

August 15, 2021



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First Day of Classes

Grades 5-12 will attend classes on Tuesday, August 31.

Friday, September 3, is a regularly scheduled day off.

Monday, September 6, is a regularly scheduled day off recognizing Labor Day.

All students will return on Tuesday, September 7.

Bus Information

Barnstable Bus service begins on September 1. Families must make alternative transportation arrangements for August 31.

Buzzards Bay Bus service begins on August 31.

Buzzards Bay Bus

We are proud to offer free bus service for "over the bridge" transportation St. John Paul II School students, grades 5 through twelve. Daily pick up/drop off at one of three stops in Bourne, Plymouth, and Sagamore, then travels directly to JP II in Hyannis. Please [click here](#) to sign-up.

New Email Domain

JP II now has one email domain for the school, grades 5-12: @JP IIHyannis.org. Staff members can be reached by first letter of first name and full last name, e.g., ckeavy@JP IIHyannis.org. High School Division students should login with their same name/YOG and the new domain. Preparatory Division students will be given new addresses upon their return to school.

Tee it up to support JP II with our friends from the Boston College Alumni Association Cape Cod Chapter!

The Boston College Alumni Association - Cape Cod Chapter is hosting a charity golf tournament on September 10, 2021, at Kings Way Golf Club in Yarmouth Port. All proceeds will assist St. John Paul II School financial aid scholarships. Click [here](#) to sign up to sponsor and play today. Thank you, Eagles!

School Store

The school store is located in the High School Division. Gently used uniforms, practice wear, and spirit wear may be purchased here. If you are interested in

volunteering throughout the school year, please email Mrs. Fox at sfox@jpiihyannis.org.

Summer Hours

Tuesday, August 17, 12:00–1:00 PM

Wednesday, August 25, 2:00–5:00 PM

Community Event!

Get your workout gear and water bottle ready and join fellow parents and friends at B/SPOKE Cape House for a 45 minute fun-filled R/DE with great music and an energetic vibe. First-time R/DERS welcome! [Signup today!](#)

B/SPOKE *Cape House* **RSVP TO R/DE**

September 16, 2021

7:15 P.M. R/DE



B/SPOKE Cape House,
1 Market Street, Mashpee



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PREPARATORY DIVISION NEWS

August Mailing: The August mailing was sent electronically this year. If you did not receive the mailing via email, please check your spam folder.

Summer Reading, Supplies, and More!

For your reference:

[July mailing link.](#)

[August mailing link.](#)

Lunch Ordering for September

Lunch is available to order Monday through Friday on full school days. Lunch is provided Monday through Thursday by New England Pizza and on Friday by Jack's Pizza.

Lunch ordering for the period of **9/7/21- 10/1/21** is now open. To place your order, please log into Family Portal, select student on the left menubar, and then select Lunch.

Navigate to the month of September and October to view the menu for this period.

The deadline to place an order is **Monday, August 30th**. Click **here** for instructions.

** Please order for the entire period (as opposed to week to week). Additional orders will not be accepted after the deadline.

** You will not be prompted to pay when you place your order. You will be invoiced for your order, through the FACTS system, after 10/1/21. Payment may be made through your FACTS financial account. Please pay promptly.

**Please note that October orders will not be processed until September lunch balances are paid in full. If you require assistance making a payment please contact Mrs. Keras, Business Manager, at mkeras@jpiihyannis.org.

Fall Pre-Season Student-Athlete/Parent Meeting, Monday, August 16, 4:00 PM, Auditorium in the High School Division

This meeting is mandatory for any Grade 7 and 8 students (and their parent) who plans to participate in a High School Division Fall sport. Families unable to attend this meeting should contact Coach Fazzi, rfazzi@jpiihyannis.org.

This fall we will be offering Football for grades 8-12, Boys and Girls Soccer, Golf, Field Hockey, Volleyball, and Cheer for students in grades 7-12.

All athletes need to signup for family ID in order to participate. Please click [here](#) for the link.

Golf and football start on August 20. All other Fall sports start on August 23. Please be sure physicals are up to date.

