



FALCON NEWS

PRINCIPAL, CLAYTON COBB

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL, KATHERINE SUCKLE



Dear St. Joseph Families,

IT IS HOT. It is very hot. Due to the rise in temperatures in these August afternoons, we are monitoring the weather and determining whether or not it is safe for students to be outside. I realize that many families will send their kids outside to play at different times but as you entrust them to us, we want to keep them safe from the extreme heat. High's this week are predicted to be between 104 and 107. Please advise your children to drink lots of water each day to stay hydrated.

DON'T FORGET! Back to School Night is this **THURSDAY** at 6 PM. We will begin in the our school gym and will disperse to the different grade levels from 1st through 8th. It is an opportunity for you to receive valuable information from your child's teachers regarding the school year and what to expect this year. Additionally, you will be able to purchase PTO items and sign up for activities.

IF YOU PLAN TO SERVE AS A VOLUNTEER of any kind for the school that deals with our students you **MUST** go through the Protecting God's Children course. Sign up by going to www.virtusonline.org.

HAVE KIDS TO SCHOOL ON TIME! We are now into the routine of the school year. Please make sure students are school by 7:40 AM. When students have 3 unexcused tardies, it converts to a 1/2 day unexcused absence. More importantly, students miss out on critical instruction time. Thank you for your collaboration and cooperation. St. Joseph, pray for us.



UPCOMING EVENTS!

TUE, 8/22

3:05-5PM Varsity Cheer Practice Begins
5:30 Archery Information Night (Gym)

WED, 8/23

8:15 School Mass for grades K5-8

THU, 8/24

3:05-4:30 JV Cheer begins
6PM-7:30 BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT FOR GRADES 1-8

FRI, 8/25

SPIRIT SHIRT DAY with uniform bottoms

TUE, 8/29

YEARBOOK PICTURES TAKEN ALL DAY-
SEND STUDENTS IN THEIR BEST UNIFORM

WED, 8/30

8:15 School Rosary and Balloon Rosary
Release in lieu of Mass (priest retreat)

IT'S A GREAT TIME TO BE A FALCON!

Virtue of Kindness



DEFINITION:

EXPRESSING GENUINE CONCERN ABOUT THE WELL-BEING OF OTHERS; ANTICIPATING THEIR NEEDS

KINDNESS PRAYER:

DEAR JESUS, YOU ARE KINDNESS ITSELF. I DESIRE TO SHOW CHARITY TOWARD MY NEIGHBOR THROUGH MY THOUGHTS, WORDS, AND ACTIONS. WHEN OTHERS MEET ME, LET THEM MEET YOU IN ME!

LOOKS LIKE:

CARRYING BAGS FOR SOMEONE

SOUNDS LIKE:

DO YOU NEED ANY HELP?

St. Martin de Porres

FEAST: NOV. 3

MARTIN GREW UP VERY POOR IN PERU IN THE 16TH CENTURY. HE BECAME A BROTHER IN THE DOMINICAN MONASTERY. HE TOOK CARE OF ANIMALS AS WELL AS THE COOKING AND MANUAL LABOR. EVERYONE IN THE CITY LOVED HIM BECAUSE OF HIS KINDNESS, ESPECIALLY TO THE POOR. HE SAVED NOVICES FROM GETTING IN TROUBLE AND TOOK CARE OF THE SICK AND THE POOR.



ST. JOSEPH
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Back to
SCHOOL

• **NIGHT** •

THURSDAY

AUGUST 24TH

6 PM- 7:30 PM

GRADES 1ST-8TH

Harrington House will be photographing St. Joseph
on Aug 29th

How do I order?: 3 easy ways

1. Envelopes are going home with each student, prepay
and send the form back on picture day.

2. Pay online at www.harringtonhouse.net, go to “Order
Forms,” then choose “Yearbook Online Ordering.”

3. New! Pay with Venmo

Payment Description **must** include:

Package

School

Student's Name

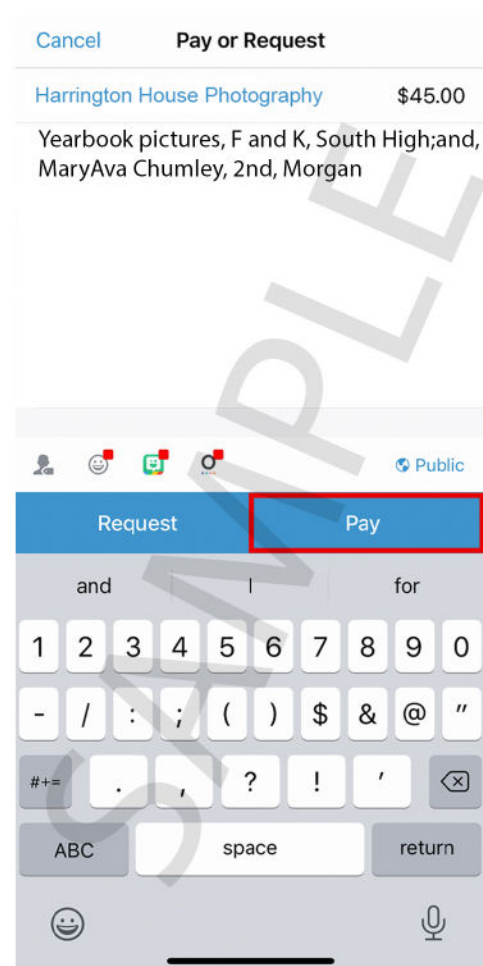
Grade

Homeroom Teacher

See sample below:



