



March 28, 2018

UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday, March 29

No School
Holy Thursday

Friday, March 30

No School
Good Friday

Monday, April 2

No School

Tuesday, April 3

No School
Teacher In Service

Friday, April 6

ACLAP Field Trip
Main Library Branch

Christian Service Spirit Day

Monday, April 9

After School Enrichment Classes
Begin

Thursday, April 12

School Advisory Commission
Meeting—7:00 p.m.

Friday, April 13

5th Grade Field Trip
Hall of Fame Museum

Rummage Sale
Church Hall

Monday, April 16

After School Enrichment Classes

ST. JAMES SCHOOL

NEW INFORMATION

Happy Easter

Our entire faculty and staff would like to wish you and your family a very Happy Easter! May Easter remind you of the joy of the Risen Lord and the sacrifice that Jesus Christ made for each of us.

Kindergarten Expansion

Next year we are excited to announce that we have opened a fourth kindergarten room for the 2018-2019 school year! We are also excited to announce that we will be welcoming Mrs. Megan Cionni to our staff as our new kindergarten teacher. Mrs. Cionni has taught at St. Als on the Ohio for the past three years. We look forward to welcoming her to our school community in August.

Blizzard Bags

Blizzard Bag work that was assigned for the March 21 snow day is due on April 4. Failure to complete these assignments will result in a student being marked with an unexcused absence for the day. Additionally, a student may be assigned loss of credit for incomplete work. Thank you for your support and help in ensuring this work is completed and returned to the teachers.

School Advisory Commission

St. James School is looking for a few interested people to join the St. James School Advisory Commission. This is a three year term beginning with the 2018-2019 school year. The School Advisory Commission meets monthly and is an advisory group to the school administration. For more information or to express your interest, please contact Scott Barbee at scottbarbee@gmail.com or 513-470-6786.

Playground Parent Survey

The designers of the newly renovated West Fork Park are interested in feedback from parents. (The designers are St. James grads!) To help them gain insights on the park's design, please [click here](#) to complete a short survey.

REMINDERS

Panther Prowl Address Form - Return to School!

A packet of information was sent home about our upcoming Panther Prowl. If you haven't done so already, please take time to complete the Address Form for Donation Requests. In order for us to meet our goal, it is important for our families to participate and return this form. Please contact the school office if you need another copy. Thank you for helping to make sure our Panther Prowl is a success!

Panther Prowl Homeroom and School Challenge

Please see the attached flyer for more information about the Panther Prowl Homeroom and School Challenge. Our goal is 100% participation from our families. Participation is counted in two ways:

[Click here for more events](#)

- Returning your family's "pink" address form for donation
- Using your personalized letter to make a family donation to the Panther Prowl

[Panther Prowl Challenge Sheet](#)

St. James Parish Tuition Assistance

St. James will be utilizing FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment to determine financial need for tuition assistance here at St. James. FACTS provides an online application for families. A family's tax and income information can either be scanned and emailed or sent via mail to the company directly. The deadline for applications for St. James tuition assistance is April 15, 2018, for the 2018-2019 school year. If you have applied for aid for a high school and also want to be considered for St. James, you will need to upload your 2017 tax information before the deadline. You do not need to reapply, you just need to update your information. This is also the process if you applied for the Archdiocesan Financial Aid. Just update your 2017 information before April 15th so your results will be sent to us to be considered for parish aid. The application can be completed at <https://online.factsmtg.com/signin/3XHJJ>. If you have any questions about tuition assistance or the application process, please contact Amy Klosterman, St. James Parish Business Manager, at 741-5320.

CAFETERIA

NEW INFORMATION

On behalf of the cafeteria staff, we hope you have a blessed Easter and enjoy time with your loved ones.

The Week Ahead

Wednesday, 4/4—A—Cheese Pizza; B—Pepperoni Pizza; Sides—French Fries, Broccoli with Dip, Peaches, Applesauce; Salad Bar with Chili

Thursday, 4/5—A & B—Beef and Cheese Nachos; Sides—Refried Beans, Tomatoes and Onion, Sour Cream, Carrots with Dip, Fresh Fruit, Applesauce; Salad Bar with Chili

REMINDERS

April Menu

Please see the link below for the April menu.

[April Menu](#)

April Volunteers

Please see the link below for the volunteer schedule for April.

[April Volunteer Schedule](#)

PTO

UPCOMING DATES/EVENTS

April

2—Rockin' Jump 4:00—8:00 p.m.

