

St. Juan Diego School



May 26-June 1, 2024

School Updates

Happy Birthday to...

Amrutha K, Sumaya Y, Gemma V, Evana M, Layo A, Enzo A, Isaac TG, Desirey C

PRIDE Flag

Every school in the Ottawa Catholic School Board will raise the PRIDE flag in June. The Board is committed to the life and mission of the Church by providing a positive school climate that is inclusive and accepting of all pupils and staff, in which all individuals are treated with respect and dignity.

Field Trip

Grade 2 classes and Mr. Gulick's grade 3 class will be attending a field trip this Wednesday

2024/25 School Calendar

For those families that like to look ahead, the [OCSB calendar of events](#) has been approved for next year. All of the dates have been added to our school calendar that can be found on our [school website](#).

Track and Field

Thank you to Ms McAllister for organizing our school based track and field event. This is for all grade 4 and 5 students. The winners of each event will represent us at the Board track and field coming later in June. All parents are welcome to stop by Flagstaff park to cheer on their children on Wednesday.

Jump Rope for Heart

Thank you Ms McAllister for leading us in the great initiative! We will have a kick off assembly this week. [Here is a link for more information about this program](#). More information will be coming soon.

Proud To Be Me Youth Day

On June 3rd Families of children 8-12 years old are invited to Saunders Farm for a free Proud to be me youth day event. [See this flyer for more info](#).

OCSB Choir Auditions

If your child is in Grades 3-11 and is interested in trying out for the OCSB Choir program. [Please see this link](#) for more information. You must sign up by May 27th to be considered.

Freezie Friday

Freezie Fridays continue this week. Cost is \$2 for a Jumbo Freezie or \$1 for half a Jumbo Freezie. Sales will be cash only. Please send in the exact change with your student. Grade 1-5 sales will take place outside at the lunch recess (12:00 pm). Kinders can purchase freezies at 3:00 pm when they go outside to the yard. Sales will continue each Friday until the end of the school year.

School Council

Spring Lunch Pop-Ups

School Council has run through all our experiments in lunches once – now we're going to offer them all again! If you enjoyed a lunch already, maybe this time try another flavour, or stick with your current favourite!

Sale numbers will be used to help us decide which companies were enjoyed the most, so that we can welcome them back permanently next year – so vote with your purchase! Or you can email us at stjuandiegoschoolcouncil@gmail.com at let us know what you thought. Feel free to share suggestions for new menu options to try next year!

As a reminder, the next lunch for purchase will be for Subway. Purchases must be made by Thursday, June 6, 2024 for delivery on Tuesday, June 11. Watch for the email from School Cash Online.

Meeting

Our last email for this school year will be on June 20th at 6:45pm. This meeting will not have a virtual option.

Parish

Bulletin

Masses

Our Masses are held in the gymnasium at St. Joseph High School.

Regular Mass Times: Saturday 5 pm & Sunday 10am

On June 5th at 7:00pm a Mass will be held at St. Monica Church that will include the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, with the opportunity for individual prayers at the end of Mass for those who wish. All are welcome!

Events

Our CWL members will be collecting food items and monetary donations for the Barrhaven Food Cupboard the weekend of June 8/9. Sought after food items are: peanut butter, jam, canned fruit, canned pasta, school snacks and shampoo. Please help support our local community

Upcoming Dates

May 29

- Gr2 Field trip
- Lunch Lady

May 30

- Pizza day

May 31

- SC welcome bags go home
- Freezie Friday?

June:

- [Pride Month](#), [Month of the Sacred Heart](#), [Indigenous History Month](#), [Portuguese Heritage Month](#), [Italian Canadian Heritage month](#)
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