

January 2, 2022



St. John  
Paul II School  
**ALL SCHOOL NEWS**

**Last Call: Parent Satisfaction Survey 2021-2022**

Each year, the school solicits your responses to key areas of school life. Take the survey here: <https://forms.gle/1t8JsykLwboE2A3S9>

**Annual State of the School Meeting - Tuesday, January 18 at 6:30 P.M.**

Please join us at the 'State of the School' meeting via Zoom. We will share information and perspective on the school's institutional life and vitality. In addition to parent survey data, financial information, the status of campus fields, and other strategic items will be discussed.

**'State of the School' Zoom Meeting**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5583718732?pwd=RzhIR0E1QnBGU0tEV3ZHdU9ZbzFVUT09>

Meeting ID: 558 371 8732

Passcode: 974441

**Updated Protocols for COVID-Positive Individuals**

COVID-positive individuals must isolate themselves, regardless of vaccination status, for five days from the positive test. After five days, individuals who have no symptoms or whose symptoms have resolved can return to school. In such cases, mask-wearing is especially important. Symptomatic individuals, particularly those with fever, must stay home until the fever resolves. Read more [here](#).

**COVID Case Reporting**

Each week, the school will communicate positive cases of COVID-19 amongst students and or staff members, and if transmission was known to be school-related. For the period of 12/20/21 - 1/1/22, nine individuals in the JP II community have reported as positive for COVID-19. No school transmission is known at this time.

Parents of any student that is identified as a close contact related to a positive COVID-19 case will be notified by the school nurse immediately to review the various options that the student may have related to the quarantine period and required testing. Therefore, if you have not been notified that your child is a close contact prior to the release of this weekly

summary, then your child is not thought to be a close contact.

### **COVID Vaccination Status Request**

To inform the school of your child(ren)'s COVID vaccination status, please complete the following form: <https://forms.gle/LQDLqFBkuZDH6kWN9>

### **COVID Testing Authorization**

JPII participates in the state's COVID-19 testing program in order to avoid lengthy quarantines for students and staff who have been identified as a close contact of someone in the school and are also asymptomatic.

Parents must provide consent to utilize the testing program. [Provide your consent online here.](#)

### **Admissions Event: Virtual Preview Night**

Please share with friends!

6:00 PM Preparatory Division

7:00 PM High School Division

Speak with administrators and students, and explore the range of JPII programs and opportunities. Learn about JPII's academic offerings, college counseling program, spiritual life, athletics, arts, clubs and activities, and the admissions and financial aid process. Click [here](#) to register.

### **School Store**

The school store will be open Monday and Wednesday from 3:00-3:30 PM.

### **Important Bus Transportation Information**

There will be no afternoon Barnstable Bus service on Friday 1/14 and Tuesday 1/18 through Friday 1/21.

### **Billing for Lunch and Aftercare**

Invoices for December lunch and aftercare were emailed over the break. Preferred payment is through your FACTS financial account. However, you may send a check to the business office.



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**PREPARATORY DIVISION NEWS**

### **Financial Assistance for the 2022-2023 School Year**

The online application for financial assistance for the 2022-2023 school year is open. To be considered for financial assistance through the Foundation to Advance Catholic Education (FACE) you must complete an annual application with FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment. The deadline for submitting the application and supporting documentation is March 11, 2022. *You are encouraged to submit your application as soon as possible and upload documentation as it becomes available.* Please note the following application requirements:

- 2020 IRS Federal Tax Return including any required schedules.
- 2021 W-2 forms for both the applicant and co-applicant.

- If applicants do not have W-2 income 2021, IRS Federal Tax Returns are requested. (*applicants are asked to contact Mrs. Keras if they plan to file a 2021 tax return extension*)

The online application can be found at <https://online.factsmgt.com/aid> or by logging into the Family Portal>Financial>Apply for Grant & Aid. Please contact Mrs. Keras, Student Accounts Coordinator, at 508-862-6336 or [mkeras@jpiihyannis.org](mailto:mkeras@jpiihyannis.org) for more information. Click here for an informational flyer from FACE (with Spanish and Portuguese translations).

