



St. Joseph/St. Robert School

Weekly Newsletter

FROM THE DESK OF MRS. DURKIN

November 2, 2022

During this busy week, let's remember, "I can do all things through Christ who gives me strength." Philippians 4:13



ST. JOSEPH/ST. ROBERT SCHOOL
FOCUSED ON FAITH AND LEARNING

A generous donor has stepped forward to support our Walkathon! They will match dollar for dollar any money raised above last year's total of \$12,000 up to \$25,000!

What can we do?

- Donate!
- Share the donation link with family and friends!
<https://grouprev.com/SJRHSA2022>
- Share this post!
- Post the link on your social media!
- Ask for sponsors on the sheet sent home.
- Spread the word!

All money donated to the Walkathon will support the SJR Health and Wellness Program. The Generous Match will support other school programs.



DONATIONS ACCEPTED THRU THE ENTIRE MONTH OF NOVEMBER!

If your family has a little one that is eligible for our Pre-K next year (four years old by August 31st) and you are interested in registering them, please let Mrs. Ewald know. We begin accepting applications for our Early Childhood Program with the Fall Open House and we want to be sure that we hold a spot for the siblings of current students.

Parish News



Members of the SJR Service Corp raised money through their bake sale to purchase flowers. This past weekend, in anticipation of All Souls' Day, they delivered the flowers to many members of St. Joseph's and St. Robert's parishes who have lost loved ones during the year.

St. Robert's PREP office is looking for a part time administrative assistant. The position is for fifteen hours/week. You would need to be onsite on Mondays from 1:30-6:30p.m. but the other hours can be flexible throughout the week. Good computer skills are necessary. If interested, please contact Donna Heeney at donnaheeneydre@gmail.com or call the office at 215-343-9433. Thank you for your consideration!



Apple of My Eye

We're happy to be able to celebrate the kind and helpful works of our Apple of My Eye winners this week: Nathan, Andrew, Caitlin, George, and Nellie.

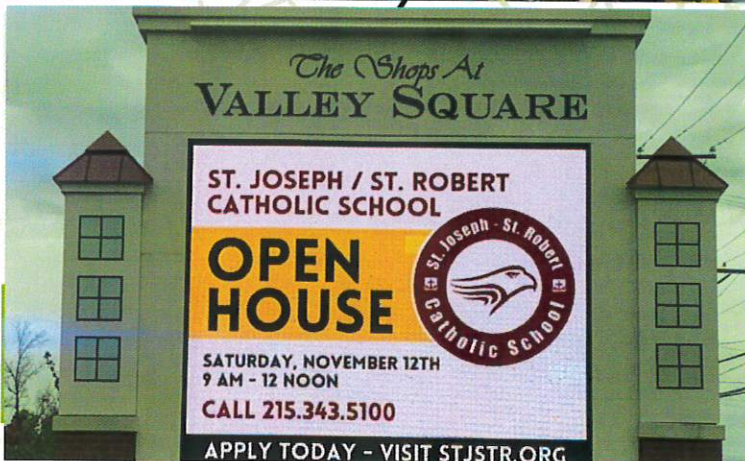
Their kind deeds help to make SJR a very special place – thank you!



News from the Advancement Director

Thank you to the Bridge Educational Foundation - and all of the local companies that support it - for the generous tuition scholarships they make available to families and schools in Bucks County. SJR was able to provide scholarships totaling \$10,000 because of their generosity.

Our first Admissions Open House for the 2023 - 2024 school year is Saturday, November 12th. We'd love to meet prospective families and students who would like to learn more about our community, curriculum, mission, vision, campus life, and admissions process. Please share this information for those you know who may be interested. Let them know that they can reserve a tour appointment today by calling 215.343.5100.



Pie orders due by November 7th!



Home and School News

Our annual SJR Walkathon will be held Friday, November 11 at 1:15. <https://groupnev.com/SJRHSA2022> is available to be shared on social media or email. Please consider reaching out to friends and family. The Walkathon is a major fundraiser for our Home and School Association, and a fun tradition for our students. All of the donations to the Walkathon support our Health and Wellness Program. The matching donation for each dollar raised above last year's total of \$12,000 will be used for a variety of school programs.

Thank you Lauren Ardoff and all the volunteers who put together the Boo Grams. They were great treats to kick off Halloween!