13-14—Rummage Sale

25—PTO Board Meeting; 7:00 p.m. Room 105—All are welcome

NEW INFORMATION

Spirit Shop

April Hours: Thursday, April 12th 8:00-9:15a.m.

Thursday, April 26th 8:00-9:15a.m.

The Spirit shop will be open on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of every month.

REMINDERS

Rockin' Jump- Monday, April 2nd 4-8 p.m.

Kick up your Easter Break with a fun night out at Rockin Jump! St. James families will receive a special rate for 2 hours of jump time (includes socks.) \$18/jumper, mention St. James and receive the special rate AND Rockin' Jump will give back \$5 per jumper to the PTO. Anyone can come and take advantage of this special offer; friends, family, neighbors, etc. Thank you for your support!

[Rockin Jump Flyer](#)

Mom and Son Date Night! - Thursday, April 19th 6:00—9:00 p.m.—All Grades Welcome!

Please join us for Mom Son Date Night; it's sure to be a blast!

Who: Moms and sons of all grades

What: \$40/couple (\$10 additional sons) includes laser tag, bumper cars, climbing walls, elevated ropes course, unlimited skating, pizza & drinks.

Where: The Place (formerly Skatin Place) 3211 Lina Place (off of Galbraith Road)

When: Thursday, April 19th 6:00—9:00 p.m.

[Mom Son Date Night Flyer](#)

Rummage Sale- Friday, April 13 from 5-7:00 p.m. & Saturday, April 14th from 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

There will be a \$5.00 clothing only bag sale at noon. Please start saving useable clothing, toys, books, household goods, small appliances, and miscellaneous items. Please no large furniture, no curtain rods, and only appliances that are in good working order. Drop off for these items will be in the church hall on Wednesday, April 11 from 3—7 p.m., Thursday, April 12 from 3 – 7 p.m., and Friday, April 13 from 9:30 a.m.-12:30p.m. Please do not drop items off at any other time, or if no one is there to accept the items. Call Janice at 385-5850 if you need more information of if you can help setup on Friday morning or cleanup Saturday after the sale. Thank you!

Kroger Rewards— Please Sync Your Plus Card To Earn \$\$\$ for St. James!

Not sure if you are registered? Check the bottom of your Kroger receipt, under Kroger Community Rewards, it will say, "You requested Kroger to donate to St. James School PTO". See attached for detailed instructions on how to register your Kroger Plus Card. Visit www.kroger.com and register your Kroger Plus Card with St. James PTO today (Our Enrollment Number#80087) Already registered? Ask a family member, neighbor, or friend to register. The more we shop, the more we raise! For quarter 3, we raised \$1,929.11 from 256 households! Thank you!

[Kroger Rewards Flyer](#)

ATHLETIC CLUB

NEW INFORMATION

4th Annual St. James Golf Outing

Registration is open for the 4th Annual St. James Athletic Club Golf Outing to be held Friday April 27, 2018, at Aston Oaks Golf Club. Spaces are filling up so don't miss your chance to join us for this exciting event and help raise funds to support the athletic programs for the students of St. James.

To register please visit <https://stjameswhiteoak.weshareonline.org/2018SJACgolfouting>

If you have questions about the event, or would consider volunteering at the outing, please contact Keith Theissen – theissenk@gmail.com

[Golf Outing Flyer](#)

7th & 8th Grade Girls Hoops Tourney Champs

Congratulations to the 7th/8th Grade Team Todd on winning multiple tournament championships over the last couple weeks. They won the St. Dominic Tournament as well as the Westside Classic Tournament. Great job girls!



5th & 6th Grade Panthers Hoops

Congratulations to Team Griffin on finishing 2nd place in the Friendship Bracket of the Westside Classic Tournament. Great job girls!



REMINDERS

St. James Sign Ups – Multiple Sports

Sign ups for Football and Soccer are currently open. If you have any questions regarding these sports, you can visit www.stjamespanthers.org, and click on the “SJAC BOARD” tab for contact information for the various sports coordinators. It is a busy sign up season for the St. James Athletic Club, don't miss out and sign up today!

Golf Sign Ups Open

Sign ups for the 2018 St. James Golf season are open on-line. Golf is available for girls and boys in 5th grade though 8th grade. Sign ups will close on May 31st. We are looking for 2 coaches for this year as well. If you are interested in golf or have a child that plays, please consider volunteering! If you have any questions, please contact Scott Hoffman at whitney4573@gmail.com with any questions.

ST. JAMES PARISH NEWS

NEW INFORMATION

Parish Bulletin

In case you missed this past week's bulletin, [click here](#) to access the information.