

September 11, 2022



St. John
Paul II School
ALL SCHOOL NEWS



Fall Fest!, October 15, 4:30 - 7:00 P.M.

Last year's event was a tremendous success! Don't miss out on the second annual Fall Fest social event at Naukabout Brewery in Mashpee. Kick off the school year celebrating new friendships and renewing old acquaintances while supporting St. John Paul II School. This is a 21+ event.

Tickets/Sponsorships

Welcome Reception, September 20, 8:15 A.M.

The JP II Advisory Board invites you to join them in the Academic Resource Center for coffee and conversation with Susan Niden, Interim President.

Grandparents Day & Special Friends Day, October 21

Grandparents & Special Friends are invited to join students, faculty, and staff on Friday, October 21, for a 9:00 AM reception followed by the celebration of the Holy Mass at 10:00 AM at St. Francis Xavier Church. We are honored to have Bishop Edgar da Cunha S.D.V. as the principal celebrant. **Register your Grandparents & Special Friends!**

Photos wanted!

We would love to have more pictures of our athletes in action to share on the website and social media. Please feel free to share photos to **this folder** or email them to lfish@jpiihyannis.org.

Foundation to Advance Education (FACE)

For the first time, a special second collection will be held throughout the Diocese of Fall River to help make Catholic education more affordable for families. This collection will occur on the weekend of September 10-11th. The proceeds will go to FACE as part of its fundraising efforts to provide needs-based scholarships for families desiring a Catholic education. In support of this collection, the Carney Family Foundation has announced it will match up to \$50,000 in donations. To learn more click [here](#).

String & Band Students

On Saturday, September 17, all students enrolled in Strings and Band, as well as some parent chaperones, are invited to hear the Cape Symphony

perform Tchaikovsky's 4th Symphony and a Mozart Violin Concerto. They will meet at Barnstable High School at 6:15 to attend a pre-concert talk with the conductor. The concert begins at 7:30 and ends around 9:00. Please email Mrs. Loewen at kloewen@jpuihyannis.org no later than Tuesday, September 20, if you plan to attend.

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. Carpenter at mcarpenter@jpuihyannis.org.

High School Sports Schedules



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PREPARATORY DIVISION NEWS

Preparatory Division Sports Update

Assistant AD Ryan Bradley will coach the Boys and Girls Soccer team. The program runs Tuesday-Thursday from 3-4:30 P.M. at Lopes Field. Please wear JPUI gear and cleats to practice. The first game is Thursday at Lopes Field, Boys at 3:30 and Girls at 5:00 P.M. The Super Six Playoffs Start Tuesday, October 25th. We are still looking for coaches to Help Coach Bradley with both teams.

Cross Country will be coached by our High School Cross Country Coaches, Rich Fazzi, and Dr. Spadaro. The program will be offered on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 3-4:00 P.M. The season will conclude with the Super Six race on Wednesday, October 19th. Most meets will be run on Thursdays at the Wixon School. Please wear JPUI gear for practice and good running shoes.

If you are interested in coaching, please reach out to Coach Fazzi at rfazzi@jpuihyannis.org.

High School Athletics

Please click [here](#) for the fall schedule.

Select Chorus

The Select Chorus will hold auditions for all students at the Preparatory Division on Day 1 (Monday, September 12) during X Block immediately following lunch. Our Select Chorus is open to all Preparatory Division students and is the most visible chorus for the Preparatory Division, performing in all concerts, as well as with the high school Concert Choir at Masses. Please see Mr. Fish with any questions.

MAP Testing, September 13 -15

MAP, or the Measure of Academic Progress, is a computer-adaptive skills assessment that provides parents, teachers, and administrators with metrics to measure a student's growth and progress. The data derived from these assessments allows administrators and teachers to measure student growth and proficiency, identify strengths and weaknesses at the school, class, and individual student levels, target instruction, and personalize learning.

"Meet the Faculty" - Mini Class Night, September 28, 5:45

Parents and guardians of current students are invited to Mini Class Night on September 28, at 5:45 P.M. The evening begins with an assembly in Monsignor Thomson Hall. Following the assembly, parents/guardians will attend classes according to their children's Day 1 schedule.

Teachers will introduce themselves, explain their course content and class expectations, and provide general grading guidelines. Each "class" will be about seven minutes in length. Following a run-through of the schedule, parents/guardians and teachers are invited back to Monsignor Thomson Hall for light refreshments sponsored by our Home and School Association.

Lunch Ordering for October

Lunch ordering for the period of Monday, October 3- Friday, November 4 is now open.

To place your order:

Log into Family Portal

Select Student on the left menu bar

Select Lunch

Navigate to the menu month to view the menu for this period.

The deadline to place an order is Monday, September 26 at 4:00 PM.

Click here for instructions.

** Order for the entire period (there is no option to order week to week).

Additions or changes to an order are not accepted after the deadline.

