

January 5, 2012



SJCCS School Newsletter

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Upcoming Events

January 8

Open House, Noon—
2:00 PM

January 9

Lector training 2:30-
3:30

January 11

Altar Server training
after 8:30 AM Mass

January 16

Martin Luther King, Jr.
Holiday— School
Closed

January 17

Quarterly tuition pay-
ments due; **monthly
autodraft payments
will be debited on
January 17**

January 29-February 4

Catholic Schools Week

January 30—Feb 1

Pauline Book Fair

CALENDAR CHANGE:

February 10

Bishop's Holiday—No
school for students.
Diocesan Staff Devel-
opment Meeting.

Open House



Our school is hosting an Open House on Sunday, January 8, from noon to 2:00 PM. Each family has received two post-cards advertising this event. Please feel free to share these with friends and neighbors who may be interested in learning more about our school. If you would like more, let us know! Posters are now available in the school office—if you know a business that would be willing to post our Open House announcement, please stop in and pick up a poster!

Pauline Book Fair

Our Pauline Book Fair (sisters of St. Paul) will take place from January 30 through February 1. We are in need of volunteers to help run the sale. Please see the Book Fair Volunteer Sign Up sheet attached to today's email. Sign up for a time and send the sheet to school. Your help is greatly appreciated!

School Notes

- Altar Server Training will be held on January 11th after the 8:30 AM Mass. Training is open to all Catholic students in grades 4-7.
- Lector training will be held with Mrs. Wheeler on January 9th from 2:30-3:30. This is open to all students in grades 5-7.
- Altar server schedules for January will go out January 5th.
- The yearbook committee is searching for photos of school events for this year's annual. If you have photos you'd like to share, please email a jpeg file to lourie.rendino@sjccs.net.
- Thank you for sending in your General Mills Box Tops for Education. The school has received a check for \$700.00 for Box Tops submitted this school year. Keep sending in those tops!
- Congratulations to Rebecca Cazarin for meeting the requirements for the Governor's Reading Honor Roll.



Earn 100 Bonus points for our school! Look for the Campbell's 100 bonus Point Collection Sheet in local newspapers on January 8th. Collect your labels on the sheet and turn into school for extra points. Thank you for participating in the Campbell's Labels for Education Program!

The 2nd Grade Challenge



The 2nd grade class has challenged St. Joseph Catholic School grade teachers and their classrooms to collect 100 cans of food by the 100th day of school, January 31, 2012.

All canned goods will be donated to the Anderson Soup Kitchen.

Anyone who would like to help deliver the food that is collected, please contact Ms. Aurichio (ro.aurichio@siccs.net or call 864-225-5341 ext. 204).

Watch the Thursday Newsletter for 2nd grade Challenge updates!!

P.E. News



Today in P.E. we began the New Year with the New and Improved Presidential Lifestyle Program. A new Healthy Lifestyle Log is included in your Thursday envelop for you to post on your refrigerator for easy access and daily recording.

Physical Activity: Be active 30 minutes a day, at least 5 days a week, for 6 out of 8 weeks.

Healthy Eating: Commit to a new healthy eating goal each week. Every week a new goal will be added while continuing with goals from the previous week[s]. The more often the healthy eating goals are incorporated, the better for overall health.

At the end of 6-8 weeks, send in your child's log for his/her certificate. This is an optional program that we a S.J.C.C.S. have encouraged. Have fun as a family and "Get Physical" and "Healthy".

Elves' Workshop

Thank you for your tremendous support of this year's Elves' workshop. The children had a great time shopping and we had a wonderful group of elves to assist.

Plastic storage totes are needed to store items for next year. If you have any totes you would like to donate, please send them to the school office.

Volunteer Lunch Duty

Support our school...serve our children!!! Please volunteer for 2-4 days (11:30-12:45) of lunch duty. Take the opportunity to sit down and eat with your son/daughter or grandson/nephew, etc., when you have finished serving. Please print out the attached form and return it in your Thursday envelope tomorrow. THANK YOU!!!