



WEEKLY news & updates

MAY 16, 2021

ALL SCHOOL

COVID-19 Vaccination Clinic

The school has been afforded the opportunity to offer an on-site COVID-19 vaccination clinic for students and families. Any JP II/SFXP student or family member of a student is eligible to sign-up. The clinic will be held in the SFXP gym on **Sunday, May 23**, starting at 1 PM.

If you would like your child(ren) to receive the Pfizer 12+ vaccination at school, you must complete this interest form [here](#).

We need your response by Monday, 5/17 in order to determine the number of doses we will require. Once you have expressed interest through this form, we will follow up with necessary paperwork and your appointment time.

Some have asked about vaccination protocols for the fall. Currently, there is no requirement that students be vaccinated in order to return and the school will not require such unless directly required to do so by public health officials.

We are grateful to Cape Cod Healthcare and Whole Health Pharmacy (who will administer the program) for including St. John Paul II High School and St. Francis Xavier Preparatory School in their rollout plans.

Over the Bridge Bus 2021-2022

We are proud to offer free bus service for "over the bridge" transportation exclusively for St. Francis Xavier Preparatory School and St. John Paul II High School students.

Daily pick up/drop off at one of three stops in Bourne, Plymouth, Sagamore, and travel directly to SFXP/JP II in Hyannis. Please click [here](#) to sign-up.

Boys & Girls Basketball Clinic

Coach Fazzi will be running a JP II sponsored basketball clinic from August 2 - August 5 for boys and girls in grades K-7. Full and half-day options available. Click [here](#) for more information.

End of the Year Dates

The final day of classes for the year will be Friday, June 18, for SFXP and JP II students. Additionally, Grade Eight Graduation will take place on Friday, June 11, and JP II Class

of 2021 Commencement on Thursday, May 27. Details forthcoming.

2021-2022 Information Packet

Thank you to those families who have completed the 2021-2022 Information Packet. If you have not already done so, please complete the information packet for next year via the FACTS SIS Family Portal. This process should only take 15 minutes to complete. Directions below.

- Go to **www.factsmgt.com** (district code: SJPFX-MA)
- Select Parent Log In from the menu bar and FACTS Family Portal from the drop-down menu.
- 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.

Continuous Enrollment

Click **here** to review continuous enrollment contract details.

Mass. Travel Advisory

All visitors entering Massachusetts, including returning residents, are advised to quarantine for 10 days upon their arrival. Travelers in the following categories are exempt from this quarantine advisory:

- Travelers who have received a negative COVID-19 result on a test administered not more than 72 hours prior to their arrival in Massachusetts. Travelers may also test out of the quarantine advisory after arrival in Massachusetts, as long as they quarantine until receiving a negative test result.
- Anyone who is returning to Massachusetts after being out of the State for fewer than 24 hours
- Travelers who are fully vaccinated (i.e. who have received two doses of either the Moderna or Pfizer COVID-19 vaccines OR who have received a single dose of the Johnson & Johnson vaccine, 14 days or more ago) and who do not have symptoms.

School Store

The school store will be open on Monday, May 24, and Tuesday, May 25, from 3:00 P.M. -3:30 P.M.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PREPARATORY SCHOOL

End of Year Dates for Grade 5, 6, and 7

Friday, June 11: language arts and reading final exams; noon dismissal

Monday, June 14: science and religion final exams; noon dismissal

Tuesday, June 15: math and social studies final exams; noon dismissal

Wednesday and Thursday, June 16 and 17: make up exams, teacher in-service; no school for students

Friday, June 18: last day of school; awards assembly for students; noon dismissal

Athletics

Football on Monday 3:15–4:30 P.M. Soccer on Wednesday 3:15–4:30 P.M. Make sure you bring a change of clothes and extra water.

JPII Spring Sports

Stay up to date: Follow us on "Remind" (Remind app class code @jp2sports) and Twitter @JPIIAthletics

Financial Assistance for the 2021-2022 School Year

The first round of award notifications (Foundation to Advance Catholic Education and SFXP Scholarship Fund) have been emailed to recipients. If your application is incomplete (including uploading 2020 tax returns) you are highly encouraged to submit the necessary documents as soon as possible. Going forward, awards will be made on a rolling basis as applications are verified and reviewed by FACE and the Financial Aid Committee. There is still time to apply, however funds are limited. The online application can be found **here** or by logging into the Family Portal>Financial>Apply for Grant & Aid. Please contact Mrs. Margaret Keras, Business Manager, at 508-862-6336 or mkeras@jp.dfrcs.org with any questions.