There will be a virtual makeup scheduled on August 24 at 5:00 PM for all students and families that cannot attend. Students will not be able to practice until they have participated in a meeting. [Makeup Meeting zoom link](#)

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Preparatory Division Sports

There will be a fall sports meeting on **Wednesday, September 1, at 6:00 PM** via Zoom. We will be offering Boys and girls soccer, cross country, and developmental soccer for students in grades 5-8. [Zoom link for Preparatory Division Fall Sports Meeting.](#)

Welcome Back "Town Hall" Thursday, August 19

Grades 5/6: Thursday, August 19 at 5 PM.

Join Zoom Meeting: [https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5583718732?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5583718732?pwd=RzhIR0E1QnBGU0tEV3ZHdU9ZbzFVUT09)

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Grades 7/8: Thursday, August 19 at 6 PM.

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Monday, August 23, 6:30 PM, New Parent/Guardian Meeting

All parents and guardians new to St. John Paul II School, Preparatory Division, are invited to join Mrs. Kelley for an informational meeting. The meeting will take place in Monsignor Thomson Hall (gym).

Wednesday, August 25, 9:30 - 12:00 PM, New Student Orientation

- Meet new friends and teachers
- Enjoy a pizza lunch provided by the Home and School Association
- Dress is casual; no flip-flops, please.

Band is back for the Preparatory Division!

Ms. Uguccione will be directing our grades 5/6 beginning band and our 7/8 intermediate band on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Band is open to all students who are studying an instrument privately with an outside teacher. Ms. Uguccione and Mr. Fish can help with finding an outside teacher and with obtaining a rented or purchased instrument outside the school, but outside lessons and an instrument

are required. Much like strings (and even sports!), parental involvement with daily practice is the only way to make real progress in the arts! If you have questions or need help with this, just ask! Ms. Uguccioni and Mr. Fish are happy to help with this!

Notes from the Home and School Association

The Home and School Association (HSA) will host a Welcome Back Breakfast for parents, grandparents, and guardians on August 31 from 7:45–8:30 AM in the art room.



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HIGH SCHOOL DIVISION NEWS

Summer Reading Review (Grade 9 students), August 17, 1:00 - 2:00 PM (not mandatory)

This is an opportunity for Grade 9 students to join classmates and review summer reading material with English Teacher Ms. Smith. An ice cream social will follow!

Please click [here](#) for the 2021-2022 Start of School Important Information and Checklist.

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Lunch is available to order Monday through Friday on full school days. Lunch is provided by Papa Ginos/Centerville. Papa Ginos has discontinued its *school meal program*. Therefore, portions will be regular size that you would find in their retail establishments. Some meal prices have been adjusted accordingly. Lunch ordering for the period of **9/7/21- 10/1/21** is now open. To place your order, please log into Family Portal, select student on the left menubar, and then select Lunch.

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Welcome Back "Town Hall"

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Grades 11/12: Monday, August 23 at 6:00 PM.

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New Student Orientation, August 25, 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM

The event is for all Grade 9 and transfer students. Reach-Out student-leaders will share practical advice and information to help make the first days and weeks the very best they can be. In addition, there will be activities, building tours, panel discussions, etc., so that new students feel comfortable and prepared for the year ahead. Students will select lockers at this time. Students are asked to bring their laptops. The dress code is school-appropriate casual. New students and families are invited to a Welcome Cookout at 5:00 PM, following the parent/guardian meeting and orientation.

New Parent Meeting, Wednesday, August 25, 4:00 PM.

Parents of new students in Grades 9 - 12 are invited to attend a New Parent meeting followed by a Welcome Cookout, 5:00 PM

Summer Assignments

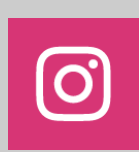
Summer assignments are expected to be completed by the first day of classes with an exam on the English assignment on the second day of classes. Click [here](#) for the assignments.

Textbooks

Families are responsible for purchasing all textbooks and having them ready for the start of school. Textbook ordering information for the 2021-22 school year is available here: 2021-22 Textbook ordering. If you have any questions about textbooks and this year's booklist, please contact our Textbook Coordinator, Ms. Annie Smith, at asmith@jpiihyannis.org.

Lunch Volunteering - High School Division

The high school offers some great parent volunteering opportunities with the Lunch Program. We can accommodate most schedules from volunteering once a week to once a month. Volunteers are required to complete the Diocese of Fall River Office for Safe Environment CORI process prior to their first assignment. If you'd like to learn more, please contact Mrs. Fox sfox@jpiihyannis.org



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