



St. Joseph/St. Robert School

Weekly Newsletter

*FROM THE DESK OF MRS.
DURKIN*

April 26, 2023

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

Dear SJR Families,

It's hard to believe that May is just around the corner! It's truly the most beautiful month of the year and all of the lovely devotions to the Blessed Mother make it even more beautiful. Please plan to come to the May Procession on Wednesday, May 17th. And that evening, we are having our band concert/fine arts festival. Mrs. Jacobs is working to gather and display the wonderful work your children have created this year. If you haven't registered to walk or run, during our 5K/Family Fitness walk/run, please do...I love our 5K! Friday, May 19th is Field Day/Family BBQ. We'll be having a fun time at Field Day and then parents and siblings are welcome to join us for lunch. Those families that come for the lunch traditionally are welcome to sign their child out at the end of the event and take them home. You'll see more information about that from the Home and School. I'll be sending the May calendar out later this week.

As wonderful as this time of year is, the administration is also busy getting ready for next year. Thank you for completing the enrollment process for your child. If you know of any interested families, we are having an open house for Pre-K and Kindergarten on Wednesday, May 3rd and Monday, May 8th from 5:30-6:30p.m. A grant has been made available for families who refer a student into 3rd, 4th, or 5th grades. You would receive a \$250 tuition credit if they register and attend. The families with the students would receive a one time \$500 tuition credit.

Also in preparation for next year, be on the lookout for communication from your local school district about transportation for next year. Families with students in Upper Moreland School District or Hatboro Horsham School District should already have received email communication. Please respond in a timely manner so that your child is eligible for transportation in the fall.

Thank you for all you do!

Mrs. Durkin

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Kendrick for receiving the Gold and White Grant – a partial scholarship to Archbishop Wood. Kendrick was selected based on his essay submission.

Excellent work, Kendrick!

Drew S. has been awarded a partial high school scholarship based on his essay from the AOH – The Ancient Order of Hibernians. Great work, Drew!

Congratulations to Maddie M. and Eloise B. for being invited to participate in the Honors Band Festival Concert! Well done!

Congratulations to all of the students who participated in the Penn Relays yesterday: Eloise B., Emma M., Kylie A., Jake W., Vincent M., Lynette S., Angella K., Ben W., Danny S., and Peter A. Excellent work this track season to them and to all of our runners!





Home and School News

Congratulations to Kathryn B., Juliette S., Brayden H., Paulie K. , and Vincent M. who won the Chick-Fil-a "Lunch with the Principal" raffle! We'll be having our lunch on Monday, May 8th.

Other Upcoming Events:

May 4th: Last HSA meeting @7pm

May 12: SJR 5K

May 17th: Spirit night @ Taormina's flyer to come soon.

May 19th: Field day/family picnic. More details to come

June 8th: Dorney Park. See flyer attached

SJR's Annual Day at Dorney!

June 8, 2023

Join us for a fun day together with SJR Families to celebrate another great school year!

\$30/Ticket includes Amusement Park and Water Park
(Kids 2 and under are free)

Does not include food-If you choose to bring food, it will need to be eaten outside the park. No outside food is permitted; Purchasing food there is always an option. Park hours on 6/8 are from 11a-7p & Water Park 11a-6p.

Money due to Heather Bargerhuff, % Nathan Gr. 6 by: June 2nd
Checks should be made payable to SJR HSA
Email, call/text with any questions:

Thank you to all of the students (and parents who helped) for the beautiful Earth Day posters!



From the Advancement Director

PA EITC Tax Program

Redirect Your PA State Tax Dollars
to Support Catholic Education

Individuals OR Businesses Can Join Our
Special Purpose Entity

- ✓ You can join if you have PA tax liability
- ✓ Minimum contribution is only \$1,000
- ✓ Redirect tax dollars to Catholic schools
- ✓ Receive a 90% tax credit!

Visit our website for more information:
www.FoundationFCE.org

Contact Kevin Kelly today!

