# The Bulldog Brief

#### March 4, 2020

## A message from Dr. Benjamin

## Spring Forward

Next week we induct the newest members of the St. Jude National Junior Honors Society. Our middle school students continue to work hard and their induction into the NJHS is fruit of that work. Thank you to Ms. Hampe and the review team for their hard work in reviewing each student's application. The requirements are rigorous and our students are certainly up to the challenge.

Don't miss the 8<sup>th</sup> grade versus Faculty Basketball game next Thursday at St. Patrick's. Tip-off is at 7 PM. Food will be served. The 8<sup>th</sup> graders will have to face a very enthusiastic group of teachers, many of whom look forward to this opportunity each year! Please remember that we are at another Parish and we should be respectful of the opportunity provided to our school.

Eventually Spring will stick around, but until then, please continue to send jackets, hats, and gloves with the children. We will go outside as long as the temperature is above freezing.

Currently, there is 1 space remaining in pre-K 3, and 4 spaces remaining in Kindergarten. Please do not wait, register as soon as possible. Waiting lists have formed in many grades and there are currently 16 applications in review. Please do not delay. Thank you for all that you do for our community!! **We are**...St. Jude!

Live Jesus in our hearts...... Forever!

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## **Upcoming Reminders**

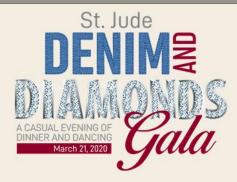
- ✓ Purchase Gala Tickets
- ✓ Volunteer for the Gala
- ✓ Volunteer for the Book Fair
- Bring in Manna food donations

## **Upcoming Dates**

- ✓ Mar 11 NJHS Induction
- Mar 12 8<sup>th</sup> grade Basketball Game
- Mar 13 No School

#### Registration

Please take some time and complete the process as waiting lists have been started. If you are not fully registered, you could lose your spot.



- Next Meeting -- Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm in the library
- Tickets -<u>Check out the site</u> for details about the Gala, including purchase of tickets (**\$70 for one/\$130** for a couple/**\$600 for table of ten**) as well as sponsorship opportunities and car raffle tickets (**\$50**).
- **Car Raffle**: We will be raffling off the sleek NEW JEEP RENEGADE LATITUDE 4x4 on display in the parking lot. Once again, **tickets are only \$50 and only 500** will be sold!
  - Classroom Contests are underway! The Classrooms that sell the most raffle tickets each week will win a special prize:
    - Pizza Party
    - Ice Cream Party
    - Dress down day
    - Homework Pass

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## **ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY LAB**

Silent Auction \* Raffles \* Live Auction

Buffet Dinner \* Online and Mobile Bidding \* Dancing

## Featuring Live Band: DOCTORS ORDERS

Casual Dress (Come wearing your favorite denim and diamonds!)



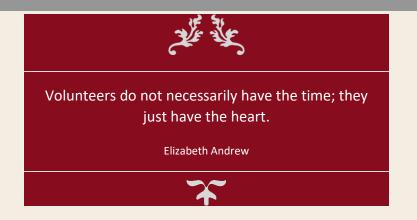


Gala Item Spotlight

## Afternoon of Sailing in Annapolis

Enjoy an afternoon of sailing with our very own Tony Rowedder, a Captain extraordinare! You and up to 3 additional guests will have up to 4 hours of smooth sailing on a 26- foot J80 sailboat out of JWORLD Sailing in Annapolis, MD. Included is a \$200 gift certificate to Ruth's Chris Steakhouse just around the corner from the Marina. Redeem for a mutually agreed upon date between May 1 and October 1, 2020.

#### Value: Priceless



We need committed volunteers for the School store, Playground duty, and a Rosary Club leader for the school year.

You must be willing to commit to a set schedule.

For more info:

Playground: Contact Mr. Sangster

School Store: Contact Mrs. Sabados

Rosary Club: Contact Mrs. Donnelly

School Supply Coordinator: Contact Mrs. Donnelly



It's getting warm out there! Get ready for spring with our Under Armour Maroon Logo PE Shorts, only \$25! These comfortable, light weight, high quality shorts come in youth and adult sizes and are an easy way show your School Spirit. Stop by M-F 8-9 AM or 2:30-3:30 PM to check out these and our other unique items that allow students, parents, staff, alumni and friends to show their St. Jude pride and get your FREE St. Jude Log Car Magnet with any purchase (while supplies last)!

Help spread our School Spirit while fulfilling your hours! Contact Diana Sabados at **artemisdls@yahoo.com** or 703-309-4987 today!

Jade Vieira Menezes, 5<sup>th</sup> grade, won second place 👹 in the Club MVSA 12's Team Tornadoes volleyball tournament this past weekend!





#### The Scholastic Book Fair is coming to SJRCS!

Shopping hours are from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm March 17<sup>th</sup> through March 19<sup>th</sup> and during our Family Reading Night on March 17<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 to 7:30 pm. There will be a large variety of books available at the Book Fair!

For information, check out our Book Fair website at https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/stjuderegionalcatholicsch

All proceeds from the Book Fair go to buy books for the St. Jude Regional Catholic School Library.

The students will be attending the Book Fair with their classes during the following times:

#### Tuesday, March 17

#### Wednesday, March 18

Time	Class		Time	Class
8:30 -9:00		•	8:30 -9:00	
9:15-9:45	3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	•	9:15-9:45	Pre- K 3/4
10:00-10:30	Kindergarten		10:00-10:30	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade
10:45-11:15	Pre-K 4		10:45-11:15	7 <sup>th</sup> & 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade
11:30-12:00	Pre-K 3		11:30-12:00	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade
12:00-12:45	Lunch		12:00-12:45	Lunch
1:00-1:30			1:00-1:30	
1:30-2:00	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade		1:45-2:15	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade
2:15-2:45	6 <sup>th</sup> Grade		2:30-3:00	

Volunteers are needed to help with the Book Fair: Monday (March 16<sup>th</sup>) - 8:00 to 12:00 to set up Book Fair displays Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday – 8:00 to 4:00 to help students select books and as cashier Tuesday – 6:00 to 7:30 pm during Family Reading Night as cashier Friday (March 20<sup>th</sup>) – 8:00 to 12:00 to take down Book Fair displays We need your help! To volunteer please go to https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/stjuderegionalcatholicsch