I can't even believe we are thinking about Thanksgiving. Let us help you! Tabora farms pies are delicious and we are selling them. All orders must be in no later than **Monday November 7th.** See flyer attached

Some fun events coming up this months:
November 7th: Spirt night at Nifty Fifty's from 5-9. See flyer attached

November 11th: Walkathon. Families are welcome to come and walk with your children.

December 7th: Tree lighting. More information to come.

December 12th: Little elf Shop

Calling all Amazon shoppers. A quick and simple way to earn money for school is by shopping AmazonSmile. See attached flier to set it up.

A great resource for any quick questions or to find out what's going on is following us on Facebook. SJR Home and School Association or on SJR Parents.

The option of Sign-up genius for the volunteer forms is posted on the website and will be for the year. That way you will have the opportunity to sign up for things as they get closer to the event. We are in need of more volunteers for most of the events. Thank you in advance for your help!!



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SJR THESPIANS CLUB PRESENTS

Disney
FROZEN

Tickets on Sale Now!

Tickets are on sale now for the show on Sunday, December 4th! Go to the school homepage at www.stjstr.org to purchase.



Health and Wellness

The following forms were due on October 15th. Thank you if you returned your child's. However, they are still outstanding for many students in Kindergarten, 3rd, 6th, and 7th grades:

- Kindergarten or Entering SJR: Physical and dental forms
- 3rd Grade - dental forms
- 6th Grade - physical forms
- 7th Grade - dental forms

These forms are required by the state and must be returned. If not received promptly I will be required to begin limiting participation in school events. If there is a reason for the delay, please call Mrs. Durkin so arrangements can be made. Thank you!



Greetings SJR Families,

We are beginning to plan for one of our biggest fundraisers, Bingo Bonanza! It takes place in January.

We are looking to secure sponsors for the event. If you or your business are interested in sponsoring at any level, please fill out the attached form. Thank you for considering!

The Bingo Committee

Permission Slip
Walkathon for Health and Wellness

Dear Parents and Students,

It is time for our Annual Walkathon for Health and Wellness.

Date: Friday, November 11th, 2022 at 1:15pm

Who: Grades Pre-k – 8th

Time: 1:15pm

Place: Residential area surrounding school. Starts in parking lot.

Please return form to school no later than November 9th, 2022

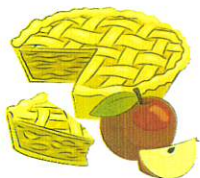
Waiver: In consideration of the furtherance of the purposes and objectives of the Pennsylvania committee walkathon for Health and Wellness and in consultation of your permitting me to participate in the Walkathon for Health and Wellness, on behalf of myself waive and release any and all rights and claims 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 of Students participating in the Walkathon

Once again, please return form to school no later than November 9th, 2022

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



St. Joseph St. Robert's Thanksgiving Pie Sale!



Traditional Apple- Hand mixed varieties of apples from our own farm with spice
French Apple Streusel- Apple Pie Topped with cinnamon sugar crumb and covered with sweet fondant

Apple Raspberry- Sweet apples mixed with tart raspberries balances the pie very well

Blueberry- Local flash frozen blueberries offer the taste of summer any time of the year

Cherry- Classic cherry pie made with Montmorency sour cherries.

Mixed Berry- A personal favorite. A perfect combination of strawberries, cherries, raspberries, blackberries, and blueberries.

Mincemeat- An old fashioned goodie that actually has meat mixed with raisins, apples in a sweet sauce.

Pecan- Traditional pecan pie

Pumpkin- Smooth, creamy pumpkin pie with the just right blend of spices!

Strawberry Rhubarb-- An old classic. Sweet strawberries + tart rhubarb, the perfect combination.

Add a crumb topping to any fruit pie!

Orders and payments are due no later than Monday, November 7th

Pies can be picked up Wednesday November 23rd between 12:00pm and 3:00pm
At St Joseph St Roberts School.

All Fruit Pies... \$14.50

Mincemeat or Pecan Pies... \$16.50

Class who sells the most pies wins a Pizza Pie Party!

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Family Name _____ Grade _____ Phone Number _____

<u>Flavor</u>	<u>#Pies</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Flavor</u>	<u>#Pies</u>	<u>Amount</u>
1. _____	_____	_____	5. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	6. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	7. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____			

Total Amount Due: _____

Cash/Checks made out to SJR-HSA. ATT: Sandy Somma % Juliette Somma K102. Orders may also be placed in collection baskets at church or dropped off at parish office.



