Blue & Gold Weekly News 2022-2023

November 21, 2022



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YOUR PARTICIPATION MATTERS



MAKE YOUR GIFT TODAY!

Important Barnstable Bus Information for Monday 11/21

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There will be no Barnstable buses at dismissal on Monday 11/21 due to a half day at Sturgis.

No School November 23

Coffee & Conversation with Susan Niden, Interim President

During Advent, following the 7:30 A.M. Wednesday Masses in the Our Lady of Fatima Chapel (in the high school building): on 11/30, 12/7, and 12/14, we invite you to join us for coffee and conversation in the Academic Resource Center.

Opportunities to Worship

All are welcome to attend Holy Mass in the Our Lady of Fatima Chapel (in the high school building) every Monday and Wednesday at 7:30 A.M. On Fridays, we pray the Rosary in the Chapel at 7:40 A.M.

November Prayer List

Admission Event

High School Virtual Preview Night, December 1, 7:00 P.M, Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86581188483? pwd=dFcwaE9RQURvSnBpMmRRUIIWalFFZz09 Meeting ID: 865 8118 8483 Passcode: xTW2bj

School Store News

The school store will be open Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and occasionally on Fridays from 2:45-3:45 P.M. Please call ahead on Fridays. Volunteers are

needed! Please click here to volunteer.

High School Sports Schedules



St. John Paul II School PREPARATORY DIVISION NEWS

Lunch Ordering for December

Lunch ordering for the period of Monday, December 5- Wednesday, December 21, is now open.

To place your order:

- Log into Family Portal
- Select Student on the left menu bar
- Select Lunch
- Navigate to the menu month to view the menu for this period.

• The deadline to place an order is Monday, November 28 at 4:00 P.M. Click here for instructions.

** Order for the entire period (there is no option to order week to week).
Additions or changes to an order are not accepted after the deadline.
** See any notes on the ordering menu regarding off-site field trips and retreats

** You will not be prompted to pay when you place your order. You will be invoiced for your order, through the FACTS system, after 12/21/22.

Preferred payment is through your FACTS financial account; however, you may send in payment to the Business Office. Please pay promptly.

**Helpful Tip: Print out your child's order and tuck it in their assignment pad or planner. Log into Family Portal>Student>Lunch>Select Month>Click on "Month View" (ordered items are in blue)>Print

Preparatory Division Winter Sports Makeup Meeting (Zoom), Tuesday, November 29 at 4:00 P.M.

This meeting is for anyone who missed the first meeting and looking to participate in winter sports.

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us04web.zoom.us/j/75040192912?

pwd=jRvmW4sDIaaG8962UU1Aeqa3D8rryX.1

Meeting ID: 750 4019 2912 Passcode: EL9PLx

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https://us04web.zoom.us/j/79519201162?

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Meeting ID: 795 1920 1162 Passcode: 5jc2GT

Concert for Advent and Christmas

Please join us for our annual Concert for Advent and Christmas on Wednesday, December 7 at 6:00 P.M. We begin with an Art Exhibition, followed by our concert at 6:30 P.M. This is a mandatory event for all Preparatory Division students.

Angel House

The 8th grade is collecting gift cards for Angel House, a family shelter, located right around the corner from the school. The shelter serves families in need of assistance both financial and family counseling services. Angel House needs GIFT CARDS for Target, Old Navy, Marshalls, The Children's Place, Stop & Shop and Shaw's. Gift Cards will be delivered on December 9.

Student of the Week

With Christian love, we take pride in all of our students every week. The JPII Wall of Fame hosts pictures of our Student of the Week recipients. You may also find them here (https://jpiihyannis.org/sow), along with a special tribute. Please join us in recognizing our Students of the Week for the first quarter, with the password: celebrate *To read the tributes, please hover over the image and click on the magnifying glass.

Lunch Volunteers Needed!

Please sign-up here.

THIS WEEK

Monday, November 21 No Assembly No Barnstable buses at dismissal High School Winter Sports Makeup Meeting (Zoom at 4:00 P.M.) details above **Tuesday, November 22** Thanksgiving Prayer Service, 2:10 P.M. "Get Away Day" – No Study Hall or After Care. Thanksgiving Break Begins

LOOKING AHEAD

Tuesday, November 29 Preparatory Division Winter Sports Makeup Meeting (Zoom at 4:00 P.M.) details above Thursday, December 1 High School Virtual Preview Night, 7:00 P.M. Friday, December 2 High School Placement Test for Grade 8



Student Council Event

Can you dig it?! The Student Council is sponsoring a volleyball tournament! It will be held on Monday, November 21, at 3:30 P.M. in the Preparatory gym. \$15 for a team of four to six, with a max of two varsity volleyball players. Added bonus - no limit on staff members! Sign-ups will be on Monday at both X blocks. Talk to a Student Council member, Miss McPherson, or Mr. Rohrer if you have any questions.

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Twelfth Annual Concert for Advent and Christmas

Please join us on Friday, December 16 at 7:00 P.M. for our Concert for Advent and Christmas, featuring our Concert and Chamber Choirs with professional orchestra. Admission is free and everyone is invited. (All Choir members also have the dress rehearsal with orchestra on Thursday, December 15 from 6-9 P.M.)

Solo Class

On Friday afternoons from 3:30-4:30, we offer Solo Class, which is an opportunity to learn how to sing a solo for Solo Night with professional band. No previous experience is necessary and everyone is invited! Solo Night will take place on Friday, January 13 at 7:00 P.M.

Christian Service Leadership Opportunities

There are many local groups and organizations that benefit from JPII students' commitment to Christian service. We are looking for adults that would like to lead a group of JPII students in a service project. Please contact Mr. Lynch at (508 862 6336) or (alynch@jpiihyannis.org).

All volunteers must complete a CORI Code of Conduct and complete the Safe Environment Training.

Guidance Department

A representative from Norwich University will be on campus, November 22 during lunch periods.

Host Family - 2nd Semester

We are seeking a host family for an exchange student from Brazil who will be with us for one semester starting in January. Host families are compensated for their commitment. Please contact <u>Mona Lisa Valentino</u> for more information at <u>mvalentino@JPIIHyannis.org</u>.

Lunch Volunteers Needed!

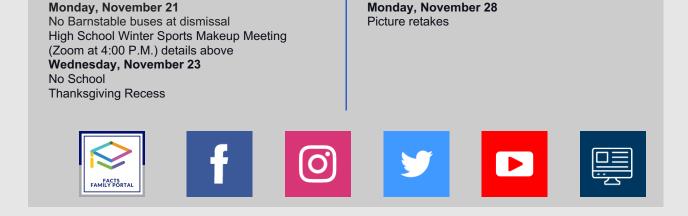
Please <u>click here</u> to volunteer.

School Picture Retake Day, November 28

This is for all Grades 9-11 students who did not have their school picture taken or need a picture retake.







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