

Ss. Philip and James School News



Eleventh Week of School

November 3, 2016

Race for Education 2016



Students will be awarded their prizes for participation in Race for Education early next week!

Special Bus Run – Nov. 4

There will be a special run tomorrow, Nov. 4.

Night at the Races

Tickets for this fantastic evening of fun and excitement are still on sale! Send in your forms ASAP to reserve horses and tables! **Nov. 11, 2016.**



SPJ Middle School Q.1 Honor Roll Students:

Grade 6

*Zoe Baker
Georgia Bentzel
Gracyn Clark
Haley Hatfield
Brendan Minarcheck
Nick Savage*

Grade 8

*Macy Bachtel
Sarah Caniglia
Elaina Casteel
Kayla Johnson
Brendan Minarcheck
Brock Stopki*



Grade 7

*Tristin Bonnot
Max Grillo
Ben Hopkins
Shannon Kirkpatrick
Jacob Metzger*

**Italics notes
straight A's*

Christmas Concert

This year's Christmas Show is on THURSDAY, DEC. 15 @ 6:30pm. Grades 1-4 will present "A Christmas Gift for Amos." Please mark your calendars. This is a required performance.



HCA Drama Club Performance



Speech & Debate Showcase

SPJ Students will be taking part in the Speech & Debate Showcase this Sunday, Nov. 6 @ 6:00 at Central Catholic in the community room. It will be a great opportunity to see our talented young speakers perform alongside students from at least four other Catholic elementary schools.

Special Thanks to...

- **Mrs. Salupo**, who donated a pump to keep the playground balls inflated!
- **Allie and Carlie Rohr** who donated playground balls for all of the kids to enjoy at recess!

Many of our SPJ students have been taking part in HCA's drama club, with the culmination of the practices leading up to a show on **November 15 at the Palace Theatre in Canton (7:00 PM)**! Tickets are \$5.00 a piece at the door (students 14 & under are free). Come out to support our young performers and watch them shine!

Child Protection Classes (for SPJ Volunteers)

Any parents needing the course formerly called "Treasured Gifts from God," can now take the new Diocesan course called Virtus; times and locations can be accessed here:

https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/reg_list2.cfm?theme=0



Football: The 7th & 8th grade Western Warriors football team defeated its main rival, the Eastern Eagles (made up of St. Paul and St. Thomas Aquinas) last Sunday, 43-29. SPJ students Ben Hopkins, Brock Stropki, and Ryan Hancock helped lead the team to victory!

Basketball: There will be a **basketball skills camp, clinics, and eventually games** for students in **grades 1 & 2** through Holy Cross Academy. This **Saturday, Nov. 5 is the first day**; it will be held at the Meyers Lake YMCA (1333 North Park Ave. NW – Canton 44708). For the next three Saturdays, starting times are 9:00 for 1st & 2nd girls and 10:00 for 1st & 2nd boys. If you are interested in participating, e-mail Mr. Mitchell at dmitchell@youngstowndiocese.org so that I can give you the contact info for the coach (we will be combining with St. Mary and St. Joan of Arc) so that you can meet up with him/ her on Saturday.

SKI CLUB



We will have snow soon, so it's time to think about joining the SPJ Ski Club. We will be going to Boston Mills on Sunday nights from 4-8pm starting January 8, 2017, for 5 weeks. This is a fun activity the whole family can do together. A Ski Club flyer has been attached with all the information. Also, October 14, 15, 16, Boston Mills is having a

ski swap. You can find really good deals on equipment for the upcoming ski season. If you have any questions, contact Vanetta Ellerbrock at vanettae@gmail.com.

Upcoming Events

- Nov. 5:** Skills assessment – 1st & 2nd basketball at Meyers Lake (see Sports section for more info).
- Nov. 5:** Central Catholic v. Manchester – playoff game – @ Central: 7:00 tickets at Central for \$8.00 – \$9.00 at the door.
- Nov. 11:** First Quarter Honor Roll recognized at Mass
- Nov. 11:** Night at the Races!
- Nov. 14:** Drama Club Performance Dress Rehearsal (4:00-8:00)
- Nov. 15:** Picture Retakes
- Nov. 15:** Drama Club Performance (7:00) – Palace Theatre- Canton.
- Nov. 17:** Central Choir comes to SPJ to perform (1:00)
- Nov. 18:** Turkey Bingo – 7:00-9:00
- Nov. 23:** **Race for Education!**
- Nov. 24, 25, 28:** **NO SCHOOL**
- Dec. 15:** Christmas Concert @ 6:30



Two SPJ theater performers, Sarah and Laura Caniglia, will be performing in the Canal Fulton Players production of *Into the Woods* on Nov. 11-13, 18-20; these young ladies will play Cinderella's sisters, while their older sister, SPJ alum Rachel Caniglia, will play Rapunzel. See this week's Thursday folder for a flyer for the event.

Central Catholic News

NOVEMBER 6

Fall Open House for prospective families will be held from Noon-3 p.m. Mass will be held at 11 a.m. with Father Kaylor in the gymnasium. All are welcome to attend.