomorrow for those who are paid members of the Home & School Association. Please know it is not too late to become a member. Just fill out the form in this week's e-folder and send it in marked HSA Dues. Thanks for your support!
- Keeping in mind our annual Walk-a-thon is taking place in November and we are just wrapping up Kid Stuff Books, in an effort to not overwhelm our families, we were going to postpone our Yankee Candle fund raiser to the spring. However, many families have expressed interest in the Yankee Candle to give as Christmas presents so we have decided to go ahead with it in the fall. Please do NOT feel obligated to participate. Information will be sent home either today or tomorrow if you have not received it yet.
- Oops! Due to a computer glitch a few families were inadvertently missed from our directory. Please print off the insert below and keep it with your directory. We apologize for this oversight.
- **Clothing Drive:** In cooperation with our Service Corps, we are continuing the clothing drive they have started and extending it until Nov. 7th. This includes clothing, shoes, accessories, household items (including pots), toys (hard toys must fit in a 24 x 24 box). www.clothingdrive.net. Please contact [Pauline Lyons2001@yahoo.com](mailto:Pauline_Lyons2001@yahoo.com) or [267-885-9492](tel:267-885-9492). All donations should be brought to school Monday Nov. 7th by 9 am. Thank you for your continued support.



SERVICE CORPS NEWS:

- **GENTLY USED CLOTHING DRIVE:** The Service Corps is collecting gently-used items of clothing until October 26th. If you have several bags to donate, could you please send them/drop them off on Wednesdays? Service Corps members will be available to assist you and then move them to their storage spot. Thank you in advance!
- **CUPCAKES FOR THE CURE:** Baked Goods will be sold at lunch on Thursday for \$.50 each. Proceeds will be donated to cancer research.

FROM OUR ADVANCEMENT DIRECTOR:

Early Childhood Registration for families of St. Robert Bellarmine Parish and St. Joseph Parish begins Monday, November 7th

Registered families of St. Robert Bellarmine Parish or St. Joseph Parish will have the privilege of registration beginning Monday, November 7th. Families can call the school to schedule a convenient time the week of November 7th (Monday – Friday) between 9:00 am – 2:00 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 13th from 10:00 am – 1:00 pm and again on Thursday, November 17th from 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm. Open enrollment for non-parishioners to register their children for Pre-K and Kindergarten will begin on November 13th. After this date, families may call the school to schedule an appointment to complete registration.

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

"Open Gym & Play" – Join the Fun on Monday, October 24th

"Open Gym & Play", a playgroup for young children to come together to play, and make new friends will be held again on Monday, October 24th. All children ages 6 and under are welcome, accompanied by an adult. Families do not have to be members of the school or parish to participate. Last week we had 16 adults and 19 kids playing in the gym. The playgroup gathers from 12:00 Noon – 1:30 pm at St. Robert Bellarmine Gym. Please spread the word & invite your friends.

MILK AND PRETZEL: Milk and Pretzel orders are due on Wednesday, October 26th.
Milk - \$16.50 and Pretzel - \$10.20 ~ no late orders accepted.



THANK YOU! : Our school community raised over \$250 to support Pancreatic Cancer research through our dress down day this week. The monies will go to Alexa Corey, grade 4, who participates in the PanCan Walk each year in memory of her mother.

KID'S GYM: We Rock the Spectrum Kids Gym NE Philly is a sensory gym for ALL children. The equipment in the gym, which includes a trampoline and zip line, is occupation therapy equipment which helps children with special needs. We have an arts and crafts section, pretend section and a tween/teen room for older kids. We offer open play, memberships, respite care, classes and birthday parties/private playdates.

Pennsylvanians for Human Life: We will welcome Mrs. Martha Short from PHL to speak to our 7th and 8th grade students on Tuesday, October 25th. Mrs. Short will be speaking on the value of human life from conception to natural death.

JUST A THOUGHT: Don't you love the season of Autumn? I found this quote that is a wonderful reminder for me:

"The trees are about to show us how lovely it is to let dead things
go."
(Maya Elious)

Nature has a wonderful way of reminding us
of the importance of letting go – and letting God!



