



## SPJ News

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### It's The Final Countdown!

Hello, SPJ School and Parish Community,

The 2020 Silent Auction and Raffle is finally upon us.

- Live Link to Watch Reverse Raffle Drawing and Other Raffles

<https://youtu.be/t03P5tYvu4o> Plan to tune in this Friday night, the 13th, at 6:00 to view the link above for our 3 raffle drawings. The 3 drawings are:

- -Class Basket Drawing - Please see attachment at the bottom of this email for class basket descriptions - tickets available in the school office until this Friday, at 3:00. 20 tickets/\$20
- -SOS Raffle Drawing - Tickets available in the school office until 3:00, this Friday. 5/\$20 - 1st prize - \$1,000, 2nd prize - Amazon Echo, 3rd prize, \$100 gift card.
- -Reverse Raffle Drawing - Tickets may be purchased in the school office until 3:00 this Friday. \$50 per ticket/one winner - \$5,000.

Reminders for Online Silent Auction Bidding - going on NOW

- - There is still plenty of time to register and begin bidding on our many great auction items. Please see the attached flyer below or simply register at: [charityauction.bid/spj2020](https://charityauction.bid/spj2020) - enter your credit or debit card, and start bidding.

Lastly, I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their overwhelming support of this year's event. Though things looked much different, one thing did not change, and that is the support of our wonderful school and church families. Thank you again, for your support, prayers, and help.

Sincerely,

Kelly Morber 2020 Co-chair

### **Veteran's Day Video**

Thank you Mrs. Flory and Mrs. Dolecki for the patriotic Veteran's Day Video. The video is included with this newsletter.



### **AMAZON SMILE**

If you are getting a notification that SS Philip & James is not set up, **WE ARE NOW!** Just click on the choose new charity and click SS Philip & James Canal Fulton again. We have completed the required steps, so please use Amazon Smile for all of your Amazon purchases. It does not cost anything and you are donating to your school! Thank you! If you do not know how Amazon Smile works, look in the newsletter for more information or click here

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/34-0861033>



### **School Mass Times and Links**



Families, please join us for Mass either in person or from home. Mass begins at 9:15am

Thur - <https://youtu.be/xpNyJ1RDdX4>

Fri - <https://youtu.be/dEHtQUtfF4E>

### **Student Illness**

Parents and Guardians,  
“No goofing around”, with flu season soon approaching, here is a refresher of what to do if your child is sick. Thank you for helping keep SPJ healthy!!

The school is aware that there are many reasons a child may become ill. Regardless of the illness, a parent should keep the child home until the illness’s symptoms disappear. If a child has a fever, he or she must be fever-free without the use of fever reducing medication for 24 hours. A parent or guardian is required to call the student off from school each day he or she is ill, and a note describing the reason for the absence from school must be sent. A doctor’s clearance may be required for return to school. *(Taken from the SPJ Covid-19 Supplement to the Family Handbook 2020-2021)*



### **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.

### **Walk a Thon**

Thank you for your support and donations for the SPJ Walk a Thon. Over \$1600 was raised!!

Due to the fabulous participation, all students that contributed will receive a blanket and book. Top sales for the class will receive a jeans day pass. Top sales for the school- Taylor Oser will receive a jeans day and pizza party for herself and her class





### **Archery News**

Thank you Mr. and Mrs. McMahon for coaching archery once again this year for grades 4-8!! Archery will be a bit different due to Covid-19. This year's team is not planning on attending any tournaments as a team, though the McMahon's can provide guidance to any parents who want their children to attend tournaments individually. Plan to reserve Monday's 3:30 until 4:30 for instruction. Archery practice for November will be on the 23rd.

### **Mark Your Calendars- Additional Days Off**

Please add these days off to your 2020-2021 School Calendar. These are added Teacher Work Days arranged with the help of the Diocese of Youngstown.

There will be no school for students on these days.

Friday- January 8

Friday- March 19

Friday- May 21



### **Calling All Cheerleaders**

SP-IR-IT! We got SPIRIT!! SPJ would like to host a SPJ Cheer Skills Clinic. SPJ Alumni Sarah Protzman will share cheer skills and movements. Please let me know if you are interested! More details to come soon!



## Free Lunches for the Rest of the Year!!

*(Seriously, now until the end of May)*

The Ohio National School Lunch Program is helping to provide **free lunch** for all students from now until May 28, 2021. Here is what is needed:

- Using the lunch form provided for the month, fill out the days your child/children want lunch.
- Turn the form in without money to your homeroom teacher.
- Milk will be provided with lunch at no cost. Milk purchased without a lunch is still \$0.50.



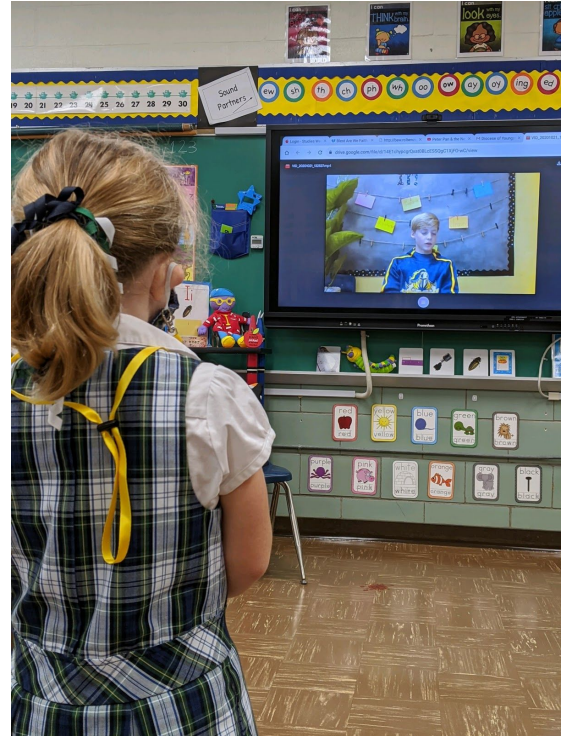
## MARKET DAY IS BACK AT SPJ!

