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#### **Home and School Updates**

FUN RUN: Thank you to everyone that registered by the Oct. 12th Early

Bird deadline! Registrations and donations are still being accepted so don't miss out on the chance to help your homeroom win a class prize or for the children in your family to win a raffle prize! Please help us reach our goal of \$100 per family and earn an entry in the raffle for a chance to win an exciting prize such as a Nintendo Switch, Electric Scooter, Laser Tag Set and much more!



This year we are excited to offer a treat for mom and dad as well! Families with donations totaling \$300 or more will be entered into a parent raffle featuring a spa day, family photo session, fair package, and more!!! Stay tuned on social media to see the amazing prize packages as they are posted! As always, thank you for your support!

**SPIRIT WEAR**: The final order of fleece items and spirit shirts are expected to be delivered early next week. Be on the lookout for these items to go home in backpacks by the end of next week. If you have any questions about your order, please contact Lindsey Gueho at lindsey\_usry@yahoo.com.

### Spirit Night at Great American Cookie/Marble Slab

Tuesday, October 27th is St. Jude Spirit Night at Great American Cookies and Marble Slab on Bluebonnet. Stop by after dinner for cookies and ice cream. 20% of the proceeds from 6:00 to 9:00pm on October 29th will go to St. Jude School!

## St. Jude Feast Day October 28th

St. Jude's Feast Day is Wednesday, October 28th. This year, there will be a virtual lesson about St. Jude along with some reflection questions for the students. For lunch we will continue the tradition of a picnic for lunch, but will need to remain within their classroom group. All students are encouraged to bring a beach towel to sit on while eating.

### **Geaux PINK on October 29th**

SJS is **geauxing PINK** on October 29th for breast cancer awareness. Donate any dollar amount and wear a **pink shirt and pink accessories**. All donations will go to Mary Bird Perkins Cancer Center. Please bring your donations in an envelope on October 29th.

#### **Extension Reminder**

Monthly payments are due on the 1st of the month. A \$25 late fee will be assessed for payments received after the 10th of the month (page 38 of the Parent/Student Handbook).

Please keep the top portion of the billing statement for your records, and return the bottom portion with your payment. If you need additional billing statements please email Susan Lala at slala@stjudebr.org.

#### **Campus Tours**

We are now scheduling private tours for perspective families. If you know someone interested in St. Jude School please let them know. Tours can be scheduled by visiting our school website <u>www.stjudebr.org.</u>

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## **ISG Information**

In order to qualify for the Identified Stewardship Giver (ISG) admission bracket and corresponding lower tuition rate for the upcoming school year, you must have met the minimum identifiable amount of \$250.00 given through the Church offertory collection using the envelopes or the portal for online giving. Contributions must be made by December 20, 2020 to count towards the 2021-22 application year. If you have any questions about your contribution amount for 2020 please contact Mindy Coogan in the Church office.

## Important Dates

October 23....No school pre-k to 4th

October 29...GEAUX Pink-Pink shirts and accessories with a \$1 donation

October 30...Fun Run and class parties. Wear your Fun Run t-shirts and Halloween accessories

November 3...NO bus service

## Health Highlights from Nurse Mickel

Did you know that breakfast is the most important meal of our child's day? It provides the nutrients and energy they need to concentrate in school. Research even shows that kids who eat breakfast get better grades, pay more attention in class and behave better. Help your child begin their day on the right foot. To make it a healthy breakfast, give your child a mix of protein (such as milk, eggs, cheese or meat) and carbohydrates (whole-grain cereal, fruit or whole-wheat bread). The carbohydrates boot energy and help your child jump start their day while the protein keeps their body going strong until lunchtime.

## Save the Date



March 6, 2021

