

Parent Information Friday, June 18, 2021

From: Dr. Jones and Mrs. Hanner

Here's the Scoop

Dear Parents,

During our unprecedented school year, the lessons WE have learned and shared center on collaboration, the ability to pivot, and caring for our children.

As a school community, WE have collaborated - parents, students, teachers, staff, administrators, and clergy. WE have welcomed and followed the guidance and direction of the Archdiocese of Baltimore's leadership team, the personnel at the Center for Disease Control (CDC), and the medical team at Frederick County Health Department. WE have appreciated our educational partners at the Friends of Catholic Education (FOCE), Mount St. Mary's University, our local high schools, as well as numerous other leaders and engaged organizations.

With safety, faith, and academic excellence in mind, WE have pivoted <u>into</u> and <u>through</u> the unknown. Some words and phrases have become part of our new vocabulary, such as temperature checks, face coverings, cohorts, re-opening plans, social distancing, live-streaming, and the myriad uses for plexi-glass! During this global pandemic, WE have been called to navigate challenges, take risks, and adapt to changes and updates throughout the school year. As a community, WE have progressed though these challenges, often with the mindset of seeing these challenges as opportunities!

Most importantly, the students and their well-being have been at the center of OUR decisions and actions. WE have deeply cared for the students and have carried this important responsibility of keeping our students, teachers, staff, and families safe in our hearts and minds every day! WE accomplished this tremendous feat together!

We thank you for your prayers and support - look forward to a fantastic 2021-2022 school year!

End of Year Awards and Presentations video can be viewed following this link: https://youtu.be/WulYO6tTRHA

Volunteer Hours

Our SJRCS community is incredible. We had over 35 people volunteer. We appreciate ALL the parents, students, and community members that volunteered to help the SJRCS faculty and staff

move various items and furniture on Friday June 11th. With such tremendous effort and help we were able to accomplish the task of reorganizing classrooms. The winners of the 15 volunteer hours for helping move items are the El-Amin and Sievers families. We appreciate your assistance and congratulations!

Report Card Distribution

Report cards have been mailed home along with other important informant information:

- Scantron Performance Assessment Report (Grades 2 7) for spring and year summary
- Pre-HSPT Score Report (Grade 7)
- Honor roll certificates (Grades 6, 7, and 8)
- Summer Reading List

Summer Office Hours

The summer office hours are Monday- Thursday (9AM - Noon). We will be communicating with families about pertinent information during the summer. Please call or email us if you have any questions as we are happy to help!

In Christ,
Dr. Jones and Mrs. Hanner
Principal Assistant Principal

Honor Roll Information

St. John Regional Catholic School recognizes middle school students who demonstrate excellent academic achievement in the areas of English Language Arts, Mathematics, Religion, Science, and Social Studies on their Trimester Progress Reports.

The Archdiocese of Baltimore Department of Catholic Schools has standardized the requirements for Middle School Honor Rolls across the Archdiocese. Students who demonstrate high academic achievement and who positively impact the learning environment are placed on Honor Roll based on the following criteria:

Principal's Honor Roll – All A's and Satisfactory or better in all special classes, standards, effort, and conduct including unstructured time

Second Honors – all A's and B's (more A's than B's) and Satisfactory or better in all special classes, standards, effort, and conduct including unstructured time

St. John Regional Catholic School Honor Roll 2020-2021 Trimester 3

PRINCIPAL'S HONOR ROLL

8th Grade: Alexander Acerenza, Galen Belmar, Caroline Black, Thomas Evans, Annabelle Guss, Isabella Hallowitz, Danika Hawryluk, Sam Heiland, Lukas Holler, Clare James, Adrian Naylin, Marie Smith, Reed Warner, Joseph Workman

7th Grade: Isabella Altamirano, Brian Casabar, Alexandra Deren, Melanie Etter, Trista Gaydos, Isabella Navarro, Keira Passaro, Kaitlyn Pawlik, Joseph Saccoia, Wyatt Staiger, Sophia Vanderhuff, Caroline Watkins

6th Grade: William Adams, Annabel Clark, Kennedy Holler, Anthony Krietz, Bailey Mummey, Michael Schaecher

SECOND HONORS

8th Grade: Olivia Adams, Regan Burns, Olivia French, Ian Demiray, Allison Fernandez, Isaiah Mbamalu, Nathan Rebeiro, Michael Rypka, Rose Scherer, Anabelle Seeley, Nicholas Semanko, Anya Smariga, Brandon Valente,

7th Grade: Noah Benton, Ela Curran, Benjamin Celeste, Vaughn Ditching, Catherine Donnelly, Silas Eaton, Joy Lakama, Samantha Oliva, Sophia Schubert, Amelia Trivers,

6th Grade: Rhiannon Burns, Gianna Checchia, Julianna Gorsky, Elsie Innocenti, Gabriel Landreth, Garrett Neubauer, Cecily Obreiter, Eve Schumacher, Jessica Stevens, Katherine Stevens, Calvin Volker, Hollin Warner, Elizabeth Watkins

HSA CORNER

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

The Garden Committee will be doing outdoor work to beautify the school grounds on the morning **Saturday**, **June 19**. Sign up to lend a hand - the more the merrier, so bring the whole family! Students are welcome to join in and give back to their school. Volunteers will receive tuition credit hours toward next year, so you can get your savings started early! See details and sign up at: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0549abaf28a1fc1-garden1

2021-2022 HSA BOARD

We're thrilled to announce the HSA Board for the 2021-2022 School Year. Many thanks to these wonderful volunteers for stepping up to lead the HSA forward, and we look forward to all the fun to come!

President: Molly Gilbreth

Vice President: Lauren Ausherman Vice President: Alison St. John Secretary: Megan Putman Treasurer: Megan Ehret Special thanks to outgoing board members Belen Evans, Jacqueline Messner, and Abby Sievers, as well as Lauren Ausherman, who will be returning for a second term. On behalf of this outgoing HSA Board, we offer many thanks to the entire school community for their participation in and support of HSA events this year. We hope that you enjoyed the new activities created for this unusual pandemic year, and fingers crossed that some of our traditional events are able to return next year!

Go Wildcats! Marcie Sprankle 2020-2021 HSA President

Calendar

Calendar 2021-2022

Please note the key dates for the 2021-2022 school calendar. As we are planning for our numerous activities and events, while adhering to any COVID-related restrictions per AOB, we will continue to add events as they are finalized. Thank you for your patience as we all look forward to the 2021-2022 school year!

Monday, August 30: First Day for Students Monday, September 6: No School (Labor Day)

Friday, October 8: No School (AOB Professional Day)

Wednesday, November 24- Friday, November 26: No School (Thanksgiving Break)

Tuesday, December 21: 12:00 Dismissal

Wednesday, December 22 - January 2: No School (Christmas Break)

Monday, January 17: (Martin Luther King, Jr. Day) Monday, February 21: No School (Presidents' Day) Friday, March 18: No School (AOB Professional Day)

Friday, April 15 - Sunday, April 24: No School (Easter/Spring Break)

Monday, May 30: No School (Memorial Day)

Thursday, June 9: Last Day for Students

Friday, June 10: Professional Day for Faculty & Staff

We wish all families a fun, safe and relaxing summer! ENJOY!