Nifty Fifty's

Join us for our

FUN-RAISER

St. Joseph/St. Robert Catholic School

November
7th

5:00-9:00 P.M.

NIFTY FIFTY'S, 684 York Rd, Warminster, PA 18974

Delicious Food And Fun!

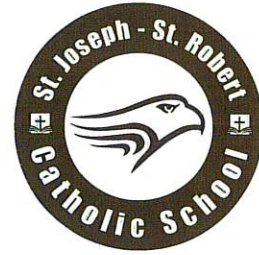
DINE-IN & TAKE-OUT AND RAISE MONEY FOR YOUR ORGANIZATION!

percentage of total sales benefit
St. Joseph/St. Robert Home and School



ST. JOSEPH / ST. ROBERT SCHOOL

BINGO *Bonanza*



Our next **Bingo Bonanza Ladies Night Out** fundraiser is scheduled for Friday, January 20, 2023. We have bingo rounds that are in need of a sponsor.

If you have a business or are employed by someone who might be interested in supporting our school, please consider being a sponsor. Your sponsorship will be recognized throughout the evening and in our event program. We hope that you are able to help us fund this event. Your sponsorship or donation is tax-deductible.

Thank you in advance for your consideration and please join us for a fun night on January 20th. Please contact me with any questions.

Amy Dixon (amykaltnecker@hotmail.com)

SPONSORSHIP FORM

Please return this form by November 30, 2022

- I would like to sponsor a round of Bingo (\$250)
- I would like to donate \$_____ to be applied towards a Bingo round
- I would like to donate items to be used in Raffle Baskets (i.e. gift cards, products, etc)

Sponsor Information

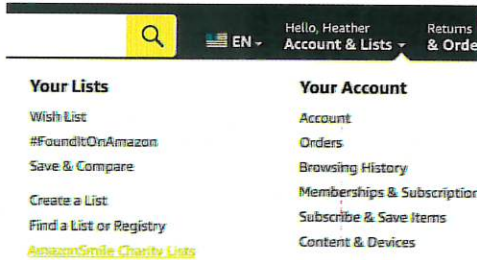
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Address	<input type="text"/>		
Zip Code	<input type="text"/>	Phone #	<input type="text"/>
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Checks can be made payable to SJR HSA and return this form to
St. Joseph / St. Robert School (Attn: Bingo Bonanza)
850 Euclid Avenue Warrington, PA 18976

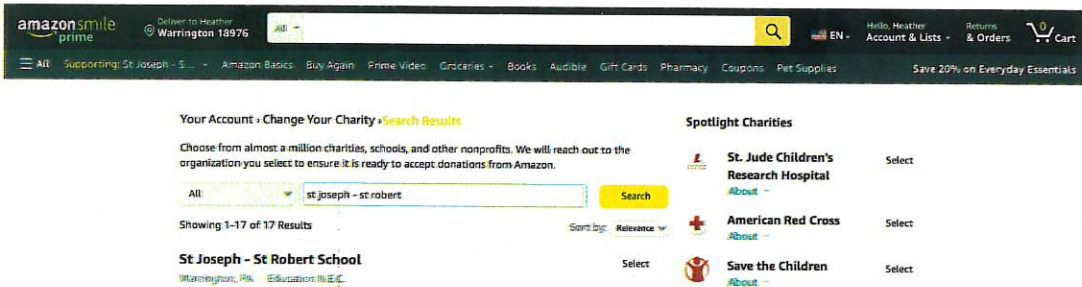
How to use AmazonSmile

Step 1: Log into your Amazon account.

Step 2: Go to the “Account & Lists” dropdown and select “AmazonSmile Charity Lists”



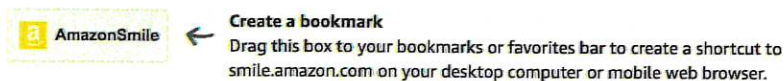
Step 3: Search for “St Joseph - St Robert School” and set as your charity