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

### **Additional Scholarship Information**

Additionally, scholarships are provided through the school's Scholarship Fund. To apply to the school's Scholarship Fund, in addition to completing the FACTS application, a letter requesting consideration along with a brief explanation of need should be sent to Mr. Keavy ([ckeavy@jpiihyannis.org](mailto:ckeavy@jpiihyannis.org)) by April 15, 2022.

### **Preparatory Division Basketball Schedule**

Please click [here](#) for the PD Boys and Girls Basketball schedule.

Remember to signup for the Remind App for all your sports communications; text @jp2prep to 81010 or check our Twitter account @JPIIAthletics

### **High School Division Winter Sports**

Game Schedules

[Click here](#) for updated Lions athletics schedules.

All athletes must register for Family ID in order to participate. Please sign-up [here](#).

**Home and School Association (Zoom) Meeting, Tuesday, January 4, 6:30 P.M.** All are welcome to attend. Please click [here](#) for the link.

### **Yearbook Information**

Preparatory Division yearbooks for the 2021-2022 school year are available for purchase at [treering.com](http://treering.com). Use the passcode: 1014006133771584. Please contact yearbook coordinator, Mrs. Elizabeth Harkey, with questions at [eharkey@JPIIHyannis.org](mailto:eharkey@JPIIHyannis.org).

### **Lunch Volunteers Needed!**

Click [here](#) to learn more.

## **THIS WEEK**

### **Monday, January 3**

Classes Resume

### **Tuesday, January 4**

No study hall

HSA Meeting, 6:30 P.M. (link above)

## **LOOKING AHEAD**

### **Friday, January 14**

Local In-Service Day, 11:24 Dismissal

### **Monday, January 17**

No School

Martin Luther King, Jr Day

### **Tuesday, January 18**

State of the School Meeting, 6:30 PM

### **Wednesday, January 19**

Mid-term Exams: Language Arts and Reading

Noon Dismissal

**Thursday, January 20**

Mid-term Exams: Religion and Science

Noon Dismissal

**Friday, January 21**

Mid-term Exams: Math and Social Studies

Noon Dismissal



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**HIGH SCHOOL DIVISION NEWS**

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### **Midterm Exams**

Midterm exams will be held January 18 - 21. Students may come to school for the full half-day or if they do not have an exam scheduled, they may leave school early or come in late. However, all students must be on time for exams. The Academic Resource Center will be open during the day for all students.

## **Lunch Volunteers Needed**

For more information, please contact Margaret Keras at [mkeras@jpiihyannis.org](mailto:mkeras@jpiihyannis.org).

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### **Monday, January 3**

Classes Resume

## **LOOKING AHEAD**

### **Monday, January 10**

Picture make-up day

### **Wednesday, January 12**

Guidance: Understanding PSAT Results

### **Thursday, January 13**

All periods - Mid-term Exam Prep

### **Friday, January 14**

Local In-Service Day

Early Dismissal - 11:24

All periods – Mid-term Exam Prep

### **Monday, January 17**

No School

Martin Luther King, Jr Day

### **Tuesday, January 18**

8:05 – 8:15 Prayer/Announcements

8:15 – 9:45 Mid-terms, All Period A Classes

10:00 – 11:30 Mid-terms, All Period B Classes

11:45 – 1:15 Make-Up Exams

State of the School Meeting, 6:30 PM

### **Wednesday, January 19**

8:05 – 8:15 Prayer/Announcements

8:15 – 9:45 Mid-terms, All Period C Classes

10:00 – 11:30 Mid-terms, All Period D Classes

11:45 – 1:15 Make-Up Exams

### **Thursday, January 20**

8:05 – 8:15 Prayer/Announcements

8:15 – 9:45 Mid-terms, All Period E Classes

10:00 – 11:30 Mid-terms, All Period F Classes

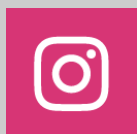
11:45 – 1:15 Make-Up Exams

### **Friday, January 21**

8:05 – 8:15 Prayer/Announcements

8:15 – 9:45 Mid-terms, All Period G Classes

10:00 – 11:30 Make-Up Exam



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