SJR SCHOOL:
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Cresswell: Mckinley PreK

Shannon & Jason Cresswell

2145 Pinto Road

Warrington PA 18976

mother Email: jnscrees@comcast.net

mother Cell Phone: 215-262-7396

mother Home Phone: 215-262-7396

father Email: jcresswell@cbsd.org

father Cell Phone: 215-262-7600

father Home Phone: 215-262-7396

Lynette: Rowan PreK

Rachelle & Andrew Lynette

932 Worthington Drive

Warminster PA 18974

mother Email: shellyz4@yahoo.com

mother Cell Phone: 215-804-8140

mother Work Phone: 215-420-5912

mother Home Phone: 215-394-5651

father Email: adlynette@yahoo.com

father Cell Phone: 215-804-8151

father Work Phone: 215-335-5656

father Home Phone: 215-394-5651

Musial: Michael PreK

Meghann & Michael Musial

513 Deborah Court

Warrington PA 18976

mother Email: megyellow28@yahoo.com

mother Cell Phone: 215-834-8894

father Email: mikem8612@gmail.com

father Cell Phone: 215-834-8894

Studley: William 7

Michele & Walter Studley

New Address:

1520 Stuckert Road

Warrington, PA 18976

Wade: James 8, Sofia 5, Jake 2 Leyla PreK

Evelyn & James Wade

New Address:

2046 Almshouse Road

Jamison, PA 18929

SJR ST. JOSEPH/ST. ROBERT SCHOOL

Milk & Juice Order Form 2016-2017

Amount Due: \$ \$16.50 For Dates 10/31 to 12/21/16 Due: 10/26/16

Fill out one slip for each child. Payment can be made in cash or check payable to SJR.
Separate checks must be written for milk and pretzels. Do not combine the two totals.
Thank you!

Milk & Juice Order Form	
Chocolate Milk	_____
White Milk	_____
Lemonade	_____
Total Due:	_____
Student Name:	_____
Grade: _____	Room: _____
<i>Payment sent with _____ Room _____)</i>	

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SJR ST. JOSEPH/ST. ROBERT SCHOOL

Pretzel Order Form

Amount Due: \$10.20 For Dates: 10/31/16 to 12/21/16 Due: 10/26/16

Fill out one slip for each child. Payment can be made in cash or check payable to SJR. Separate checks must be written for milk and pretzels. Do not combine the two totals. Thank you!

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HSA DUES

Please return this form in envelope provided with a check made payable to SJR HSA or cash in the amount of \$ 20.00

We thank you for your support !!

Family Name:

Child(ren) Name(s) & Grade(s)

Phone Number :

** Please send in attn.: HSA Membership Dues*



ST JOSEPH/ST ROBERT SCHOOL
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All Prospective Families are Cordially Invited to Visit

- *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 & PRE-K AND KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Sunday, November 13th Thursday, November 17th
10:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M. 6:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.

*** Registered Families of St. Robert Bellarmine Parish or St. Joseph Parish may register beginning the week of Monday, November 7th. Families can call the school to schedule an appointment (Monday – Friday) 9 am – 2 pm.**

**Information/Enrollment Requirements: 215.343.5100 or www.stjstr.org
850 Euclid Avenue Warrington Pennsylvania 18976**

Focused on Faith & Learning



Spirit Night for St. Joseph/St. Roberts

Tuesday, October 25, 2016
4:00-8:00pm



Chick-fil-A

WARRINGTON CROSSING
160 Easton Rd
Warrington, PA 18976
Phone: (215) 491-4500

**ST. JOSEPH/ST. ROBERTS SCHOOL WILL EARN 15% OF
ALL SALES PURCHASED BY THIS SCHOOL.**

**Please mention your school's name
to our Team Member at time of order.**

Help raise more money!

Share this flyer with friends, family & co-workers!
Party tray & drive thru orders can be added to the event total.



A Halloween celebration for the whole family!

When: Friday October 28th

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 only \$5 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.

For additional information or to reserve a spot for your decorated vehicle, you can also contact Brian Zook at brianzook@comcast.net or 267-483-8409.

Family Name: _____ **# of kids "treating"** _____

Do You Plan on Decorating Car/Trunk? (circle) YES NO

If yes, how many parking spaces needed—1, 2, or 3? _____

Email: _____

Please return form and \$5 per car to: Brian Zook: c/o Molly, grade 4

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