## March 5, 2023



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#### **Calendar Reminder**

March 17: Diocesan Professional Day - No School

March 20: No School, Aris Skordas Day Off! - from the Auction

### Play Like a Champion Today - SAVE THE DATE

St. John Paul II School is partnering with the *Play Like a Champion Today* educational series from the University of Notre Dame. *Play Like a Champion Today* is a national coach and parent education program designed specifically to elevate the culture of Catholic school-sponsored sports. The *Play Like a Champion Today* workshop will be held on March 26, coaches session from 9:00 - 12:30 and a parent/guardian session from 2:00 - 3:00 P.M. in the Academic Resource Center. Parents of student-athletes are strongly encouraged to attend. Please sign-up here.

## **Admissions Events & Shadowing**

There are many opportunities for prospective students and families to learn more about St. John Paul II School. Please share this link with your friends and invite them to attend an event! Questions? Contact Advancement/Admissions Director Jenn Canzano at jcanzano@JPIIHyannis.org or 508-862-6336 x104.

Wednesday, March 8

In-Person Preview Night, 6:00 P.M. Preparatory Division

Thursday, March 9

In-Person Preview Night, 6:00 P.M. High School Division

#### Financial Aid

Financial Aid applications must be submitted annually to be considered for need-based aid. All financial aid awards are reviewed based upon the timely completion of the FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment Form, continued demonstrated financial need, maintenance of standards of good progress, good standing at JPII, and availability of resources. More details are below in each section. Questions? Contact Student Accounts Coordinator Margaret Keras at mkeras@JPIIHyannis.org or 508-862-6336 x400.

## FACTS SIS Information Update for the 2023-2024 School Year

Parents/guardians are asked to update their student's information through the Family Portal for the 2023-2024 school year. Please see the instructions below and complete this process at your earliest convenience. If you have any questions or issues contact Margaret Keras, Student Accounts at mkeras@JPIIHyannis.org or 508-862-6336 x 400.

### **Access FACTS Family Online Portal:**

- Go to sjpfx-ma.client.renweb.com/pwr/?SchoolCode=SJPFX-MA
- Type in your username and password. If you have forgotten your username or password, please click on the link provided.
- After logging in, click on Apply/Enroll in the left menu.
- Click on the Enrollment/Reenrollment link.

### **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.

#### **School Store News**

Regular hours are Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and occasionally on Fridays, from 3:00-3:45 P.M. Volunteers are needed! Please click here to volunteer.

#### **Tennis Coaches Needed**

We are looking for boys and girls tennis coaches at the high school level. The tennis season will start on March 27th and will be practicing and playing its games at Mid Cape Athletic Club. Please contact Coach Fazzi at rfazzi@jpiihyannis.org for more information.

Planning is underway for the annual Blue & Gold Gala Saturday, May 6, at Oyster Harbors Club! This fun-filled celebration unites our school community to raise money to benefit JPII Students and Faculty.





#### Class Raffle Baskets for the Blue & Gold Gala

Thank you to our parent volunteers who will be coordinating the Class Raffle Baskets!

#### **Grade 8- Gift Card Mania**

Parent Coordinator: Dianne Ellis ellisfamily02532@gmail.com

**Grade 7- Beach Day** 

Parent Coordinator: Diana McDermott

dianaesq2010@gmail.com

**Grade 6- Sports Mania** 

Parent Coordinator: Hillary Portell hill.portell@gmail.com

**Grade 5- Cape Cod Day** 

Parent Coordinator: Wendy Maynard

am1653@gmail.com

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Please click **here** for more information and how to apply for assistance for grades 5 - 8.

### **Drama Dungeon Clean Out**

Students are welcome to join Mrs. Fish, Tuesday, March 7, from 3:00-4:00 PM for costume clean out and organization. All students who have the desire to clean, organize and sort are welcome! Please email Mrs. Fish (Ifish@jpiihyannis.org) with any questions. Pick-up will be at the Preparatory parking lot. Please let me or your child know if they will be going to aftercare. Students may receive an hour of Christian Service for participating.