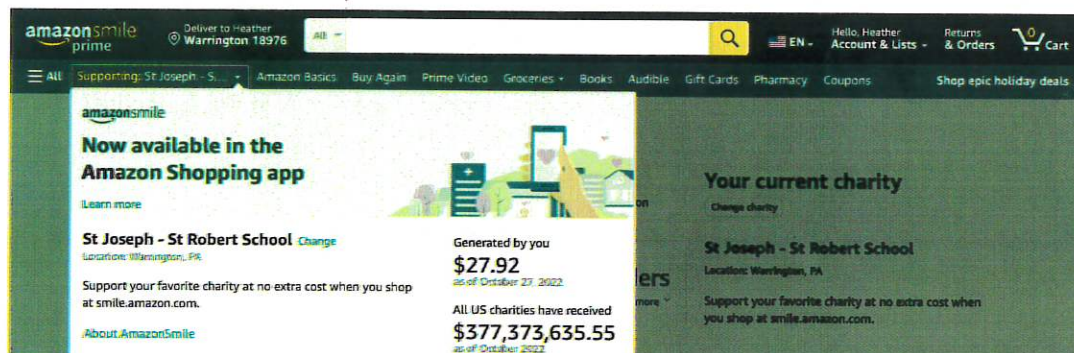
Step 4: Scroll down to bottom of page and set AmazonSmile as a bookmark

To support charity, always shop at smile.amazon.com

Try this easy way to start with a smile. [Learn about AmazonSmile](#)



Step 5: Whenever you shop, be sure to use the bookmark and check to ensure “AmazonSmile” is in the upper left-hand corner of the screen - and below that “Supporting St Joseph - St Robert School”



AmazonSmile

Dear SJR Families & Friends,

Amazon has an amazing program called "AmazonSmile" whereby they will donate 0.5% of your purchases to a charity of your choice!

While that does not sound like a lot of money, it really adds up!

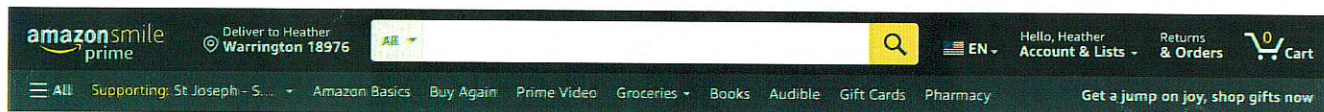
The next time you shop on Amazon, would you please consider using AmazonSmile and listing our school as your designated charity? It's quick, it's easy and it's free money for SJR!

Would you please share this with your families and friends?

Thank you very much for all that you do to support our school!

Best wishes,

SJR HSA



About AmazonSmile

What is AmazonSmile?

AmazonSmile is a simple way for you to support your favorite charitable organization every time you shop, at no cost to you. AmazonSmile is available at smile.amazon.com on your web browser and can be activated in the Amazon Shopping app for iOS and Android phones. When you shop with AmazonSmile, you'll find the exact same low prices, vast selection and convenient shopping experience as Amazon.com, with the added benefit that AmazonSmile will donate 0.5% of your eligible purchases to the charitable organization of your choice. You can choose from over one million organizations to support.

What is the AmazonSmile Charity Lists program?

AmazonSmile Charity Lists is a meaningful and easy way for you to shop and donate items directly to charities in need. Simply find the charities you'd like to support, add items from their lists to your cart, and check out – it's that easy. To learn more, visit smile.amazon.com/charitylists or tap Charity Lists on the "Programs & Features" menu in the Amazon Shopping app on your mobile phone.

How do I shop with AmazonSmile?

To use AmazonSmile, simply go to smile.amazon.com on your web browser or activate AmazonSmile in the Amazon Shopping app on your iOS or Android phone within the Settings or Programs & Features menu. On your web browser, you can add a bookmark to smile.amazon.com to make it even easier to return and start your shopping with AmazonSmile.

How do I activate AmazonSmile in the Amazon Shopping app?

AmazonSmile is available for Amazon customers with the latest version of the Amazon Shopping app on their mobile phone, including Android devices with version 7.0+ or iOS devices with version 12+. To activate AmazonSmile in the Amazon Shopping app, simply tap on "AmazonSmile" within the Programs & Features menu or Settings and follow the on-screen instructions.

Do I need to renew AmazonSmile?

AmazonSmile renewals happen twice a year to help keep AmazonSmile on mobile app. AmazonSmile will notify you of these renewals via push notifications and through in-app notifications. If you miss a renewal you can reactivate at any time by repeating the steps to "turn on" AmazonSmile on your mobile device. There is no renewal period for browser shopping on AmazonSmile, which you can use anytime by typing 'smile.amazon.com' into your browser.

Which products on AmazonSmile are eligible for charitable donations?

Tens of millions of products on AmazonSmile are eligible for donations. You will see eligible products marked "Eligible for AmazonSmile donations" on their product detail pages. Recurring Subscribe-and-Save purchases and subscription renewals are not currently eligible.