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Sacred Heart School - News Updates

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Jesus warns against following the example of the scribes and the Pharisees and teaches that those who would be great must be servants. Jesus tells the crowd to listen to what the scribes and Pharisees say because they are the teachers of the Mosaic Law. But then Jesus offers a warning about their leadership. Jesus explains to the crowds that the Jewish leaders are so wrapped up in the privilege and honor that come with their position that they neglect to exercise true leadership. Traits of a good leader are good example, service, and humility.

REMINDERS: Pre-K for ALL only closed on November 7th. We are honoring/celebrating our veterans at our Veterans' Day Assembly on November 8th at 1 o'clock in the auditorium. November 18 is our Bus Trip to Woodbury Commons, come and join us!

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Our Success Stories...

After Hurricane Harvey we had a Dress Down for donations to send to the Archdiocese of Houston. The Catholic Schools on Staten Island sent \$61,000 to the Archdiocese in Houston to help those families in Catholic schools. We then collected food items for the victims of Hurricane Maria and we were able to drop off cases of water, diapers and other essentials to the Fire Department who then sent it off to Puerto Rico. Thank you Sacred Heart families for your love and generosity.

Congratulations Carl Gordon for receiving the CYO's Shining Star on Saturday, October 28th . A well deserved honoree.

October 31st was our annual Trunk or Treat. We had 22 decorated trunks and what an exciting day!! Please like our pictures on Instagram (sacredheartschoolsi). On behalf of the children and staff, I want to thank all of you that participated in Trunk or Treat. The trunks were awesome and the music was an added touch. Congratulations to the Marrero family for winning for the second year in a row with their Simpsons trunk.



Classroom Happenings...

The Pre-K for ALL and Pre-K 3 year old classes picked pumpkins and painted them for a Halloween activity.

Mrs. Berardi has begun to implement Blended Learning with the Kindergarten class. They were placed in small groups each participating in a different task: there was a teacher led group, a group working on an activity, and a technology group. The children rotated to a different station every 15 minutes. Great job everyone!

7th grade students researched European explorers and created posters which illustrated his/her accomplishments. They adorn the hallway next to their classroom. Beautiful work!

The eighth graders researched either break dancing moves or the history of break dancing and created visual presentations to share with their classmates. They did an extraordinary job!

The 4th grader class went on a trip on October 12th to the Noble Maritime Museum. Students were given a tour of the Robbin Reef Lighthouse during the time that Kate Walker (1895-1919) was the lighthouse keeper. It showed them how living in a lighthouse would be. Students created a depiction of a lighthouse scene.

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Our Success Stories cont'd...

Radio Bingo was another great success! We had over 200 guests attend. The profit of Radio Bingo is enough to cover the cost of purchasing the script, sound for the play in March. And then some. Thank you to all who continue to support our school.



Upcoming Events cont'd

Our annual Veterans' Day assembly is November 8th at 1 o'clock. We will be honoring our veterans and listening to a special speaker. This will be an event to remember for anyone that attends.

Our first Touring Tuesday is November 14th. Please tell your friends and neighbors to take a tour of our school.

November 15th is a Thanksgiving cupcake sale at lunch time.

November 16th is Sports/Clubs picture day.

There is a noon dismissal on November 17th.

Please join us on November 18th for a day of shopping at Woodbury Commons \$30 per person, please send in your reservation form now.

November 20th is report card day and Parent/Teacher Conferences. All parents must visit your child's teacher in order to receive the report card. Conferences are scheduled between 1 – 3 P.M. and 6 – 8 P.M.

November 21st grades K through 8 will go to the UA theatre to see "The Star". Later that evening join us at 7:30 P.M. for our Parish's annual Thanksgiving Eve mass. Our 3rd and 4th grades will be dressing as pilgrims and Native Americans.

The school Spelling Bee for Grades 4 through 8 is on November 22nd in the auditorium following prayers in the morning. There is no After-School today. The children will be attending a Prayer Service at 10 a.m.

School is closed November 23rd and 24th for Thanksgiving recess. Happy Thanksgiving to all of you!

