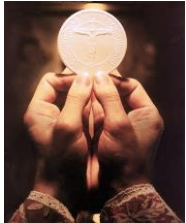


Ss. Philip and James School News



Twenty-fourth Week of School

February 9, 2017



Next week, **School Mass** will be on **Wednesday, February 15 @ 9:00.**



Minute to Win It at SPJ



Mrs. Montgomery put together the fantastically thrilling “Minute to Win It” event last week during Catholic Schools’ Week. SPJ students of all grades got to participate in fun challenges and enjoy the spirit of teamwork and camaraderie!



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).

SPJ Students Go Bowling to Celebrate Catholic Schools’ Week

All SPJ students in grades K-8 travelled to Park Center Lanes in North Canton last week to go bowling!



Track: 7th and 8th grade track practice starts after March 5, 2017.

--3rd-6th grade: practice start 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!



**“Luck of the Irish”
2017 Auction & Reverse Raffle**

Parents, please return the yellow form titled **Reverse Raffle Rally**, in last weeks Thursday folders. For two years in a row we have had 100% participation in the school! Please return the bottom portion of the form as soon as possible (there are different dates to note) and check one of the choices at the bottom to get credit for your son/daughter. The Silent Auction Committee will treat the kids to an Oser's field trip and each class that turns in all of their forms will receive a free jeans day.

Thanks for your support of the Silent Auction/Reverse Raffle!

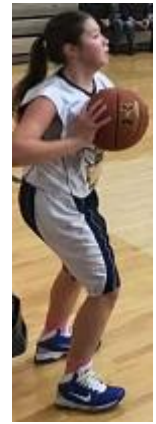
Upcoming Events

- Feb 10:** *7th & 8th Dance at STA.
- Feb 15:** ***School Mass Day**
- 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
- Feb 24:** *7th/8th Stark County Catholic Schools Dance, St. Mary School (Massillon)
- Feb 25:** *Power of the Pen Tournament
- Mar 19:** *HCA Art & Design Symposium @ Canton Museum of Art – 1:00-5:00
- Mar 27:** *Little Builders Day 9:00-11:00 – for kids entering preschool – 5th in Fall of 2017
- May 5:** *Kindergarten Screening
- May 21:** *SPJ Day at the Livery

SAVE THE DATE

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

Basketball: The 6th Grade Girls Basketball Championship Game, featuring SPJ, is scheduled for 10:00 am on this Sunday, 2/12, in Massillon HS main gym.



Tennis: Holy Cross Academy is offering tennis teams for middle school (grades 6-8) and elementary school students (grades 3-5). See attached flyer for more information. **The first session will be held on Friday March 31, 2017**, at the Hall of Fame Fitness Center located at 2700 Roberts Ave NW in Canton. Tennis rackets will be provided. No experience or equipment is necessary.

--All sessions will be on Wednesday and Friday.

Wednesday: April 5, 12, 26; May 3, 10, 17, 24.

Friday: March 31; April 7, 28; May 5, 12, 19, 26.

---Cost:

The cost for a middle school student is \$130.00. The cost for an elementary school student is \$75.00.

All interested boys and girls are asked to **sign-up by March 24**. Please email Jim

Thomas (JJJTHOMAS@AOL.COM) with your student's name, grade, and school.

Lacrosse: 2017 Boys Lacrosse Open Gym

Saturday, February 18, 2017

Hosted by the St. Michael School Athletic Department and HCA Boys Lacrosse Team

2:00pm - 3:00pm: 3rd-6th Grades

3:00pm - 4:00pm: 7th-8th Grades

There is **NO COST** for the 2017 Boys Lacrosse Open Gym,

but we do ask for participants to **pre-register. Go to the web site below.**

<http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=847jz6wab&oeidk=a07edsr0cxld94f4342>

PLEASE NOTE:

Parents/guardians MUST sign their children in for the open gym and MUST stay while their child participates. No child will be admitted to the Open Gym without a parent or guardian.

The SS. Philip & James' Environment Club

Is Proud to Host

Ms. Tera Wentlings and Ms. Cindy Petitti

of the
STARK CO.



**Farm
Bureau**

At our Next Meeting on February 23rd

3:30 – 4:30 in Mrs. Montgomery's Classroom

We have some fun farm surprises that will be staying in the classroom for a few weeks!

Come join us this month!



SS. PHILIP & JAMES SCHOOL
A HOLY CROSS ACADEMY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

SPJ Students Raise Over \$300 for Charity!



The students of SS. Philip & James School exceeded their goal of \$200. They raised a total of \$309.52 for 98.1 WKDD's Have a Heart Do Your Part Radiothon benefiting Akron Children's Hospital. Thanks to Mrs. Lantz and Mrs. Duplain for setting up this great fund drive!

Join the Central Catholic Family!



Members of the Central Catholic administration will soon be visiting each of our Holy Cross partner schools to deliver registration packets to 8th grade students, and will then be returning later this month to officially register students. Parents of 8th grade students are encouraged to join this registration meeting. This is an opportunity for you and your child to sit down with a member of the Central Catholic team, review course selections and test scores, as well as learn about athletic offerings and extra curriculars.

Registration Schedule

St. Joan of Arc - February 15, 8:00 AM

St. Mary's Massillon- February 22, 9:00 AM

St. Michael - February 23, 8:00 AM

Ss. Philip & James - February 23, 12:00 PM

St. Paul - February 28, 8:00 AM

Parents of students who are not enrolled at one of the above schools, please contact Central Catholic at [330-478-2131](tel:330-478-2131) to schedule your personal registration meeting. If you have inquired with the school, a registration packet is being mailed to your home.



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Save the Date! 2017 Radiothon

February 9-11, 2017

Keith, Tony and Meg broadcasting live on 98.1 KDD from Akron Children's Hospital

Tune in and listen:

Thursday, Feb. 9 | 5:30 a.m. – 7 p.m.
Friday, Feb. 10 | 5:30 a.m. – 7 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 11 | 7 a.m. – 6 p.m.

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