** See any notes on the ordering menu regarding off-site field trips and retreats

** You will not be prompted to pay when you place your order. You will be invoiced for your order, through the FACTS system, after 11/2/22. Preferred payment is through your FACTS financial account; however, you may send in payment to the Business Office. Please pay promptly.

**Helpful Tip: Print out your child's order and tuck it in their assignment pad or planner. Log into Family Portal>Student>Lunch>Select Month>Click on "Month View" (ordered items are in blue)>Print

Home and School Association

Upcoming Events:

September 16

Ice Cream Social (during lunch) - SignUpGenius - Ice Cream Social

Welcome Back Dance (Grades 6-8) **SignUpGenius**-Welcome Back Dance

Donations and volunteers are needed. Please use the **SignUpGenius** links above.

These events cannot happen without your help!

Lunch Volunteers Needed!

Please sign-up [here](#).

The Home and School Association can be contacted at hsa@jpiihyannis.org.

THIS WEEK

Monday, September 12

Grade 8 to Camp Burgess (field trip uniform)

Tuesday-Thursday, September 13-15: MAP testing

Tuesday, September 13

Grade 8 Class Officer Nominations During X Block

Friday, September 16

MAP testing make up

Student ice-cream social during lunch, and

Welcome Back Dance, 7:00 – 9:00 P.M.

(Grades 6 - 8)

LOOKING AHEAD

Monday, September 19

Opening School Liturgy, St. Francis Xavier Church, 10:00 A.M.

Grade 5 Bowling and Pizza Party (field trip uniform)

Tuesday, September 20

Meet the Interim, 8:15 A.M., Academic Resource Center

Grade 8 Class Officer Speeches During X Block

Wednesday, September 21

Grade 8 Class Officer Election During Homeroom

Thursday, September 22

Cultural Enrichment, 10:00 A.M.

Rob Surette and his AMAZING HERO ART



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HIGH SCHOOL DIVISION NEWS

Athletics

Please click [here](#) for the fall schedule.

Senior Pictures

Last call for any senior that has not had their senior photo taken. Prestige Photography will be on campus on September 30 between 8:30 - 2:00 taking pictures outdoors. Use [this link to sign up](#):

Guidance Department News

Senior Information Night, Wednesday, September 14, at 7:00 P.M.

This virtual session is for parents and students. There will be a review of the application and financial aid process, responsibilities of students and parents, and question and answer session.

Common Application Virtual Session, Wednesday, Sept 21 at 7:00 P.M.

We will discuss the Common App. sections, look at a practice application, and there will be a question and answer session.

Lunch Time Campus Visits

September 13- St. Anselm College, Salve Regina University, and Lasell University

September 20- Stonehill College

Financial Aid Nights offered by Jodi Conway

This information-packed webinar will cover the financial aid application process, including a discussion of the FAFSA and CSS Profile applications and tips to successfully guide you through the entire process. Click [here](#) to register to learn more and register.

Student Council

Any student interested in running for office for Student Council, please make sure you complete an application, which can be found on your class's Google Classroom page. Email the completed application and a copy of your speech to Ms. McPherson by the end of the day on Monday, 9/12. Candidate speeches and elections will be held during X-block the following day, Tuesday, 9/13. Please reach out to Ms. McPherson or Mr. Rohrer with any questions!

"Meet the Faculty" - Mini Class Night, September 28, 7:00 P.M.

Parents and guardians of current students are invited to Mini Class Night on September 28 at 7:00 PM. The evening begins with an assembly in the Auditorium. Ms. Mona Lisa Valentino, Principal, will introduce the faculty.

Following the assembly, parents/guardians will attend classes according to their student's daily schedule. Teachers will introduce themselves, explain their course content and class expectations, and provide general grading guidelines. Each "class" will be about seven minutes in length.

Concert Choir Tour to Rome

The Concert Choir is open to all high school students. We are preparing to return to Rome, as well as Assisi, Monte Cassino, and Naples in February! You can see the Tour Enrollment Form and sign up to be in the choir [here](#).

Strings (violin, viola, and cello)

Strings are open to all students at the high school, whether they are beginners or advanced players. Students may participate in Strings as a Fine Arts credit (1/2 credit per year) or as an activity. Private lessons on violin, viola, and cello are also available at the school. Please contact Karin Loewen at kloewen@jpiihyannis.org for more information.

THIS WEEK

Monday, September 12

Senior Retreats- White Mountains and Kayaking

Tuesday, September 13

St. Anselm College, Salve Regina University, and Lasell University Admission representatives on campus during lunch

Wednesday, September 14

Senior Retreats - Cape Hike, Biking, and Art
Grade 12, Senior Guidance Session, 7:00 - 8:30 P.M.

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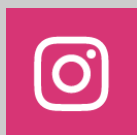
LOOKING AHEAD

Monday, September 19

Opening School Liturgy, St. Francis Xavier Church, 10:00 A.M. - Sweaters required
Lunch Party for Grades 9 -12

Tuesday, September 20

Meet the Interim President, 8:15 A.M., Academic Resource Center
Activities Fair during X Block



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