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SPJ News

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SS Philip and James School

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18....75....BLUE....YELLOW....HIKE!!

A Message from Mrs. Montgomery

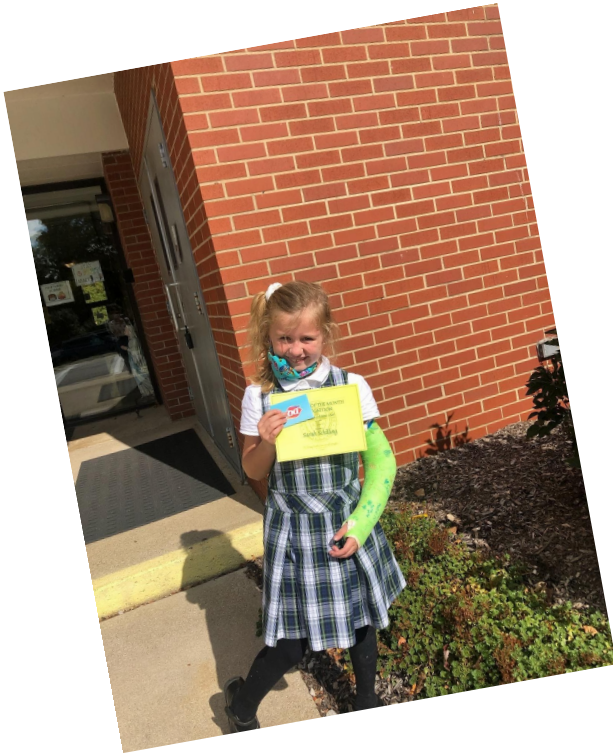
For those of you unfamiliar with the term, cadence is what the quarterback says before the snap. It can be a number of things but there's usually a consistent rhythmic and familiar set of words that initiate the snap. The cadence above had humble beginnings as the first brick was placed as foundation for our SS Philip and James School. In 1875, Father Mueller had the vision to add a school to our parish. One hundred and forty five years later we are still promoting a safe, caring, and supportive environment based on our Catholic Faith. Dedicated teachers, more than ever before,

are creating a learning environment that encourages success for all students. You, our wonderful families, are essential partners in the development of tomorrow's leaders.

(based on SS Philip and James Mission Statement)

Whether you are rooted in the tradition of SPJ or a new family to our school, I hope you find the "rhythmic and familiar" ways of SS Philip and James something to cheer about! SPJ, All the Way!! We Are..... TEAM!!





Fall Weather Uniform Information

As stated in the SS Philip and James Family Handbook 2020-2021.

Shorts in navy blue or khaki may be worn August- October 31. Pants in navy blue or khaki and plaid skirts or jumpers may be worn all year. See attached Uniform Guide for more details.

School Mass Times and Links



There are no live Mass links for this week.

You can find a live Mass or watch a recorded Mass from Catholic TV. Click Here:

<http://www.catholictv.org/masses/notre-dame-mass>

Free Tuition for 2021-2022

Scrip Orders are once again being offered to save with your shopping needs and also help credit your 2021-2022 tuition bill. Look over the Shop w/Scrip instructional flyer and Scrip Dates for 2020-2021. If you have questions, please contact Michelle DuPlain, Scrip Coordinator 330-704-8909.

Halloween Parties

A \$5.00 party fee will be collected to help with this Spook-tacular Event!!

This year SPJ will be celebrating Halloween on October 30. Due to Covid-19 Health and Safety Regulations this year's party will be filled with "surprises". Students in grades K-3 may wear simple pull over costumes to school. Students in grades 4-8 may bring appropriate costumes to change into in the afternoon. The annual Halloween parade will take place downtown starting at 2:00 pm (using social distancing). Although we will not be accepting treats, parents and neighbors can take photos and wave as we walk by. Pizza Parties will follow in the classroom, with teachers as the host. Look for more information from your child's teacher.



Help Support Our School

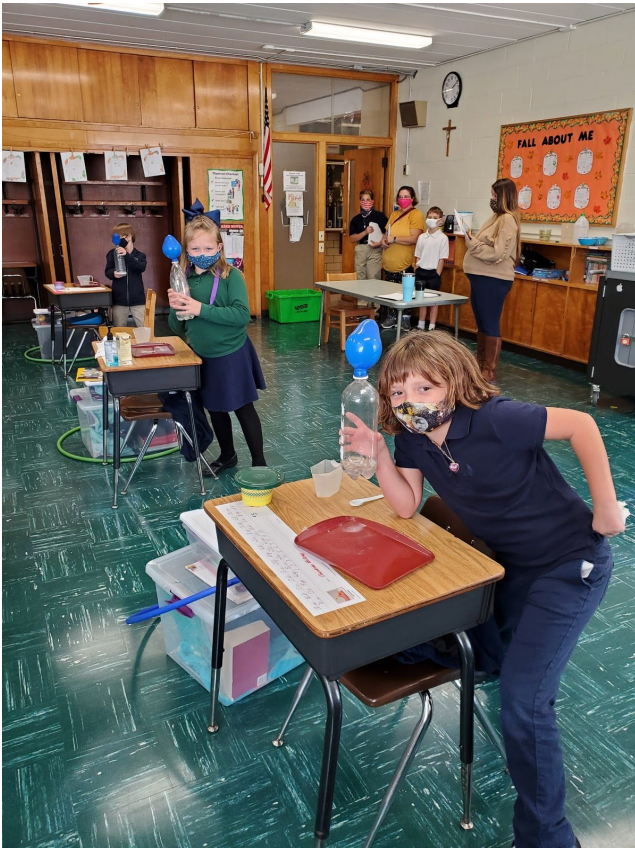
Silent Auction and Reverse Raffle Tickets

Take a chance to win **\$5000.00!!** Only a few chances left. Stop in the office or contact Kelly Morber kmorber@youngstowndiocese.org for tickets and more information. **We appreciate your support for our school.** Ticket cost is \$50. All raffle tickets purchased in 2019 and 2020 will qualify for the drawing. Date of the Virtual Reverse Raffle, SOS Raffle, and Class Basket Raffle "Winners Reveal" will be on November 13!! Good Luck!! Virtual Bidding Window for the Silent Auction items opens Friday, Nov. 6 and Closes Friday, Nov. 13. Look for more information coming soon!

