

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL FULLERTON

Woffpack Weekly



From the Principal's Desk

Here we go! This week marks the last week of school for both our Pre-K students and our 8th graders. Congratulations on completing your first and final year at SJS-Fullerton! We're proud of all you've accomplished and excited for what's next. I'd also like to acknowledge and send best wishes to our students and families who are moving. You'll always have a special place in our hearts.

Today was a great day with our final Mass of the school year, Mrs. Trimble and I became human ice cream sundaes, the 8th grade retreat, and our Awards Ceremony where we recognized student excellence in academics, leadership and more!!

Books for Students

We are rearranging items in our Multimedia Center this summer and condensing our book collection. Since we love to see students reading, especially over the summer, your child will be coming home with a few books of their choice on Thursday, May 29th. They will still have the SJS stamp in them, but they are yours to keep and enjoy!

Information from Mrs. Grace

Read [here](#) for a summer opportunity about Building Executive Functioning Skills at Home. Thank you to Mrs. Grace for sharing this with us.

Parish News/Updates

- Please keep Mrs. Sherrie Palmateer and her husband in your prayers as she takes some time off to care for him. Due to her absence, IGNITE Summer Camp has been cancelled and Deacon Tim will be leading this year's Vacation Bible School.
- Church renovations will begin on June 9th and are expected to take approximately 15 weeks. Mass will be held in the Parish Center during this time.
- Help me in wishing Father Ned all the best as his time here at St. Joe's comes to an end. He will head off for sabbatical on July 1st.
- We welcome our newest Associate Pastor, Father Jun Guamil, who will join Father Felix and Father Jesse shortly.
- Save the date! Join us for a Parish/Campus Clean Up on June 14th from 9-11am

Key Dates for the 2025-2026 School Year

Please [click here](#) to see all of our key dates for the 2025-2026 School Year.

UPDATED Shadow Day Policy Per the AOB

There are no excused absences. Students who shadow in 7th grade are considered unexcused. When students shadow in 8th grade, they are unexcused as well, but it is noted that they are absent due to participating in a shadow day. It is too late in the year to update our SJS Student & Parent Handbook, but we will be sure to include this updated policy in next year's handbook.

Upcoming Dates:

Thursday, 5/29 - 8th Grade at Hershey Park, Used Uniform Sale, Mix and Match Uniforms Begins (No mismatched shoes/socks are allowed)

Friday, 5/30 - Kindergarten Orientation at 8:15am, Pre-K Closing Ceremony at 9am followed by

Pre-K Picnic, 8th Grade Luncheon and Drive Around (Please see email sent on 5/23 with details)
Monday, 6/2 - Spirit Wear Day, Graduation Practice for 8th Graders from 10:30-11:30 am in the Church

Tuesday, 6/3 - Kindergarten Picnic, Summer Work Coming Home with Students

Wednesday, 6/4 - Field Day, **Half Day**

Thursday, 6/5 - Class Picnics, **Half Day**, Report Cards Sent Home with Students, Last Day for Students!!!

Friday, 6/6 - Last Day for Faculty

Beginning Monday, June 9th, **Summer Hours** will begin for our Main Office. We will be in the office on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 8am-3pm.

New Announcements



Hot Lunch Has Ended

Hot Lunch has ended for the year. Please remember to send lunch in with your child(ren) for all remaining full days of school. Students should continue to bring in a water bottle everyday.



Gift Cards Coming Home

Keep an eye out for some awesome freebies coming home with every student! This includes a [Chick-fil-A](#) gift card, coupon for free [Sweet Frog](#), and a certificate from [Raising Cane's](#) good for one free kid's meal. These are courtesy of our sponsors in recognition of everyone's participation in this year's Race for Education. Enjoy!

Flat Wolfie 2025

Flat Wolfie is ready for fun in the sun with our Wolfpack families this summer! Keep him handy for all of your summer adventures. Snap a photo with him and share it with us by emailing WolfpackShare@stjoeschool.org. He will be coming home this week for students in PreK-7th grade, along with a checklist of some ideas to help get you started. When your adventures are over, Flat Wolfie is a sticker for you to keep!



