

ST. JOE'S NEWS

September 28, 2018

Student Pick-up Reminder

ALL students must be picked up on school property near the main doors. Students are **NOT** to be picked up in front of the church on Sutherland Avenue unless the office has <u>written</u> permission. If your child is walking home or taking the bus please also notify the office in writing. Thank you. Your child's safety is our priority.

NEW! On line Parent/Teacher Interview booking!

St. Joseph School has gone to an new on-line booking system for Parent/Teacher Interviews this term.

Information was sent home earlier this week and spaces are already filling up. Thank you for being part of this exciting new program!

Interview dates are Tuesday, October 2^{nd} and Wednesday, October 3^{rd} from 4pm to 7:30pm both days. There will be no school on Friday, October 5^{th} .

https://sjk.schoolappointments.com

School Thanksgiving Mass

Please join us on Wednesday, October 3rd for our Grade 5 Thanksgiving Mass. We are asking all students to bring donations of toiletries and/or nonperishable food items for St. Vincent de Paul. Thank you for your generosity!

Thursday is Picture Day

Don't forget, Thursday is school picture day. All students are expected to be in full uniform. *We still need two volunteers to help that day. Please call Mrs. Sehn at the office ASAP if you can help.

Important Dates to Remember

September24th – October 1st: Online Parent Teacher Appt. Sign up

Ocober 1st: Last day to purchase your Colts wear shirt

October 2nd & 3rd: 4 - 7:30pm Parent Teacher Interviews

October 3rd: School Thanksgiving Mass 9:15am (Grade 5H) and last day to order Friday Pizza Lunches

October 4th: School Pictures

October 5th: No School

October 8th: No School Thanksgiving

October 15th: PSG meeting

October 17th: Civvies Day (No Uniform Day)

October 18th & 19th: No School: Pro-d Days

School News

Your school directory is now ready!

We use an app called DirectorySpot to give our families access to the school directory right from their computer or smartphone. If you submitted a directory form with your registration package you will automatically get an email with instructions on how to download DirectorySpot and set your password.

- The directory is accessible via iPhone, Android or on the web. You can also print the directory from your computer.
- Those who created an account last year can continue using the app as normal – there is no need for you to set up a new password.
- If you chose not to participate in the directory, you can still access the app just send a request to <u>sjkdirectory@gmail.com</u> with your email address.

Once you have accessed the directory, please take a moment to review your family's information. Everything has been entered by hand so it is likely that mistakes/typos have been made. Please forward any corrections to <u>sjkdirectory@gmail.com</u>.

More information on accessing the directory can be found on our school website under "News & Events/Directory & Publications"

Help our school library win

Enter to win a \$2000 donation to our school library, a visit from an author, \$500 for your child and more. Open to Canadian residents between 5-12.







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Ordering for Friday Pizza Lunches starts NOW!

Online ordering starts **Friday**, **Sept. 28th** and closes **Wednesday**, **Oct. 3rd** at www.stjoseph.hotlunches.net

Payments can be made online via PayPal or by e-transfer to <u>stjoespsg@gmail.com</u> (password 123school)

SORRY NO LATE ORDERS CAN BE ACCEPTED! All proceeds go towards the Grade 7 Gardom Lake retreat. For more information, contact Mercy: jomar_mrc@yahoo.ca





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Get the latest Colts wear!

Our new navy Pro Team long sleeve tees are 100% polyester jersey with wicking technology. Available in sizes Youth S to Adult 3XL they're sure to be a hit with every member of the family! Youth sizes are \$20 and adult sizes are \$25. Sample sizes are available to look at Monday Sept. 24 and Friday Sept. 28 from 2:30-3:00.

All proceeds go towards our outdoor learning centre. ORDER YOURS TODAY!



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ST. JOSEPH LONG SLEEVE TEE ORDER FORM

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QUESTIONS? Contact Dawn at dawnthalheimer@shaw.ca

St. Joe's PSG News

Cards for Kids

Cards for Kids is a very important fundraiser for our school. The proceeds from this program go directly towards the school's operating budget. We now have gas and Starbucks cards available. **Cards for Kids will be on sale Tuesdays outside the school.** Thank you for your support!

St. Joseph's Staff Appreciation Breakfast

Do you have a favourite breakfast casserole or frittata? The PSG is looking for volunteers to help with food items and before school supervision for the **Staff Appreciations Breakfast on October 3**rd. Volunteer to make your favourite breakfast dish or to supervise the playground so our amazing St. Joseph Staff can enjoy a morning of great coffee and food. **All food can be dropped off at the office on October 2**nd **at pick-up time (2:30 pm)**.

