

Department of Performing Arts

Dear Parents:

Warm greetings from St. John Paul II High School and St. Francis Xavier Preparatory School! As we begin to prepare our first of many programs for the 2017-2018 school year, The Department of Performing Arts at our school once again extends the opportunity to secure a program ad that supports our students while promoting your business to our extensive community. A commitment to sponsor an annual ad supports the many worthwhile endeavors of our committed students and our noteworthy Performing Arts program which includes the following:

- Two major high school theatrical performances (fall and spring)
- Four major concerts
- An Annual Tour for our Concert Choir of 70 students
- Concert Choir, Middle School Chorus, String Ensemble and Bands
- Ongoing improvements to our excellent Performing Arts facilities
- Technical Theatre class which has many enrolled students, in a number of capacities

Additionally, we have done a great deal to expand our offerings at both the middle and high school levels. Two years ago, we released a professionally-produced CD (*The Music of St. John Paul II High School*), and our combined JPII and SFXP Choirs appeared on TV during the past three Decembers to benefit the annual Shelter Cape Cod Telethon. This past winter, our High School Concert Choir toured to Rome, singing at two Masses on Sunday Morning, February 22, 2017 at the Chair of St. Peter, as well as at the United States Naval Base in Naples, Italy (our Choir was featured on both FOX 25 News and NPR). We were delighted to take 60 students to share their musical talents abroad! This year, we will return to New York City, and the surrounding area, to perform ourselves in many locales, as well as meet and see many Broadway shows, meet and learn from Broadway actors, and experience life-changing sites, such as Ellis Island and the Statue of Liberty.

We are, very much a "state of the art" Performing Arts Program right here on Cape Cod, and can only achieve these kinds of advances with your continued support! Please help us by considering a renewal of your commitment from last year, *or perhaps even a little bit more* - knowing the difference it makes in the life of a student here at St. John Paul II High School and St. Francis Xavier Preparatory School!

Attached you will find the simple details for participation. Business advertisements of all types will appear in EVERY program (at least 8) of the Department of Performing Arts shows and concerts for the upcoming 2017-2018 school year.

Thank you in advance for supporting the Performing Arts and exemplary Catholic Education on Cape Cod!

Sincerely,

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Richard Fish, Jr.

Director of Performing Arts

P.S. The tax identification number for your donation is 042-131-417. RF: enc