Books for Students

Students will be invited to come and "shop" our books in the Multimedia Center on Thursday, May 29th. Teachers will accompany students as they shop. They are welcome to take up to 3 books each. Books can be taken home and kept. Happy reading!



Request from Ms. Bromley

Ms. Bromley is in need of the following materials for her art classes next year. If possible, please hold onto these items. They can be dropped off at the Main Office in bulk over the summer on Tues, Wed or Thurs between the hours of 8am-3pm. Thank you!

- Paper towel rolls
- Cereal boxes
- Egg cartons
- Clear plastic (like clean take out containers)



***** HASA'S USED UNIFORM SALE *****

THURSDAY, May 29, 2025
6:30 PM

ST. JOSEPH PARISH CENTER

Only cash & check will be accepted for payment

Selling Uniforms?

Drop off all items
May 29th between 8:00
and 10:00 AM in the
Parish Center.



Selling Uniforms?

All items must be
labelled with student
name, homeroom,
item size, and price.
See selling guidelines.

The HASA Used Uniform Sale will take place tomorrow, Thursday, May 29th. Sellers can drop off their tagged items from 8-10 am in the Parish Center. [Please see the selling guidelines here.](#) All items should be labeled with the student's name, homeroom, item size, and price. Shopping will take place on May 29th from 6:30-8:00 pm in the Parish Center. Please bring a shopping bag. **Only cash and check will be accepted for payment.**

Lilo & Stitch Movie Day

Grab your friends after our Half Day/Field Day on June 4th and come see a private screening of Lilo & Stitch at Horizon Fallston. Tickets are \$10 per person. [PURCHASE TICKETS HERE](#) Doors open at 1:15 pm.

Win School Supplies for Life Sweepstakes

Order your school supplies through 1st Day and you will be automatically entered to win FREE school supplies for life! To enter, just order your kit by May 31st. One lucky family will win. [Order yours today!](#)

Nominate Us

Nominate SJS-Fullerton in The Daily Record's Reader Rankings Awards for 2025. These awards celebrate and recognize the best our community

NOMINATE SJS-FULLERTON

BEST PRIVATE SCHOOL (ELEMENTARY/MIDDLE SCHOOL)



has to offer. Nominations end May 31st and voting begins July 1st. [Nominate SJS HERE](#) as **Best Private School (Elementary/Middle School)**! One vote per day per email address.

Order Your Yearbook

Order your 2024-2025 school yearbook and customize 2 pages at no charge! Each yearbook is \$40.00. Additional pages can be customized for just \$1.99 for each additional 2 pages. Upload photos from your phone, computer, Facebook, Instagram, etc.

[Order yours today!](#) Our schools' passcode is 1014879532772250. Accepting orders through June 30th.

An advertisement for a yearbook. It features a central image of an open yearbook with various photos and text. Below the image, the text reads "CAPTURE YOUR MEMORIES IN THIS YEAR'S ST. JOSEPH FULLERTON YEARBOOK!". To the left, under "Customize Your 2 Free Pages", it says "Add photos from your computer, Facebook, Instagram, Google Drive & more." and "Answer fun Memory Questions to help remember the year." To the right, under "To Purchase & Customize Your Yearbook, Use The QR Code Below, or:", it says "Must be a parent or student 13 years or older." and lists two steps: "1 Go to: www.treering.com/validate" and "2 Enter your school's passcode: 1014879532772250". At the bottom, it says "Regular price: \$40.00" and "Does not include sales tax, if applicable." and "Create Custom Pages by: Jun 30". The Treering logo is in the bottom left, and a QR code is in the bottom right.

Race for Education 2025



RACE FOR EDUCATION



Thank you to our Sponsors!

