



John Paul II Academy

Titan News

Educating the Mind, Enriching the Heart, Inspiring the Soul

January 19, 2022

Dates To Remember:

- Class/Group Pictures this morning **January 19**
First Reconciliation Sacrament 6:30 pm **January 20**
{in St. John Paul II Church}
No School for KG - 8 grade students **January 25**
{Professional Development for teachers, PreK still in session}
JPIIA Open House 11:00 - 2:00 pm **January 30**
Catholic Schools Week **January 30 - February 5**

Next Tuesday, January 25

Next Tuesday, January 25, 2022 our Kindergarten through 8th grade faculty will be attending a professional development conference. There will be **NO SCHOOL for K-8th grade students on January 25** as a result of this professional development day. This conference will help our teachers to further develop and to sustain our Response to Intervention (RTI) program.
*Pre-Kindergarten will have a regular schedule on January 25.
*There will not be any after-school care on January 25.

CEF NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS!

John Paul II Academy families seeking tuition assistance for 2022-2023 must complete the FACTS aid application. **Applications for tuition assistance should be submitted now through January 31, 2022.**

- You must apply for tuition assistance each year.
- Aid is need-based. You will be required to upload 2020 tax information.
- Completed applications received by January 31, 2022 will be considered in the first round of awards.
- Tuition assistance award notifications will be issued by May 1, 2022.
- Apply here: www.ceflou.org
- The FACTS parent help line is 1-866-315-9262

No Boots at School

As a reminder, students are not to wear boots to school. Students are welcome to wear athletic shoes, tennis shoes, or Sperry-style shoes. Details can be found in the student handbook. Any shoe that rises toward the ankle or covers the ankle is considered a boot. If students need to wear snow boots or rain boots to school for safety reasons, they are welcome to change into tennis shoes upon arrival at school. We are offering reminders to students and parents this week, and beginning on Monday, January 24 we will telephone parents to request that a change of shoes is brought to school if students arrive in boots. Thank you!

Open House

We are excited to welcome prospective families to our Open House on Sunday, January 30, 11:00 - 2:00 pm. Please invite your family and friends to come and see the great things that are happening at John Paul II Academy! There is a tuition initiative in place that provides \$500 off tuition for a family that refers another registering family. Please see Mrs. Conliffe or the parent handbook for details. We are thankful to you for encouraging your friends and neighbors to visit our school!

Please see other side for more news

Coming Soon-Catholic Schools Week

Catholic Schools Week begins Sunday, January 30 and continues through Saturday, February 5. We celebrate our communities of faith, excellence and service. At JPIIA we celebrate that our school is a place that truly makes a difference.

Next Week's FREE Lunch Menu

Menu subject to change daily due to Supply Chain delays

Monday- Sausage and Waffles, Yogurt with string cheese and goldfish crackers, Tater tots, Sidekick and Baked Apples

Tuesday- Grilled Cheese, Hot Dog, Glazed carrots/Black beans & Fruit

Wednesday- Cheeseburger on Pretzel bun, Yogurt with string cheese and goldfish crackers, French fries & Fruit

Thursday- Spaghetti with meat sauce & breadstick, Yogurt with string cheese and goldfish crackers, Green beans & Fruit

Friday- Stuffed crust cheese pizza, Stuffed crust pepperoni pizza, Corn/Broccoli & Fruit

Counselor's Corner

Parents,

As mentioned in last week's Titan News, I will be teaching two programs within the next couple of months. The first program is Signs of Suicide (SOS). This program will be taught to students in grades 6th-8th. I will also be teaching the Speak up Be Safe program, this program will be taught to students in grades K-8th.

Thank you,

Katie Jacoby, CSW
Counselor

Choir Practice Dates

January 24 - Children's Choir (Grades 2nd - 4th)

January 31 - Youth Choir (Grades 5th - 8th)

February 7 - Youth Choir (Grades 5th - 8th)

February 14 - Youth Choir (Grades 5th - 8th)

Choir practice ends at 3:15pm