#### Solo Night

Solo Night will be on Friday, March 31, at 6:30 P.M. in the gym. This is a casual, coffee-house-style event and all students are invited to participate. Students who take private lessons at school or play in instrumental ensembles (Strings, Band, and Piano lessons) are strongly encouraged to participate. Any students who would like piano accompaniment may rehearse with Ms. Uguccioni on Fridays, March 10 & 24, from 3:00-3:30 P.M. Attending at least two rehearsals is mandatory; if these times don't work for you. Please arrange another time with her. Please bring your piano music to Ms. Uguccioni as soon as possible so she can prepare for these rehearsals. If you need help finding music, please let her know. Usually, it can be purchased and downloaded online for just a few dollars. All music at Solo Night is live; there are no backup recordings at this event. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Loewen at kloewen@jpiihyannis.org or Ms. Uguccioni at luguccioni@jpiihyannis.org.

#### <u>Athletics</u>

PD Spring Intramural Program, Zoom Meeting, March 13 at 5:30 P.M

All students interested in participating in the intramural program must attend the Zoom meeting with a parent/guardian. https://us04web.zoom.us/j/75748436741?

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## <u>High School Athletics</u>

The high school will have its mini team winter sports Chick-fil-A awards ceremonies on Monday, March 13th, from 3:15-4:00 P.M. Please bring your uniforms back for collection.

High School Spring Sports Meeting, March 14 at 5:30 P.M.

All students interested in participating in a high school spring sport must attend the meeting with a parent/guardian.

## **Home and School Association News**

The next HSA Meeting is Tuesday, March 7, at 6:30 P.M. via Zoom

The ZOOM meeting link is:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8493260073?

pwd=RU5OVXgxRFZpaVVETWJHTXYzam5FUT09

Friends & Family BINGO has been canceled -there will not be a makeup date.

Tuesday, March 14, is PI Day!

### All Grade 8 Girls Are Invited to JPII's Jane Austen Day!

Thursday, March 16, 3:00-5:45 P.M.

Mrs. Roscoe and Mrs. Mills are reviving the annual tradition of celebrating Jane Austen's book <u>Pride and Prejudice!</u> Find more details here.

#### **Lunch Volunteers Needed!**

Please sign-up here.

## Order a 2022-2023 Yearbook

Click <u>here</u> to purchase the Grade 5-8 yearbook. Would you like to add a personal ad? Details for purchasing ads can be found <u>here</u>. A personal ad is a nice touch to celebrate a graduating 8th grader, congratulate a 5th grader on a great first year, or recognize any student in between! The deadline for purchasing a special ad or buying a yearbook is APRIL 6. Please contact the yearbook coordinator, Mrs. Laureen Fish, with questions at photos@JPIIHyannis.org.

## Barnstable Youth Commission, Job Fair, Wednesday, March 8th, 2:30-5:00 P.M.

Job Fair

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Monday, March 13

Assembly, 9:00 A.M.

Preparatory Division Spring Sports Meeting via Zoom, 5:30 P.M.

Tuesday. March 14

Pi Day!

Lenten Penance Service

High School Spring Sports Meeting, 5:30 P.M. (in person)

March 15, 6:30 P.M.

Welcome Class of 2027! High School Event

Thursday, March 16

5th/8th Grade Buddy Lunch

Jane Austen Day for 8th-Grade Girls

Friday, March 17

Diocesan Professions Day - no school for students

Monday, March 20

No School - Aris Skordas Day Off!

Sports Baskets & Performing Arts "Baskets" for the Blue & Gold Gala JPII Sports Teams and Performing Arts Baskets are back by popular demand and will be featured as part of the 2023 Blue & Gold Gala and Online Auction.

Each sports team and the performing arts will have a coordinating parent to rally its members. To donate, use the form below, and make a monetary donation. No donation is too small, and we hope each family participates.

Donations will be used to purchase an exciting item/package. Clickhere to donate.

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#### **Lenten Food Drive**

Sophomore Nora Bruinooge is an active volunteer at the Yarmouth Food Pantry. There is a recent increase of those in need at the pantry due to a decrease in COVID-10 related public assistance. The Yarmouth Food Pantry is having a difficult time stocking its shelves. Nora, with the help of Morgan Batchelder, is organizing a Lenten Food Drive to give back to those in need during this time. During March, they will be accepting donations of non-perishable, non-expired goods. There will be a donation collection box outside Campus Ministry.

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#### Yearbooks

Yearbooks for the High School Division are available to order. Please click <u>here</u> to order your Yearbook. Seniors do not need to order a Yearbook.

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