To sign-up to volunteer, please click on the following web link (or copy it into your web browser if clicking doesn't work) to go to the signup sheet:

www.volunteersignup.org/TXFM7

Follow the instructions on the page. It only takes a few seconds to do. If you have any questions please email Christine Perkio (cperkio@gmail.com)

Thank you for volunteering!

3rd Annual St. Joseph's Christmas Market -<u>VENDORS WANTED</u>

Mark your calendars for a day of food, fun, community, and of course ... GREAT SHOPPING! On **Saturday**, **November 24th 2018**, from **10am-3pm**, our school will be hosting the 3rd Annual St. Joseph's Christmas Market.

If you are interested in being a vendor this year, please see the letter on the following page and contact Ashley Pereira with any questions @ <u>ashleypereira3@gmail.com</u> OR (250) 808-4144.

What is the Parent Support Group (PSG)?

The PSG is an open and social group made up of a volunteer executive, staff advisors, and **YOU** - the parents. Meetings are held just once per month.

Our next meeting is

Monday, October 15th @ 5:30pm in the school library - all parents welcome, we look forward to seeing you!

We currently have **3 unfilled positions** (*Public Relations, Council Liaison, and Social Committee co-chair*) on the PSG for the 2018/2019 school year. If you are interested in being involved and would like to learn more about one of the vacant positions please contact the PSG president, Dawn Thalhiemer (email: <u>dawnthalheimer@shaw.ca</u>). Many hands make light work!

Minutes from September's PSG meeting are found <u>here</u>.

Other Catholic School News



Annual ICC Fall Bazaar ~ Saturday, Oct. 20.

We would very much appreciate donations of used sports equipment, small furniture, children's toys, power and hand tools, board games, puzzles, gardening equipment, belts, clutch bags, wallets, scarves, rings, watches, bracelets, necklaces, hats, purses, wraps, new and used books, CDs, DVDs, vinyl records, religious items, **C**hristmas ornaments, decorations & collectibles. All proceeds to supporting youth and young adult programs. For more information, contact <u>david@icckelowna.ca</u>. Thank you for your support!

St. Joe's PSG News

3rd Annual St. Joseph's Christmas Market

Hosted by: St. Joseph Elementary School 839 Sutherland Ave, Kelowna BC, V1Y 5X4 Saturday, November 24th, 2018 from 10am - 3pm

The St. Joseph's Christmas Market is back again this year, and we are looking for vendors. Please pass this information on to your family, friends and neighbours: anyone you feel may wish to participate in this event.

: Table rentals for vendors are \$35 for a standard 8 foot table(provided), and \$40 for those vendors that wish to bring along any additional side tables or racks to add to their space.

: Should you require an electrical outlet or wall space, please indicate that in your reply, as we will accommodate special requests on a first come first serve basis. : All vendors are required to donate a door prize to the event.

: For those Young Entrepreneurs within our school community, we are selling smaller \$5 tables, should they be interested in being a vendor, and selling their own goods. *Parent/Guardian supervision is required.

: If you are interested in purchasing a table, please fill out the form below and email it ASAP to: ashleypereira3@gmail.com

: Applicants are considered on a first come/first serve basis, with consideration being given to past participation, and quality/type goods for sale.

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e-Transfer to: (preferred payment method) stjoespsg@gmail.com message to recipient - market table payment - your name - P/W : 123school Mail your cheques to: (Payable to: St. Joseph PSG)

St. Joseph Elementary School Attn: Ashley Pereira 839 Sutherland Ave. Kelowna BC V1Y 5X4

Warm Regards,

Ashley Pereira (250) 808-4144 ashleypereira3@gmail.com





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Name:
Company Name:
Email:
Phone:
Website:
Table Request (Please cirice): \$35 ~or~ \$40 ~or~ \$5(Young Entrepreneur)
Special Request (Please circle) : electrical : wall spot
Description of Goods: *Please be specific and insure that your list is complete. We limit the number of vendors selling same/similar products.

Date: _____

Signature:

*Payment must be received within one week of acceptance to secure you spot. Fees are non-refundable.

If you have any questions, please contact Ashley Pereira @ ashleypereira3@gmail.com -or- (250)808-4144



Don't Forget

You can always find school information on our

<u>website</u>,

Facebook

and <u>Twitter</u>

Other links

Dads' group

PSG Meeting Minutes

St. Joseph Catholic Elementary School 839 Sutherland Avenue Kelowna, BC V1Y 5X4

(250) 763-3371

sjkoffice@cisnd.ca

Office hours M-F 8:30-3:30

Our mission is to foster the development of the total child in spirit, mind and body. Through Jesus, we encourage the pursuit of excellence in a community of love and respect.