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Lunch

Please note that the lunch program ends at the end of May. Invoices for May lunch charges will be emailed through the FACTS system on/about June 1st.

Please be sure to pay any balances promptly. If you have any questions about your lunch balance, please contact Mrs. Keras at mkeras@jp.dfrcs.org.

We are grateful to Jack's Pizza and the Chapman/Horton Family and New England Pizza House and the Kantzelis Family for their flexibility and commitment to make the lunch program possible this school year.

Uniforms

Order your uniform before June 15 and receive 20% off & free alterations. Click [here](#) for more information.

This Week

May 17 - 19

MAP Testing

Thursday, May 20

Virtual Science Fair

Looking Ahead

Monday, May 24

8th Grade Portrait, 9:00 A.M.

Tuesday, May 25

Kind Comments Presentation available for viewing

Friday, May 28

Field Day

ST. JOHN PAUL II HIGH SCHOOL

Senior Student and Parent Information

Academic Awards: Wednesday, May 19, 10:00 A.M.

Report to the cafeteria at 9:30 in graduation gowns. Lunch and graduation rehearsal will follow. Parents must register in advance.

Baccalaureate Mass: Friday, May 21, 4:30 P.M. -Students should report to the cafeteria at 4:00 P.M. in graduation gowns. Families welcome.

Visit [Senior Events 2021](#) for more details!

Senior Health Records

If parents of Seniors would like to have their sons/daughters' health records, please contact the health office.

Barnstable Police Department Training

On Tuesday, May 18, The Barnstable Police Department will hold a special Police Reform Training in the JP II Auditorium. Please do not be alarmed to see many police cruisers parked on the grass.

Performing Arts Banquet

The Performing Arts Banquet, complete with Chick-fil-A and Softball for all, will take place on Tuesday, May 25, from 4–6 P.M., outside the Auditorium (on the "Performing Arts Green"). Awards will be given, and tearful goodbyes shared. Students need to give Mr. Fish their menu choice for boxed meals and bring their baseball gloves if they have one (we can share a few if needed!). Please be careful not to hit Mrs. Fish with a line drive, if possible!

The online debut of "*An Impossibly Sudden Goodnight*," our Spring Musicales, will premiere on Facebook soon. Be on the lookout! Come experience the live music that we share with our whole JP II Community.

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Campus Ministry

Please **submit** any special intentions you have so that the school community may bring them before the Lord in prayer.

Reach Out Opportunities:

Reach Out Leader Ambassadors

Reach Out is a leadership organization for juniors and seniors. Reach Out Leaders work directly with the Admissions and Advancement Office, interacting with various constituency groups, including donors, parents, students, faculty and staff, prospective students, peers, and alumni. In addition, they represent and promote the school through events and activities on and off-campus. Rising Juniors and Seniors may apply for this leadership position. **Current members of Reach Out do not need to reapply.** Please complete the online application found [here](#) by May 25. Students may also access the application in their class's Google Classroom.

NEW THIS YEAR! Big Brothers/Big Sisters

Big Brothers/Big Sisters support and guide freshmen and transfer students as they transition into a new school. Big Brother/Big Sister will work one-on-one with an assigned student throughout the school year, providing resources and encouragement, facilitating a positive transition to JP II. This position is open to rising sophomores, juniors, and seniors. Please click [here](#) to learn more and apply. Students may also access the application in their class's Google Classroom.

Financial Assistance for the 2021-2022 School Year

JP II families wishing to be considered for school-based financial aid for the 2021-2022

school year must complete an annual application with FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment. The online application is now open. 2019 tax documents and 2020 W-2s are required. If you do not have a 2020 W-2 income, you will be required to submit 2020 tax documents. If you own a business, additional tax documentation may be required. To be considered for the first round of awards starting March 1, 2021, applications must be completed, with all the necessary documentation, by February 15, 2021.

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If you are new to completing the FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment, please view this **video** on what to expect in the application process.

Donnelly's Uniform Company

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Wednesday, May 19

Academic Awards Ceremony, 10:00 A.M. Juniors and Seniors Only

Friday, May 21

Baccalaureate Mass, 4:30 P.M. Seniors and Families Only

Looking Ahead

Thursday, May 27

Commencement Exercises, 5:00 P.M.