

11/9/2023

Last week was such a busy week! So many events and fun things to look forward to. Thank you to all the families that were able to bring in treats for the Fall Celebration. The students had a lot of fun eating and watching a short movie. If you were not able to help this time, please watch for another signup before the end of 2023! We will most likely have a class celebration before the end of 2023!

All Saint Day / Grandparents/VIP Day was also a blast. Many of our students transformed themselves into new "saintly" people that day. Thanks for your hard work in preparing them. Please extend our gratitude to all the VIPs that came to spend part of the day with SJE. We would love to hear any feedback regarding the change in activity from Mad Science to Bingo.

The 7th & 8th grade students in the National Junior Honor Society are currently selling Advent Calendars (with Chocolate candy). They are selling fast, especially the Baby in a Manger option. Please see the school newsletter for more information or request a new flyer from the office or school website. Orders will be filled on a first-come basis and substitutions will be made if necessary.

We are almost half-way through November. Please make sure your child is working toward their AR goals for this month. We were so close as a class to earning the school AR trophy for October. 2nd grade beat us out with a slightly higher percentage of students who achieved their goal.

Scholastic Book Club Holiday flyers are going home today. 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.

We have less than 1 month of school until the end of 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.

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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Upcoming Events/Deadlines

***** Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup> – NO SCHOOL – Craft Fair Weekend *****

***** Wednesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> – Early Release at 11:00 AM *****

***** Thursday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> – Thanksgiving – No SCHOOL *****

***** Friday, November 24<sup>th</sup> – NO SCHOOL *****

***** Monday, November 27<sup>th</sup> – Chess Club – 2:45 – 3:45 PM *****

***** Thursday, November 30<sup>th</sup> – END OF FIRST TRIMESTER *****
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