

Saint Philip Neri School

2016 National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence

From the desk of Mrs. Elizabeth Venezia, Principal

November 7, 2018

School Picture Day

Tomorrow is our school picture day. All students are to wear their winter uniforms with the exception of the eighth grade students. Picture information can be found on our homepage under News and Announcements. Please use the order form that was previously sent home to you or you may order online at www.mylifetouch.com enter Picture Day ID JL458032Q0.

Thank You!

Thank you for your generous donations to our **Fill-A-Bus Project!** A total of 8,000 lbs. of non-perishable food was delivered to the Colonial Neighborhood Council. In celebration of attaining our goal, this **Friday, November 9th** is a **FREE Tag Day**. Shorts are not permitted to be worn during the Winter School Uniform Dress Code.

SPN Home & School News

Please save the date and plan to attend **"Social Media 101: What Parents Need to Know"** next **Wednesday, November 14th at 7pm in the school hall**. Mr. Anthony Luker, Education and Outreach Specialist, Pennsylvania Office of Attorney General will present internet safety tips for parents. Please see the Weekly E-School News for further information.

2019-2020 PreK & Kindergarten Registration for Current SPN School Families

Siblings of our current SPN students along with our current PreK class will be given the opportunity to register first for the PreK & Kindergarten 2019-2020 school year. It is important to reserve your child's/children's place in these classes before we have registration for SPN parishioners followed by open enrollment.

You'll be receiving an email tomorrow that will include further instructions and SignUp Genius links for you to pre-register your child/children for our 2019-2020 PreK & Kindergarten classes.

Christmas Ornament

All families are invited to design a paper Christmas Ornament which will be displayed on our school walls during the Christmas season. A template ornament with further information is coming home today with your youngest/only child. Please do not design your paper ornament too heavy or use food items.

Safe Environment Lessons

In the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, Article 12 calls for all dioceses to establish "safe environment" programs at all grade levels. This ongoing education is presented to the students in the parish and regional elementary schools of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia two times during the instructional year. This is a mandated obligation from the Archdiocese with the two lessons provided for our teachers.

Our first Safe Environment lesson will be presented by your child's homeroom teacher on **Monday, November 12th**. In the event a parent or guardian does not want this instruction for his/her child/children, you need to complete the form below and return it to the school office in a marked envelope "Safe Environment Lesson" by this Friday, November 9th.

School Calendar Reminders

- **Saturday, November 10th**: 9:30-11:30am First Penance Retreat in the School Hall
- **Sunday, November 11th**: 10am Grade 1 Family Liturgy
- **Monday, November 12th**: December Hot Lunch Option C Ordering Module closes

Saint Philip Neri School --- Safe Environment Lesson One: Monday, November 12, 2018

___ I do not want my child/children to participate in the Safe Environment Lesson 1 on November 12, 2018.

Print Child's/Children's Name/s & Grade/s: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____