

### Saint James Catholic School

A Tradition of FAITH, EXCELLENCE, COMMUNITY

## Weekly Update-October 27, 2023



The PTO thanks all of our families for their participation in our most recent fundraisers. The **Read-A-Thon** that just wrapped up raised \$14,850! The three students who received the most donations were **Jolie Simpson**, **Shiloh Keller** and **Gracelynn Perkins**. Mrs. Fiepke's kindergarten class was the winner of the pizza party. Thank you to everyone who participated...we are thrilled with the results! The PTO sponsored **golf scramble** that took place in August, raised \$16,687. Thank you to the event chairs, Autumn Nichols and Michelle Wilkins, as well as all the event sponsors and participants. The event continues to sell out each year and we are so appreciative of the support. The PTO plans to use the funds they raise this year toward resurfacing the K-8 playground. More information will be shared about the playground project once we have all of the details.

Sorry Parents currently After School Care is **FULL!** We cannot take any drop-ins or new full-time students. We are in the process of hiring additional help so we can take on more students. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

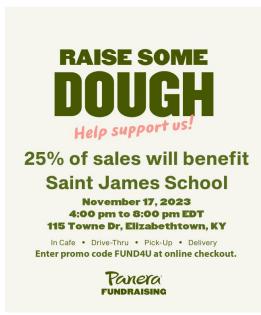


Raffle tickets for the 11<sup>th</sup> annual Black & White Knight event will be sent home this Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>. Please check your **youngest** child's backpack or folder for a labeled, colored envelope. The Grand Prize item this year is an EZ GO Valor golf cart (sponsored by Extreme Sports) or \$10,000 cash option. We ask each family to sell the **three** \$20.00 tickets provided to earn a *Choose Your Shoes Day* for your family.



If every school family sells three tickets, we will be almost halfway to our goal. If we reach our 1,850-ticket goal, the whole school will get to watch Mr. Black, Mr. Padgett, Officer Powell, Mr. Lanz, Mr. Ragland and Mr. McDonald get Slimed! If you would like to sell additional tickets to help us reach our school-wide goal, please contact the Raffle Chair, Courtney Fleck, at <a href="mailto:courtneyfleck@gmail.com">courtneyfleck@gmail.com</a> or stop by the school office.

\*All ticket stubs, money, and unsold tickets must be returned by *January 12th*. See attached flyer for golf cart specs.







Saint James Catholic School will celebrate Veterans Day November 10, 2023. As has been a recent tradition, we invite our Veterans and their families to join us for a special presentation in the SJS gym at 8:30 a.m. followed by a reception in the cafeteria, hosted by our Military Committee, PTO and those who have sponsored the event. Due to space constraints, we are not able to invite all our families, but we will be videoing the presentation. We hope to have all our Veteran families join us as we honor the heroes among us in our school and community.

## Please RSVP to our Veterans Day Program

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/19M29JRk2hPt4klC-qTbxto-\_U9SpVdio49YPD-JCatc/edit

Please submit your photos of Veterans using the link below <a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1UaepkHDHYfcYFc-Ojg1v3CtzkkEW-biN7ssZEnHVRcw/edit">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1UaepkHDHYfcYFc-Ojg1v3CtzkkEW-biN7ssZEnHVRcw/edit</a>

#### LAST CHANCE TO ORDER!!! SPIRIT STORE OPEN!

Click HERE to place your online SJS Spirit Store order. This link will CLOSE on 10/29 @11:59 pm. Any questions? Email Mrs.Garris:ailgarris@sjschoolonline.org.

**Tuition Assistance Applications are NOW Open!** You can find the application at <a href="https://www.ceflou.org/">https://www.ceflou.org/</a>. See the attached flyer for more details. If you have any questions, please contact Marjery Krill: 270-765-7011, ext. 106.

# SJS ALUMNI NEWS

Congratulations to Bethlehem Banshees Girls Soccer Team on their victory! They will play in the State CHAMPIONSHIP game tomorrow night! We are so proud of their hard work and determination! We are ESPECIALLY proud of our very own SJS Alumni Iris Padgett. She is a freshman at Bethlehem playing on the Varsity team! Best of Luck to the Banshees!





# ST JAMES CATHOLIC SCHOOL LIVING WAX MUSUEM

November 1, 2023

7Z- 9:30-11:00

7D-12:30-2:00

Located in the SJS Gym

Presented by 7th Graders.

Trick or Treat at Bethlehem is tonight Friday, October 27th, from 4PM-6PM at Bethlehem High School! Join us for an afternoon of Halloween fun & trick or treating through the halls of Bethlehem! Please bring your own bucket or bag, & don't forget to wear your costume. Please see attached. Email <a href="mailto:pmontgomery@bethlehemhigh.org">pmontgomery@bethlehemhigh.org</a> with any questions.

Come join us for a "Halloween Tennis Trick or Treat" event on Mon. 10/30 from 4:30p-5:30p at Freeman Lake Tennis Courts. Come dressed in costume for FREE tennis games and FREE candy. All K-5 students are welcome. Middle Schoolers looking for service hours, please see Mrs. Garris. Click <u>HERE</u> to register for the FREE event. Any questions? Email Mrs. Garris at <u>ailgarris@sischoolonline.org</u>.

Halloween Tennis Trick or Treat Flyer