For those of you who were missing Market Day, IT IS BACK! For those of you who have not purchased from Market Day, it is a site where you can order food and it ships directly to your door! YAY! The best part....when you order from Market Day SPJ receives 10% from your order! There are new specials every month and they are adding new products every day! Make sure you use our organization [SS PHILIP & JAMES - CANAL FULTON - OH](#) when you purchase. Email me or contact me with questions. (Ashley Piper 330-715-3773 or [ampiper10@gmail.com](mailto:ampiper10@gmail.com))

## SPJ Spirit Wear

Attention All SPJ Parents, Students, and Enthusiasts  
SPJ Spirit Wear is now on sale, just in time for Christmas!  
SPJ is holding a Spirit Wear fundraiser. All you have to do is buy spirit wear and it supports your school. The sale will run now through Nov. 16. If you chose the pick-up option, we will have your items available at school the second week of December. The link below shows the available items. Many items come in navy or gold, just click the items for options! Thanks for supporting your school and showing your SPJ Pride! Please contact Ashley Piper (330-715-3773 or [ampiper10@gmail.com](mailto:ampiper10@gmail.com)) with questions.

<https://www.shopgameday.net/spj-fundraising>



## Open Food Pantry

This Sunday, November 15

Bountiful Gifts at SS Philip and James

532 High St. Canal Fulton

3rd Sunday of the month

Food Distribution and Sample items

*"Bringing the Body of Christ together to serve others"*



**No Turkey Bingo This Year!!** With much regret, I am sorry to announce Turkey Bingo for 2020 has been cancelled. The Diocese of Youngstown with cooperation from the Stark County Health Department recommends inside public gatherings remain limited. Hope to "Gobble, Gobble" with you next year!!

### Free T- Shirts

Due to Covid-19 safety measures, this year's Kindness Groups will be revamped into..... (wait for it)..... **Virtual Virtue Venues** Students will be meeting within their homerooms with the help of our teachers, school counselor Mr. Tim Morber, and Father Kevin to learn and live out the virtues. We will still be providing T-Shirts as part of our "Kick Off" in December. Please look for and fill out the t-shirt size form attached to this newsletter. No cost needed!



### New From CCHS

- Central Catholic Virtual Information Meetings - Central Catholic is adapting to COVID-19 safety protocols. Instead of their regular fall open house, they are holding Family Information Nights on Zoom. They have designated an evening for our families to join their staff on a Zoom session. Families can find out more about life as a Crusader, see how they maintain their Tradition of Excellence, learn about tuition assistance and scholarships, and ask questions. To get more information, contact Enrollment Director Ryan Hill by email at [rhill@youngstowndiocese.org](mailto:rhill@youngstowndiocese.org) or call 330.478.2131. Information can also be found online at [www.bit.ly/SCCHSZoom](http://www.bit.ly/SCCHSZoom).
- Central Catholic Online Auction - Central Catholic is hosting a virtual auction on Saturday, November 14 from 9:00 am to 9:00 pm. The community is invited to join them. Pre-register now to browse auction items, receive event updates and to help make bidding easier. Please help "make a difference" by supporting Catholic education. Visit their auction website at [central2020.givesmart.com](http://central2020.givesmart.com).



## Box Top Fundraiser

Please read to ensure that your box tops count!!

To ensure that earnings are properly credited to your account:

1. Make sure you have a Box Tops for Education account (you can create one via the Box Tops app or website)
2. Forward your email receipt to [receipts@boxtops4education.com](mailto:receipts@boxtops4education.com) using the same email that's associated with your BTFE account
3. Box Tops will be credited within 1 day - view your earnings detail in the MY EARNINGS section of the app

The following email receipts are currently eligible:

- BJ's Wholesale Club
- Costco
- CVS
- Food Lion
- Fresh Direct
- Giant Eagle
- Google Express
- Hannaford
- Harris Teeter
- H-E-B
- Hy-Vee
- Instacart
- Jet.com
- Jewel Osco
- Kroger
- Lowes Foods
- Meijer Home Delivery
- Peapod
- Rite Aid
- Safeway
- SamsClub.com
- Sam's Club Scan & Go
- Shipt
- ShopRite From Home
- Target.com
- Target Pick-Up/Drive-Up
- Thrive Market
- Tom Thumb
- Vons
- Walgreens
- Walmart Grocery
- Walmart Pay
- Walmart.com
- Wegmans



**Upcoming Dates**

November 12 & 13- Virtual Silent Auction Online Bidding (Final Days)

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

November 19- Interims for Quarter 2

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

December 19-January 3- Christmas Break

January 8- No School- Teacher Work Day

January 14-Report Cards Go Home (Quarter 2)

January 15- No School-Teacher Inservice

January 18- No School- MLK Day

February 11-Interims for Quarter 3

February 12- No School

February 15- No School

February 17-Ash Wednesday