April and May Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) Webinars – Please Register & Learn More! EITC is an amazing program that provides a significant tax credit to businesses and individuals that redirect a portion of their tax dollars to qualified SJR students for tuition scholarships. Remember that this is a win-win for everyone: the school receives 100% of the donor’s contribution while the donor benefits from a 90% tax credit from the State of PA! Thus, the donor has the advantage of redirecting their PA tax dollars to SJR students that qualify for tuition scholarships. There are 30 minute EITC Webinars offered throughout April and May. Please share with relatives and friends that might be interested as well.

✉ kkelly@FoundationFCE.org |  Register to join an EITC informational webinar!

☎ 610-793-8597 (office)

Parish families with children who will be ready for Pre-K or Kindergarten in the fall are welcome to join us for an evening open house. Please see the information below. For additional questions about EITC or the Open House please contact Kathy Williamson, SJR Director of Advancement, at 215.343.5100, ext. 209

Join the EITC Program Today!

Learn how to redirect your state tax dollars to benefit students throughout the Archdiocese of Philadelphia and receive a 90% Tax Credit!



Informational Webinar Dates:

- Wednesday, April 12 at 10:00 AM
- Tuesday, April 25 at 1:00 PM
- Tuesday, May 9 at 7:00 PM
- Wednesday, May 24 at 4:00 PM

St. Joseph/St. Robert School

Enroll Now 2023 - 2024



**Special Evening Open Houses
for Parish Families
with Pre-K 4 &
Kindergarten Children**

Wednesday, May 3rd or Monday, May 8th
5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

All Are Welcome - Registration Requested



Call Today

215.343.5100
www.stjstr.org



Class Spaces are Limited

Parish News



NIGHT OF COMEDY

SATURDAY, MAY 6TH, 2023

WHERE: ST. ROBERT BELLARMINE
856 EUCLID AVENUE
WARRINGTON, PA. 18976

TIME: DOORS OPEN 6:30 PM
SHOW STARTS 8:00 PM

INCLUDES DRAFT BEER, BUFFET AND COMEDY SHOW

\$55 TICKETS

FOR MORE INFORMATION GO TO
JOECONKLIN.COM
OR KEN BUCKER
267.864.6706
FOR TICKETS

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St. Joe's Hope Committee is having a Diaper/Wipes Collection

Baby Diapers and Wipes will be collected this weekend. Donations may be put on the table in the back hall at St. Joseph's. The Hope Committee shares that the need is great and those who receive your donations are so grateful for your generosity! The committee thanks you for helping the little ones in need.

Dorney Park® & Wildwater Kingdom

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Email, call/text with any questions:

heatherbargerhuff@gmail.com or 267-978-1919

Family Name: _____

of Tickets requested: _____ x\$30 Amount enclosed: _____

Email address for tix to be digitally sent: _____

11th ANNUAL SJR R.A.C.E.

Join us for a fun night of exercise
in support of St. Joseph/St.
Robert School!

Friday, May 12th

1K Kids' Run: 6:00 P.M.

2 Mile Fitness Walk: 6:30 P.M.

5K Run: 6:30 P.M.

All events start and finish at
St. Robert Bellarmine Church.

REGISTER ONLINE AT:

WWW.STJSTR.ORG/5K

DETAILS

- Pizza and treat included for all participants and volunteers
- Prizes awarded for overall and age group winners of the 5K

Register by
April 16th to
guarantee your
shirt size!



SCAN ME

Have a business and would like to help? Sponsorship and donation information can be found at www.stjstr.org/5K.



Find us on FaceBook at:
SJR RACE for Education

A Summer Opportunity for Thespians!