venmo





Jets Football Schedule



Thursday 8/17 6:30 PM
Scrimmage @Lakeside

Tuesday 8/22 6:30PM
North Desoto @ North Desoto

Tuesday 8/29 6:00PM
Logansport @ Messmer

Tuesday 9/12 6:00PM
Evangel @ Messmer

Tuesday 9/19 6:00PM
Linwood@ Messmer

Thursday 9/26 7:30 PM
CMM 8th @ Lee Hedges

Tuesday 10/3 6:00PM
Northside @ Messmer

Tuesday 10/10 6:00PM
Evangel @ Evangel

Tuesday 10/17 6:00PM
Calvary @ Calvary

Tuesday 10/24 5:30 and 7:30PM
CMM 7th / CMM 8th @ Messmer

Thursday 10/30 6:00 PM
Glenbrook @ Messmer

Thursday 11/7 6:00 PM
Magnolia @ Magnolia



SJS Archery Team

**Want to join the St. Joseph School Archery Team?
Join us for our interest meeting on August 22nd at
5:30 PM in the SJS Gym.**

A few facts about our team:

- **We shoot NASP style archery**
- **Our team is open to current 4th – 8th graders**
- **Team practices will be once a week on Tuesday evenings at the SJS Gym**
- **Athletic fees are \$50 for archery**
- **No equipment or prior experience needed**
- **Archery is one of the safest and most inclusive sports. Archery is for everyone!**

Interest Meeting:

**Tuesday, August 22nd, 5:30 PM, SJS Gym
All parents of interested students must attend**

**For more information contact Coach Kirsten
(kirstenshrews@gmail.com) or Coach Jeff (jdixon83@gmail.com)**



ST. JOSEPH

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

FALCON MERCHANDISE



\$15 - SPIRIT SHIRTS (TODDLER TO 4XL)

\$30 - SWIG 22 OZ TWO SJS LOGO TUMBLER

\$8 - FOR ONE OR TWO/\$15 PURA VIDA BRACELET

\$10 - ST. JOSEPH PRAY FOR US KEY CHAIN

\$5 - SJS YARD SIGN

\$25 - NAVY HAT EMBROIDERED SNAPBACK MESH - BLOCK NAME (A)

\$25 - NAVY HAT EMBROIDERED SNAPBACK MESH - CIRCLE NAME (B)

\$25 - GREEN TRUCKER HAT SNAPBACK - SJS NAVY (C)

\$2 - SJS FALCON DECAL STICKER

\$3 - SJS CREST CAR MAGNET

FILL UP WITH YOUR FAVORITE
CARPENTER HOUSE COFFEE



GRAB A HAT
& A FEW BRACELETS



SUPPORT SJS AND BUY
A DECAL &
CAR MAGNET

GREAT ON PARENT KEYS
& KID BACKPACKS



STUDENTS WEAR ON
SPIRIT SHIRT DAYS

PARENTS YOU SHOULD
BUY ONE TOO!!



SPIRIT SHIRTS AVAILABLE - ALL SALES ARE NOW **ONLY ONLINE!**

BUY AND YOU WILL BE CONTACTED WHEN THEY ARE READY FOR PICK UP

ALL OTHER MERCH WILL BE SOLD AS PRE SALE & PTO WILL SCHEDULE A PICK UP DAY

DEAR MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH PARENTS,

We are so excited to be taking this semester to journey with your sons and daughters! We will be having a Parents meeting on August 26th, at the Carpenter Coffeehouse at 5:15. The address is 228 Patton Ave. Please pray for us as we know the Lord has great things in store as we walk together and we can't wait to start. As a quick reminder we will be meeting from 4:00-5:30 each week unless otherwise noted. I look forward to having a great Fall Semester with your sons and daughters! If you would like to sign up for text reminders and emails with information such as how to sign up for Beyond the Limits text MSYG to 84576. If you have any questions, comments or concerns at any point, please feel free to reach out at any time.

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YOUTH NIGHTS FOR THE FALL SEMESTER

Aug. 26th: Parents Meeting
@Carpenter Coffeehouse
5:15

Sept. 10th: Kick-off
Game/Community Night

Sept. 24th: First Night of Fall
Series

Sept. 30th: Gather West @
St. Jude, 6-9:30

Oct. 8th: Second Night of Fall
Series

Oct. 22nd: Third Night of Fall
Series

Nov. 5th: Fourth Night of
Fall Series

Nov. 19th: Fifth Night of Fall
Series

Dec. 2nd-3rd: Beyond the
Limits in Alexandria

Dec. 10th: Advent/End of the
Year Party

Adoration: