

St. Joseph/St. Robert School Newsletter

FROM THE DESK OF MRS. DURKIN August 30, 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,

And we're off! Thank you so much for all that you've done already to get this new school year off to a good start. It is so wonderful to see families and students again! I'd like to extend a special welcome to our new faculty: Ms. Bertram, Ms. Smith, Ms. Macrone, and Mrs. McWilliams.



After the Back to School Night for Grades 5-8 last night there were a few questions about FACTS and accessing the family portal. You created your family portal login when completing the enrollment process. You go into facts and log in to see your family portal page with information. You can also use this link: https://logins2.renweb.com/logins/ParentsWeb-Login.aspx

Please let me know if you have additional questions about FACTS as the year progresses. This is our first school year in the new system so the teachers are also adjusting to a new way to mark attendance, assign grades, and manage their classroom processes. We'll work through it together!

For returning families, you will not see Option C emails any longer. The emails that come through the new system should look just as if they are coming from my regular school email account. You can respond to those if needed. Please direct questions about your child and their individual progress or situation to your child's teacher first but let me know if there are questions about school wide events, procedures, or issues.

God bless you and welcome back! - Mrs. Durkin



From the HSA

The Home and School is excited to provide the students with a water ice dance party tomorrow afternoon! In addition, please note the following Home and School events:

September 6th: Kids Stuff Books Fundraiser Begins. Coupon books will go home with payment due by September 15th.

September 15th: Family Movie Night in the school parking lot

September 22nd: HSA and CYO SJR Golf Outing (see information below)

September 26th:

The First Home and School Meeting – Please mark September 26th at 7:00p.m. on your calendar and plan to attend the first HSA meeting of the year. In addition to HSA business, Dr. Mary Coakley has been invited to educate us all about anxiety in children. In the past several years, anxiety among children and adults has skyrocketed. Dr. Mary Coakley, a Clinical-Developmental Psychologist, will explain how anxiety shows up in children and will give parents practical tools and strategies to help their children manage their fears and increase their confidence. Topics to be addressed include:



- How to tell if your child's worries are "normal" or excessive
- What is happening "behind the scenes" in the brain when you are anxious
- How anxiety grows
- How to respond to your child's worries in a helpful way
- How to know if your child needs professional help

We hope to see you there!

September 29th: The Covered Dish Dinner for families with students in grades Pre-K, Kindergarten, and First Grade



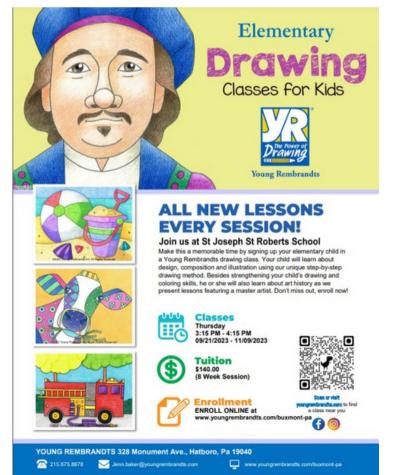


Club Information

SJR Drama Club - The SJR Drama Club aims to give every child a chance to explore the performing arts. We are delighted to announce that we will be performing "The Little Mermaid, Jr." for our inaugural play! Please see the form below for sign ups.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHILDREN'S CHOIR

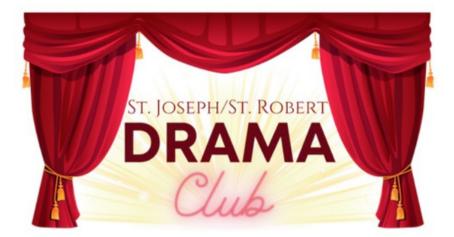
St. Augustine is credited as saying, "To sing is to pray twice." St. Joseph's Children's Choir - Please see the flyer below for an opportunity for any students in grades -2-8 who would like to participate as musicians or choir members.



Young Rembrandts Drawing and Art Club

Please see the flyer below for information about registering for the first session of our very popular art club!

I'll keep you informed of clubs that are forming as the year progresses.



Is Pleased to Announce that Performance for 2023 is



Please sign up for a lead role, performing role, art crew or stage crew by Friday, September 8,2023 Lead Role

If you are a student in 4th through 8th grade and are interested in a lead role please sign

up here:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0849AFAF28A2FBC07-little

Performing Role

If you are a student in 1st through 8th grade and are interested in a performing role

please sign up here:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0849AFAF28A2FBC07-performing

Art Crew

If you are a student in 4th through 8th grade and are interested in being a part of the art

crew please sign up here:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0849AFAF28A2FBC07-artcrew

Stage Crew

If you are a student in 5th through 8th grade and are interested in being a part of the

stage crew please sign up here:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0849AFAF28A2FBC07-stage

ST. JOSEPH'S CHILDREN'S CHOIR

St. Augustine is credited as saying, "To sing is to pray twice."



WANTED: Children willing to join St. Joseph's Children's Choir!

Who: Grades 2 through 8

Experience: Singing – None Instruments-2 years of lessons

Masses:About once a month,also sacraments & special masses

Practices: Thursdays 5:30 to 6:45

Starting: September 14th or when you are able to attend!

Where: St. Joseph's Choir loft

Commitment: Flexible - Not Necessary to join for entire year

Contact: Mrs. Maria Lennon At: 215-896-9484 or mariaalennon@comcast.net

Bring with you or mail: the form below *Please pass the word, St. Joseph's Music Ministry is also looking for new Adult Choir members, cantors, and instrumentalists!

ST JOSEPH PARISH CHILDREN'S CHOIR 2023-24 School Year

Last Name of child:	First Name:
Home Phone Number:	
Address:	
Grade for 2023-24 school year School:	
Snow number (there will be no practice in weather conditions)	f your school is closed or dismissed early due to
Name of Parent or Guardian:	
Cell Phone or Work Number	
e-mail address:	
Please indicate any medical problems that we sho	
Name and Phone Number of 2 people to contact in	
If child plays an instrument, please indicate the ins taken lessons	
Parent signature:	
*Please complete this form and return at next prac	tice, or mail to attention of Mrs. Maria Lennon

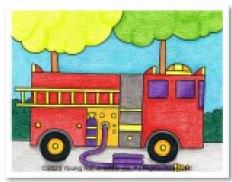
at St. Joseph Church, 1795 Columbia Ave. Warrington, Pa. 18976, or email to mariaalennon@comcast.net.

Elementary Drawing Classes for Kids



and





ALL NEW LESSONS EVERY SESSION!

Join us at St Joseph St Roberts School

Make this a memorable time by signing up your elementary child in a Young Rembrandts drawing class. Your child will learn about design, composition and illustration using our unique step-by-step drawing method. Besides strengthening your child's drawing and coloring skills, he or she will also learn about art history as we present lessons featuring a master artist. Don't miss out, enroll now!



Classes Thursday 3:15 PM - 4:15 PM 09/21/2023 - 11/09/2023



Tuition \$140.00 (8 Week Session)



Scen or visit youngrembrendba.com to find a class near you



Enrollment

ENROLL ONLINE at a www.youngrembrandts.com/buxmont-pa



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Come Join in the Fun!

	Package Includes:	Cost: \$175 / Player
	> Greens Fee & Cart > Scramble Format	Send Payment To:
<u>St. Joseph / St. Roberts</u> <u>CYO/HSA</u>	 > Lunch > Dinner Plus 3-Hour Open Bar > Beer on Course > Skill Events 	Maureen Peddicord 1451 Rosewood Lane Warrington, PA 18976
	> Great Prizes	Check payable to SJR CYO
20th Annual Golf Outing	* Putting Contest * Longest Drives	Venmo @SJR-CYO Limit of 128 players so register early
FRIDAY	* Closest to the Pin	We can NOT hold spots w/o \$\$\$\$
September 22, 2023		Your Name or Foursome:
	AVAILABLE SPONSORSHIPS FRIENDS OF THE HAWK - \$750	1.)
12:00 Shotgun Start	REGISTRATION SPONSOR - \$600	
Registration @ 11:00	BEVERAGE SPONSOR - \$500 AWARDS SPONSOR - \$400	2.)
The Bucks Club	PUTTING CONTEST SPONSOR - \$300 HOLE SPONSORSHIP - \$125	3.)
	CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP - \$1,250	5./
Jamison, PA	Please view the "Avaiable Sponsorships" Flyer for additional information.	4.)
		DUE BY 9-8-2023
		Total \$:
	Write in your company name here!	
	-	CALL FOR INFORMATION :
	Check payable to SJR CYO	Ed Dixon 267-918-6846
	Venmo @SJR CYO	



SJR CYO/HSA 20th Annual Golf Outing

Friday, September 22, 2023 The Bucks Club - Jamison, PA

BENEFITS THE ST. JOSEPH / ST. ROBERT CYO AND HSA

AVAILABLE SPONSORSHIPS

PRESIDENTIAL SPONSOR	\$2,500
~ INCLUDES TWO (2) FOURSOME,	, BANNER AT EVENT, AND SIGN
CORPORATE SPONSOR	\$1,250
~ INCLUDES FOURSOME, BANNER AT EVENT	
FRIENDS OF THE HAWK	\$750
~ INCLUDES A FOURSOME, SIGN ON COURSE	
REGISTRATION SPONSOR	\$600
~ INCLUDES BANNER AT REGISTRATION TABLE	
BEVERAGE SPONSOR	\$500
~ INCLUDES SIGNS AT CLUBHOUSE AND AT BEVERAGE AREA ON	COURSE
AWARDS SPONSOR	\$400
~ INCLUDES SIGN AT HOLE, SIGN AT DINNER	
PUTTING CONTEST SPONSOR	\$300
~ INCLUDES SIGN AT HOLE, SIGN ON PUTTING GREEN	
HOLE SPONSORSHIP	\$125
~ INCLUDES SIGN AT HOLE	

Contact Ed Dixon for info: (267) 918-6846

SPONSOR INFORMATION / COMPANY NAME:

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO : St Joseph / St. Robert Junior CYO	
MAIL TO: Maureen Peddicord	
1451 Rosewood Lane	
Warrington, PA 18976	



SJR's CYO HSA 2023 Golf outing Can't join us for Golf, no problem! Join us for dinner, dancing and raffles. Time: 5:00pm Place: The Bucks Club Price: \$75.00 a person (Buffet dinner & open bar) Checks can be made out to:

SJR CYO And sent to: Maureen Peddicord 1451 Rosewood Lane Warrington PA 18976 Or Venmo: @ SJR CYO