Scholastic Book Fair is coming virtually to SPJ. Check this out <https://www.scholastic.com/bf/ssphilipandjameschool1>

Yearbooks are still available in the office
2019-2020 Yearbooks are now on sale for \$20 in the office. Stop in to pick up your memories! Only a few copies are available. Only a few copies left.





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A Message from Home & School

Come One, Come All!

Next Wednesday, October 14 at 7pm is the SPJ Home & School Meeting!

Come find out what we have planned, make suggestions, and ask questions.

This meeting is always very informative and a good way to find out what is going on at school.

We will be holding our meeting via Zoom. Please join us!

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/71655889024?pwd=RWWKaXJ5cUloa1BldGIMNnRiN1ZWZz09>

Meeting ID: 716 5588 9024

Passcode: SPJ2020

Walk a Thon

The SPJ Walk-a-Thon is back and better than before. Students are encouraged to raise money from family and friends through electronic pledges. The pledge form can be accessed through the link:

<https://forms.gle/5hWLimfN99TuAjAr9>

Students will be walking the week of October 19 for 30 minutes in their scheduled gym classes. Students with the highest funds raised in each grade will receive an SPJ Blanket and a Scholastic book of their choice. (All benefits go to the SPJ Home & School Association)

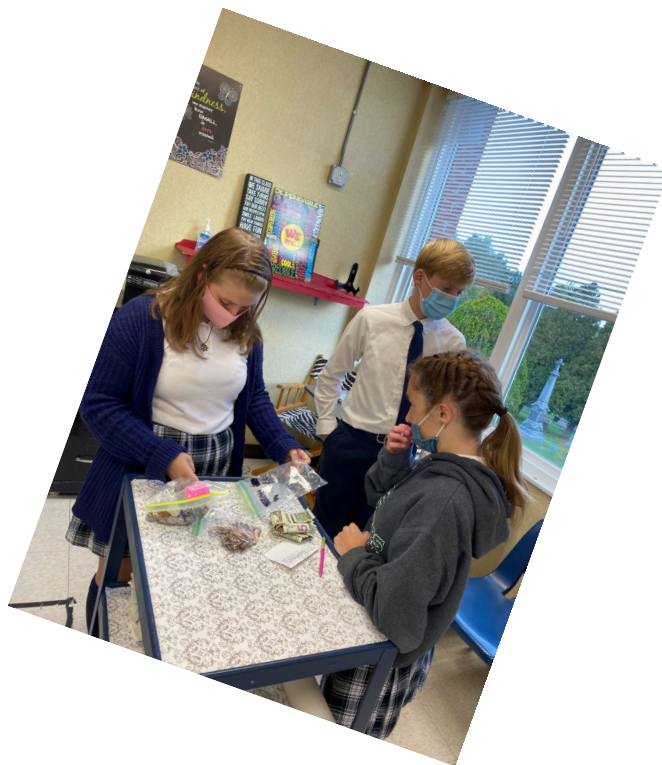
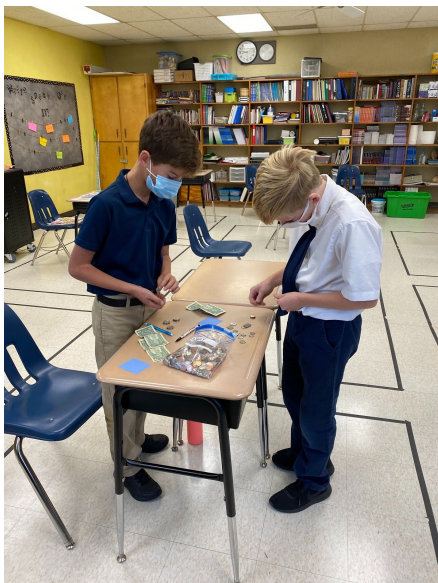


2019 Photo

Online giving is also set up for this fundraiser. Pledges and donations will be accepted through the <https://spjcanalfulton.weshareonline.org>

Included this week is a paper sponsor form.

Let's Move It, Move It!!



Loose Coin Drive

The Student Council organized and raised over \$500 with their kick-off, all school, change drive. Bringing in the highest amount, was 7th Grade. They have chosen Akron Children's Hospital in which to donate a portion of their profits, and have earned themselves a jeans day. Thank you to the entire 8th grade and 5-7th grade class leaders. Great work, SPJ!

Upcoming Dates

October 12- No School

October 19- Walk-a-Thon (during gym class)

October 22-28 Scholastic Virtual Book Fair <https://www.scholastic.com/bf/ssphilipandjamesschool1>

October 23- End of First Quarter

October 30- Halloween Party

November 1- Daylight Saving Time

November 2 & 5- Conference Day

November 3- Election Day

November 6-13- Virtual Silent Auction Online Bidding

November 11- Veteran's Day

November 13- Virtual Reverse Raffle, SOS Raffle, Class Basket Raffle

November 25,26,27,28,29,30- Thanksgiving Break (Wednesday-Monday) No School