

6th Grade News

11/27/2023

Wow did the chill of autumn set in today! The 6th grade students have been working on the Keep Christ in Christmas poster designs during art class. Please complete the top of the enrollment form that is coming home today and return it to school by Friday.

The 7th & 8th grade students in the National Junior Honor Society are currently selling Advent Calendars (with Chocolate candy). Thank you to the families that were able to help us raise funds for the Women's Center of Milwaukee. Orders received prior to 11/20 were sent home last week Tuesday. Additional orders forms were sent home on Tuesday. New orders will be sent home this week. Please return orders as soon as possible. Any calendars left after Wednesday will be made available to SJE parishioners. Orders will be filled on a first-come basis and substitutions will be made if necessary.

November ends on Thursday. The last day to take AR quizzes to count toward the November goal is also Thursday. Please make sure your child is working toward their AR goals for this month. New goals will be set with Mrs. Wisniewski for December later this week or early next week.

It is not too late to order your child(ren) books from Scholastic Book Clubs. Please consider ordering from this month's flyer or check out the many other choices online. The students should be able to check books for the ZPD in the AR program to make sure they are making good choices. If your order is designed to be a gift for the upcoming holidays, please let me know and we can check the level for you and arrange for an alternative pick-up arrangement to keep these a surprise. Our class order code is LT6F2. The last day to order before the holidays will be December 6th.

The first trimester ends on Thursday! There are just a few more days to go to keep Honor Cards clean for this trimester. New Honor Cards will be issued on Friday. This means a fresh start for those students who struggled with behavior or academic infractions during the first trimester. PLEASE remember to check your child's Honor Card regularly. It is stapled inside the front cover of their assignment notebook, which should come home every afternoon. It is important for your child to hear your comments and expectations before you receive an e-mail or phone call from school because their green Honor Card is filling up.

We are beginning to prepare for Advent in our classroom and as a school community. Our theme this year will focus on angels as messengers from God. The NJHS will be inviting all students to help the Milwaukee Street Angels, a local non-profit organization that helps meet the needs of those without homes in Milwaukee. We will be packing snack bags for the organization to deliver to the people they work with during our Prayer Pod the third week of December. Please watch for the flyer in the Thursday folder to see what item has been assigned to our class. Our goal is to fill 161 bags (one for every SJE student). If your family will need assistance with this request, please let me know. I have a "Class Angel" who is always willing to help families in need with these types of donations.

I am blessed to have you on our team as we work together to sharpen the faith and knowledge of our sixth-grade students. Please contact me with any questions or concerns. I am looking forward to a fantastic year as I work with you and your child.

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