Sponsors and In-Kind Donors

This year's RFE was an astounding success! We appreciate the support from our students, families, and generous sponsors listed below. Thank you for your continued partnership! We had a wonderful day—despite a bit of rain—and are thrilled to share that we surpassed our fundraising goal of \$65,000! Go Wolfpack!!

Please support those who have supported us. ♥

- [Final Cut Landscaping & Tree Care](#)
- [Snapology](#)
- [Jimmy's Famous Seafood](#)
- [Dundee Farm LLC](#)
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- [Kona Ice](#)
- [Jurassic Golf & Arcade](#)
- [The Go-Kart Track](#)
- [Bengie's Drive-In Theatre](#)
- Mrs. Ashby & Mrs. Trimble
- The Thomas Family
- The Isom Family
- The Sullivan Family
- The Spilker Family
- The Desai Family

Reminders from Nurse Mary

Parents/Guardians of Current 5th Grade Students:

Upon your child entering 6th grade in the 2025-2026 school year, we will be requiring an updated physical exam, completed within one year before school starts in the fall. This is to ensure that I am up to date on any medical concerns or new medications your child may be taking, all for the continued safety of your child. View a copy of the Maryland Schools Record of Physical Examination Form from the [Finalsite Parent Portal HERE](#).

Parents/Guardians of Current 6th Grade Students:

In 2014, new immunization requirements were mandated for students entering 7th grade. These new requirements are in addition to the existing school immunization requirements. All current 6th-grade students are required to submit an updated immunization record reflecting that the following immunizations have been administered before entering 7th grade 2025-2026:

- One (1) Tdap vaccination
- One (1) Meningococcal vaccination

Please contact your child's physician to verify if any vaccinations are missing and obtain an updated immunization (reflecting the above have been given) record to provide to the school. It is very likely your child has already been given these vaccines, as physicians have been aware of the changes for some time. Most students have their original immunization records on file from when they first entered St. Joseph's. This early notification of requirements affords you plenty of time to verify, confirm, and provide the school with the updated immunization record to aid in a smooth return to school in the Fall.

According to Maryland School Immunization Regulations (COMAR 10.06.04), students must be immunized according to the Maryland Recommended Childhood Immunization Schedule to be allowed in school. A child will have up to 20 days from the start of school (2025-2026 school year) to show proof of vaccinations, after which exclusion from school can be enforced.

I will send a reminder home to those who have not sent in an updated immunization record. It can be sent in over the summer in preparation for the beginning of school in late August. If you have any questions, please contact me at 410-256-8026.

Thank you,

Mary Konopacki RN, BSN
mkonopacki@stjoeschool.org
410-256-8026

Important Dates

THURSDAY, 5/29

- Used Uniform Sale in the Parish Center (Drop off labeled items 8-10am, Shop 6:30-8pm)***Cash or Check ONLY**
- 8th Grade at Hershey Park
- Mix and Match Uniforms Begins (No mismatched shoes/socks are allowed)

FRIDAY, 5/30

- 8th Grade Graduation Practice
- Kindergarten Orientation at 8:15 am
- Pre-K Closing Ceremony 9:00 am followed by Pre-K Class Picnic
- 8th Grade Luncheon & Drive Around (Refer to email sent on 5/23 for details) *Kindergarten will dismiss at 2:20 pm

MONDAY, 6/2

- Spirit Wear Day
- Kindergarten Field Day
- 8th Grade Graduation Practice 10:30-11:30 am
- 8th Grade Graduation 6pm

TUESDAY, 6/3

- Kindergarten Class Picnic
- Summer Homework Sent Home with Students

WEDNESDAY, 6/4

- Field Day
- **HALF DAY (K @ 11:45 am, Gr 1-8 @ 12:00 pm)**
- HASA Lilo & Stitch Movie 1:30 pm (pre-purchased tickets only)

THURSDAY, 6/5

- LAST DAY for students
- Class Picnic Day

- Report Cards Sent Home with Students
- **HALF DAY (K @ 11:45 am, Gr 1-8 @ 12:00 pm)**

