#### WEEKEND UPDATE

#### **NOVEMBER 3, 2017**

# PJP2A



# News



The "Saints" after Mass on Wednesday

# **All Saints**

We were blessed to have another wonderful week which culminated with our All Saints' Day celebration this past Wednesday. Thank you to all of our parents who assisted with the celebrations this week (including coming up with all of those costumes!). You truly helped to make these days special for our children. We are also approaching our final week

in the Broncos raffle campaign, and we appreciate all of your assistance in making the final stretch successful!

# **BRONCOS RAFFLE – FINISH LINE!**

We are in our **FINAL WEEK** of sales with our drawing occurring on Thursday, November 9, at 9:30 a.m.! We will be giving out prizes to top student raffle sellers at 9:15 a.m.

> Number of Tickets Sold: 1,235 Goal: 2,500

This is our FINAL week! Let's make a strong final push!

Also, did you see the <u>news article</u> from this week? A report came out indicating that the Broncos are protesting to help our raffle. :)

Thank you for all of your assistance this season in selling raffle tickets!!

#### Mark Your Calendars:

**November 6** - Fiesta Guadalajara Night

November 7 - PTO Meeting (7:00 p.m.)

November 8 - Ski Trip Money and Registration Due -End of Season Volleyball Party (5:30 p.m.)

#### November 9

- Broncos Raffle
- Drawing (9:30 a.m.)
- Broncos Spirit Day

November 10 - Mass

### VIRTUE OF THE WEEK:

#### Love

**Definition**: Willing the good of the beloved; A divinely infused habit, inclining the human will to cherish God for his own sake above all things, and man for the sake of God.

**Application**: Prioritizing relationships; spending time and resources for others; self-sacrifice; putting the good of others above one's own interests.

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St. Teresa of Calcutta was a popular choice for students in this year's All Saints' Day celebration.

# **PTO MEETING**

Our next PTO meeting will be held this coming Tuesday, November 7, at 7:00 p.m. Please come and get involved in our upcoming events, including the Live Nativity, Christmas Parade, and more! Meetings are held in the school library, and attendance counts towards fulfillment of service hours.

# **RAFFLE DRAWING & SPIRIT DAY**

This Thursday, November 9, is our Broncos raffle drawing AND Broncos Spirit Day! Students who have sold at least 5 Broncos raffle tickets or who bring \$1 may dress out of uniform in Broncos attire and/or colors.

We invite everyone to attend the raffle drawing held at 9:30 a.m. in our school gym. We will also be distributing prizes to the top raffle sellers at 9:15 a.m. We hope to see you there, and we wish all those who have bought raffle tickets the best of luck!

# END OF SEASON VOLLEYBALL PARTY

Our end of the season volleyball party will be this Wednesday, November 8, at 5:30 p.m. We will be serving pizza, and cake for our athletes, coaches, and families. If you are able to RSVP to help us determine the amount of food to order, that would be much appreciated. However, we hope all athletes will come! We will also have some time to **play volleyball** with our parents and athletes, so come dressed accordingly!

# **FIESTA NIGHT**

Our next dinner night will be at Fiesta Guadalajara on **Monday, November 6.** Please enjoy a meal at Fiesta on that day, and be sure to mention you are there to support the Pope John Paul II Academy. Thank you for your support!

# **BASKETBALL SEASON**

Our basketball season is just around the corner, and we are **tentatively** holding our pre-season meeting on **Monday, November 13, at 5:15 p.m.** Please attend this meeting with your student athlete if you wish to participate in the basketball season this year.

We are still confirming the level of interest among our 5th - 8th grade boys to determine if we have enough for a team. Please let Mr. Gordon know as soon as possible if you are interested in participating or fill out the <u>following survey</u>. Thank you!

Basketball is for boys and girls in 5th - 8th grades. Practices will be held after school on Tuesday and Thursdays and will begin right before or after Thanksgiving break. Games begin after Christmas break. The season finishes in the beginning of March.

## **SCHOOL DAYS COMPLETED: 55**

## **SCHOOL DAYS REMAINING: 117**

Quote of the Week: "The things that we love tell us what we are." - Saint Thomas Aquinas

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