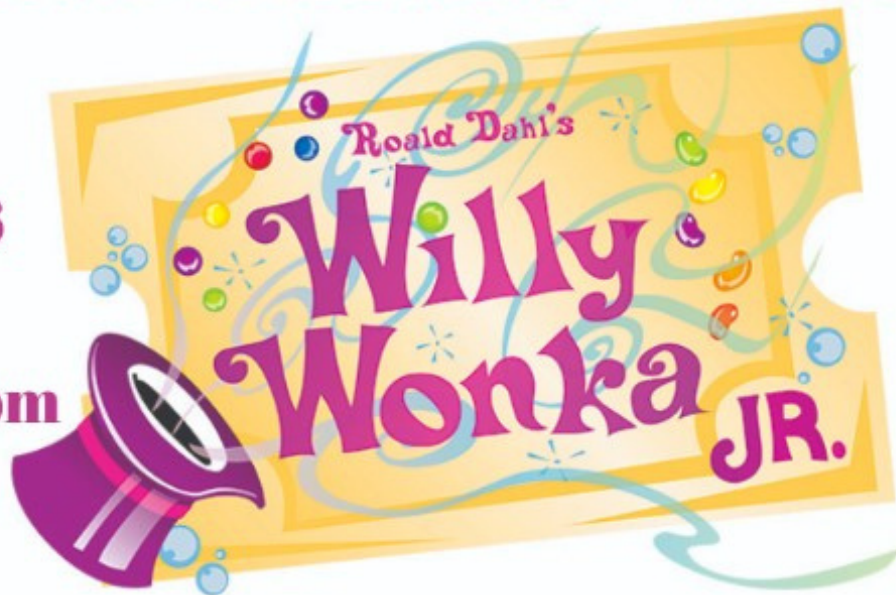
BRAVO DANCE CENTER

Musical Theater Workshop

June

5, 9, 12, 16

5:00-7:00 pm



Ages

8 and up



DURING THIS 2 WEEK WORKSHOP, PERFORMERS WILL LEARN HOW TO AUDITION FOR A MUSICAL AND BRING A SCRIPT TO LIFE. CAMPERS WILL PRACTICE SONGS, DANCES, AND SHORT SCENES FROM WILLY WONKA, JR.

on 4/12

ALL PERFORMERS WILL RECEIVE A TSHIRT FOR THEIR PERFORMANCE.

Campers will perform for family and friends at the end of camp on Friday, June 16

Please go to <https://bravodancecenterpa.com/> for registration information



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April 2023

Office of the President

Mrs. Jennifer Durkin
Saint Joseph/Saint Robert School
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Warrington, PA 18976

Dear Mrs. Durkin,

Nazareth Academy High School prides itself on educating young women and advancing our mission of embracing faith, family, and education by challenging them to reach their highest potential academically, spiritually, and personally.

Summer Enrichment Program & Summer Camps

Pre-7th & Pre-8th Grade Summer Enrichment Program

Monday, June 26th to Friday, July 14th

Monday through Friday – 8 AM to 12:30 PM

**No classes on Monday, July 3rd and Tuesday, July 4th.*

**Two-week option is available.*

Extracurricular Camps

STEM Camp – Monday, June 26th to Friday, June 30th | 1 PM to 5 PM

Art Camp – Monday, July 10th to Friday, July 14th | 1 PM to 5 PM

Athletic Camps

Cheer Camp – Monday, June 19th to Friday, June 23rd | 5 PM to 8 PM

Lacrosse Camp – Monday, June 26th to Friday, June 30th | 5 PM to 8 PM

Basketball Camp – Monday, July 10th to Friday, July 14th | 5 PM to 8 PM

Softball Camp – Monday, July 17th to Friday, July 21st | 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM

Soccer Camp – Monday, July 17th to Friday, July 21st | 5 PM to 8 PM

Volleyball Camp – Monday, July 31st to Friday, August 4th | 9 AM to 12 PM (6th & 7th graders)

Volleyball Camp – Monday, August 7th to Friday, August 11th | 9 AM to 12 PM (8th & 9th graders)

Naz Facts

The only private high school for young women in Philadelphia

8 to 1 student to faculty ratio

100% college acceptance and over \$47 million in college scholarships and grants awarded to the Class of 2022

80+ courses offered through Nazareth's College Preparatory Scheduling

24 Honors courses

16 Advanced Placement courses

Holy Family University Dual Enrollment Program for college credit

40+ clubs and activities

12 athletic teams

10 performing arts groups

Blessings to you and your school community for a healthy and successful end of the school year. We look forward to having your young ladies with us over the summer!

Sincerely,

Denise LePera, MS
President

James Meredith, M.Ed.
Principal

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