

Ss. Philip and James School News



Twenty-fifth Week of School

February 16, 2017

Come experience
SPJ's Production of ...

Disney's
MULAN JR.



Feb. 16, 2017
9:45 AM and 6:30 PM

Oser's Fundraiser After Mulan!



After the musical, visit Oser's in Canal Fulton – 20% of all products purchased will be donated to SPJ's theatre/ music program!



“Luck of the Irish”
2017 Auction & Reverse Raffle
March 18 – 5:00-10:00

Please come and enjoy the SPJ family at this year's annual Auction & Reverse Raffle. Tickets can be purchased in the school office for \$55.00 each; this ticket covers dinner and admission to the event. Reverse Raffle Tickets are available for \$50.00 in the office. See the included order form in this week's Thursday folder for package information.

SPJ Students Compete at Math Counts Competition



SPJ mathematicians travelled to the Sippo Lake Exploration Gateway this past Saturday to compete against other Math wizards in fun competition!

SPJ Patriot's Pen Champions

This past Saturday, the VFW Canton Post 3747 held their annual banquet for the Patriot's Pen and Voice of Democracy winners. Out of 135 applicants, 7th grader Shannon Fitzpatrick was awarded 3rd place and 8th grader Austin Ellerbrock came in 1st place. Each student read their paper in front of everyone and received scholarship money and gifts from the represented posts.



SAVE THE DATE
Kindergarten 2017-2018 Screening
will be held on Friday, May 5th –
more information to come!

Fill the Truck!



SS. Philip and James in partnership with Easter Seals will have a truck arrive on March 25 from 9:00-4:00 to collect clothing items. Start saving now! This fundraiser will help support the Environmental Club.

*Environmental Club will meet on Thursday, February 23 after school. Special guests from the Stark County Farm Bureau. All are invited.

Upcoming Events

- Feb 16:** *Mulan (School Musical)
9:45 - Dress Rehearsal (parents welcome)
6:30 - Main Performance
*K-4 Valentine's Parties (2:15-3:00)
*5-8 Mulan After Party (during school)
- Feb 17:** *NO SCHOOL
- Feb 20:** *NO SCHOOL
- Feb 23:** *Central Scheduling Day – 12:00 at SPJ
*Environmental Club – 3:30
*First Reconciliation @ 6:30
- Feb 24:** *7th/8th Stark County Catholic Schools Dance, St. Mary School (Massillon)
- Feb 25:** *Power of the Pen Tournament
- Mar 1:** *Ash Weds. Mass @ 9:00
- Mar 8:** *First day for Lego Club/ Bricks 4 Kids – 3:20-4:20
- Mar 19:** *HCA Art & Design Symposium @ Canton Museum of Art – 1:00-5:00
- Mar 25:** *Fill the Truck – collection (see flyer)
- Mar 27:** *Little Builders Day 9:00-11:00 – for kids entering preschool – 5th in Fall of 2017
- Apr 14-21:** **Easter Break*
- May 5:** *Kindergarten Screening
- May 6:** *First Communion @ 1:00
- May 8:** *HCA Band Concert @ St. Michael's
- May 18:** *Confirmation @ St. Mary's – 7:00
- May 21:** *SPJ Day at the Livery

Need Financial Assistance for 2017-2018 Tuition?

If you would like to apply for financial assistance for next school year through the program formerly known as PSAS, please call the office to receive the packet of registration materials as soon as possible (854-2823).



Track: 7th and 8th grade track practice starts after March 5, 2017. The 3rd-6th grade practices start the week of Mar 26th. Meets are split between CCHS and STA. The meets are scheduled for 4/23, 4/30, 5/7 and final meet 5/21 at STA. A final schedule will be provided to all schools once sign-ups are complete and teams are identified. Sign-up information will be coming soon!

Basketball: The 6th Grade Girls Basketball Team finished a very close second place in their tournament last weekend! Their game went into overtime, and the team played like champions! Way to go, girls!

Swimming: On Saturday, Feb. 5, SPJ had six swimmers compete in the Regional Swim Meet at the Wooster High School. Anna, Brenden, Jaden Minarcheck, Austin Ellerbrock and Laureli and Avery McMahan. All of them did well and beat many of their personal times. Anna, Brenden, Jaden and Laureli will complete on March 5th at districts at Cleveland State.



Chess Club

Chess Club for Grades 5-8 will begin after school on Wednesday, February 22, and end at 4:15, in Mrs. Morber's classroom. Please send a note or email to the office for your child to stay. Contact Mrs. Morber with questions.