FRIDAY, 6/6

- Last Day for Faculty

Looking Ahead:

June 9th - Summer Office Hours Begin (Tues, Wed, Thurs 8am-3pm)

June 30th - [Yearbook Orders Due](#)

August 25th - School Begins

[2024-2025 Key Dates](#)

[2025-2026 Key Dates](#) **NEW!!**

[FULL-YEAR CALENDAR](#)



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Chick-Fil-A lunch (Pre-order only) Grade 3 to DC 1 st Holy Communion Rehearsal 6pm	2 May the Pack be with you Spirit Wear Day (Regular Spirit Wear may also be worn)	3 1 st Holy Communion 10am & 12pm Youth Bowl
4	5	6 Subway Lunch (Pre-order only) Teacher Appreciation Day	7 Pizza Lunch (Pre-order only) Grade 4 to Annapolis Grade 1 to TimberNoak School Nurse's Day	8 Chick-Fil-A lunch (Pre-order only)	9 May Crowning 9am "Step up to Middle School" (during lunch & recess for Gr.5)	10
11 School Mass 10:30am Mother's Day	12 School In Session K to Goucher 8 th Grade Finals Begin	13 Subway Lunch (Pre-order only) Spring Concert 1pm Concert & HASA Meeting 6pm	14 Pizza Lunch (Pre-order only) Volunteer Mass & Brunch	15 Chick-Fil-A lunch (Pre-order only) Spirit Wear Day Battle of the Books 6:00pm PC	16 Race for Education	17 Band@ Hershey Park
18	19 Makeup hot lunch for Grs. 1 & 4 (Pizza) and Grs.3 & 5 (Chick-Fil-A) Finals Begin for Grades 4-7	20 Subway Lunch (Pre-order only)	21 Pizza Lunch (Pre-order only)	22 Chick-Fil-A lunch (Pre-order only) LAST HOT LUNCH Grade 5 to Philadelphia	23 Club Photo Day No Finals Today Noon Dismissal	24
25	26 School Closed Memorial Day	27 School Closed	28 Last PreK & 8th Grade Mass 8 th Grade Retreat Awards Ceremony 1pm Church	29 8 th Grade to Hershey Used Uniform Sale Mix & Match Begins Ascension of Jesus	30 K-Orientation 8-15am PreK Closing Ceremony 9am (RC Home) 8 th Grade Luncheon & Drive Around	31



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1	2 Graduation Practice 10:30-11:30am Kindergarten Field Day Spirit Wear Day Graduation 6pm	3 Kindergarten Picnic	4 Field Day Noon Dismissal HASA Private Screening of Life & Stitch 1:30pm @ Horizon Fallston	5 Class Picnics Noon Dismissal Last Day for Students Report Cards Home	6 Last Day for Faculty	7
8	9 Summer Hours Begin (T,W,TH) 8am-3pm)	10	11	12	13	14
15 Father's Day	16	17	18	19 Office Closed Juneteenth	20	21
22	23 2024-2025 Yearbook Orders Due	24	25	26	27	28
29	30			School Begins August 25th		

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**Parish
Clean Up Day**



**Saturday, June 14th
from 9am-11am**

**Please meet at St. Joseph statue in
the quad. All are welcome!**

**Great opportunity for
service hours!**

Parish Clean Up Day

All are welcome! Meet us at the St. Joseph statue in the quad at 9:00 am on Saturday, June 14th. Service hours available.

500 Club

Now selling tickets! Cash prizes totaling \$15,000!! Dinner for 2 included in ticket price. Dinner will be

500 CLUB

at St. Joseph Church



COULD YOU use some extra cash???!
WIN IT!!!

Cash Prizes totaling \$15,000

Saturday, October 25, 2025 @ 6PM
(door opens at 5:30 pm)

Dinner for two included with ticket purchase



\$100 Per ticket

YOU COULD BE THE LUCKY WINNER!!!

Maximum of 5 people purchasing a ticket with cash, check or credit card. Adults 21 years of age are permitted to participate.

For additional information on this fun raffle or to purchase a ticket, please contact Barbara Mosco at 410-256-1630

on Saturday, October 25th at 6:00 pm in the Parish Center. \$100 per ticket. Contact the Parish Office to purchase yours today! 410-256-1630

Confirmation 2026



For rising 9th-12th graders (17 & under)

**Confirmation registration
is available online.
Program begins in September.**

*Visit our Confirmation page
for more information*

**Contact: 410-256-1630 or
confirmation@stjoefullerton.org**

Confirmation Registration is Open

Confirmation registration is now available for rising 9th-12th graders. Program begins in September. [Visit our webpage to register](#) and for more information.

If you have any questions, you may email Rick Urbanski, Confirmation Coordinator, at Confirmation@stjoefullerton.org

Pentecost Celebration

St. Joseph Church & School

**Sunday, June 8th
at 12:30pm Mass**

*Come celebrate the universality
of our Catholic Faith.*



Feel free to wear the dress of your cultural heritage.

Join us in the Parish Hall after Mass to

Taste & See the World

Taste Please bring a dish (main, side or dessert) that represents your cultural heritage. All dishes can be dropped off in the Parish Hall before 12:30pm Mass.

Please label the dish and country it represents. Hot dishes should be in an aluminum pan that can be placed in a chafing dish. Hotdogs & hamburgers will be provided

See We are inviting you to bring artistic items from your country of origin to share with the community. Tables will be provided!

Come Holy Spirit!

Pentecost Celebration

Pentecost Celebration will be Sunday, June 8th at the 12:30 pm Mass with a Taste of the World celebration following Mass in the Parish Hall.

Volunteers Needed

St. Joseph Cemetery is in need of volunteers for the Summer. Contact the Parish Office if you are interested 410-256-1630.



St. Joseph Church
Cemetery & Funeral Services

ST. JOSEPH CEMETERY

St. Joseph Cemetery is currently in need of volunteers for the summer to help with the grass maintenance.

If you would like to volunteer or learn more information, please call T.J. Froemsdorf at 410-256-1630.

Thank you.

VBS 2025
TRUE NORTH
Trusting Jesus in a Wild World

For those entering K-5th in the Fall of 2025
June 23-26 from 9am-12pm
Cost: \$35

Registration Available Online
Visit www.stjoefullerton.org
under Youth Ministry

Contact: Erica Stemski
estemski@stjoefullerton.org

Vacation Bible School

New theme! Open to students entering kindergarten through 5th grade. Join us June 23-26th from 9 am-12 pm. Cost is \$35. [REGISTER ONLINE HERE!](#) Limited space available. *All students who were previously registered for the initial theme remain registered.* Questions? [Email Erica Stemski.](#)

Wolfpack Athletics



Registration is OPEN for the '25 Summer Soccer Clinic!

Registration for Summer Soccer Clinic is now open! **Please note that year's clinic will be limited to only rising Pre-K through 5th graders due to the refurbishment of the upper soccer field.** [REGISTER HERE!](#) Participants can look forward to soccer training, games, drills, and free nightly snowballs. The clinic will take place on Tuesday, July 8th through Friday, July 11th. Registration will be live until June 8th or until spots are full. Questions? [Email Clinic Director Melissa Miller.](#)



6th Annual SJAA Golf Tournament

Join us for a day of fun, friends, and fairways in support of St. Joe's Athletics!

- Monday, October 6, 2025
- Mt. Branch Golf Course
- 1827 Mountain Rd., Joppa
- 8 am Check-in, 9 am Start
- Format: Scramble
- Includes: Golf, Cart, Beverages, Lunch, Dinner, Prizes & More!

Whether you're a seasoned golfer or just in it for the laughs, we'd love to see you there. More details & registration coming soon!

Questions? [Email Erik Cartwright.](#)

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