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## **JPII Inaugural Lunch Program to Begin on Tuesday, September 3**

The renovation of the Commons and construction of the new kitchen is essentially complete, and we are ready to begin serving lunch. This will be a cashless, ala-carte system. On Tuesday morning students will receive an I.D. card with a barcode linked to their FACTS account. They will select items and scan for themselves at checkout. A staff member will monitor the checkout process. Please have a conversation with your child about their spending limit and monitor your FACTS account periodically. Next week's operating hours will be during lunchtime only. We plan to expand the menu to breakfast soon.

The initial menu will consist of a healthy selection of salads, sandwiches, pizza, parfaits, fruit, protein bars, and drinks. Most of the items come pre-packaged through our supplier Sysco Foods. We will price the items as competitively as possible to ensure we are running a break even food program. We cannot have the cafeteria negatively impact the overall operational budget. Besides the cost of food, drinks, and supplies, the price charged will also need to cover salary for one full-time manager and one part-time server.

### **What's for Lunch**

<b>Salad</b> (Chef, Taco, Club, Southwest, Asian).....	<b>\$6.00</b>
<b>Sandwich/Wraps</b> (Buffalo Chicken, Turkey Bacon, Chicken Ceasar, Turkey Cheddar, Ham & Swiss Slider, Chicken Salad, Turkey Swiss).....	<b>\$6.00</b>
<b>Pizza</b> (2 Slices / Assorted Toppings).....	<b>\$6.00</b>
<b>Yogurt Parfait</b> .....	<b>\$5.00</b>
<b>Fruit Cup</b> .....	<b>\$4.00</b>
<b>Protein Bars</b> .....	<b>\$2.00</b>
<b>Drinks</b> (10 oz. or 16 oz. / Water, Gatorade, Powerade, Snapple, Juice, Starbucks Coffee Drink) .....	<b>\$1.50 - \$2.00</b>

## Everyone Needs a New Gate Pass to Enter JPll

As part of our campus security measures, every vehicle that enters JPll must have a pass or will be required to stop at the security guard. **Even if you are a returning family, you need to obtain a new pass.** Many of you picked them up at Back to School Night, but for those who didn't, two passes per household are waiting for you in the front office. We will begin sending them home with your child. If you don't have confidence your passes will make it from your child's backpack to your vehicle, please email Mrs. Anissa Sauls at [anissa.sauls@johnpaul2school.org](mailto:anissa.sauls@johnpaul2school.org) and she will make sure it gets to you. Your pass must be displayed every time you enter JPll, so the line keeps moving. School safety is everyone's business, and we appreciate your cooperation.

## Friday Dropoff Reminder

School starts at 8:55am for both middle and high school on Friday. The faculty has regular meetings every Friday from 7:50 to 8:45. We ask that students be dropped off at the Athletic Center on Friday morning if arriving prior to 8:45am. They will report to the modular classrooms where they will be supervised before heading to class at 8:50am.

## Please Review the Student Parent Handbook

If you have not already done so, please take some time to review the Student-Parent Handbook found HERE on our website. <https://www.johnpaul2school.org/student-life/handbook>

Once you have reviewed the entire handbook, please login to FACTS Family Portal. Once logged in, click on WEB FORMS located under the SCHOOL dropdown on the left side menu. Click on WEB FORMS and you will find the 24-25 Handbook Acknowledgement form. Click on that hyperlink, and it will allow you to indicate that you have read and acknowledged all information found in our school handbook and that your family agrees to abide by the provisions and policies therein.

We have the same virtual sign off on every student's FACTS account as well, and students can navigate to the WEB FORM the same way the families do. We are asking that students sign off acknowledging that they, too, have reviewed the handbook. Our House mentors will be checking in with students about this acknowledgement.

## Google Classroom is a Great Tool for Parents to Stay Engaged

We have had several parents reach out inquiring about Google Classroom access. I wanted to provide information and support before too much time passed. Google Classroom is a web-based learning environment. When logged into Google Classroom, students can collaborate with their peers & teachers. Google Classroom offers a digital space for students to view class announcements, access posted course content, view posted assignments, & turn in completed work. Only authorized JPll users (students, teachers, and other designated staff members) can have access to JPll Google Classroom. Google users outside the JPll network are not granted permission to any JPll Classroom.

Parents can access their child's teachers' Google Classroom in one of the following ways:

1. From any computer with internet access, click this Google Classroom link and have your student login with her/his JPII Google Apps for Education username & password. Please note that any activity in Google Classroom is documented under the student's login. Please note that a parent should not communicate with the teacher or other students via the Google Classroom platform. Parents should use their personal email to digitally communicate with the teacher.
2. From a phone or iPad, ask the student to login and launch the Google Classroom App, again using her/his JPII Google Apps for Education username & password.
3. As a parent/guardian, you should receive & accept an EMAIL INVITATION before you can receive email summaries. Only teachers from your student's classes can send these invitations. You have 120 days to accept an invitation before it expires.
4. Once you click accept, you can choose the frequency of the emails, such as daily or weekly.
5. You can unsubscribe or remove yourself from Classroom at any time.
6. The Guardian email summaries include:
  - a. Missing work—This is work that's late at the time the email was sent.
  - b. Upcoming work—This is work that's due today or tomorrow (for daily emails) or work that's due in the upcoming week (for weekly emails).
  - c. Class activity--Announcements, assignments, and questions recently posted by teachers

For further clarification or more details on the email summaries, visit <https://support.google.com/edu/classroom/answer/6388136> As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mrs. Rembold.

## Student Activities

Happy Labor Day Weekend! We made it. I hope that you all have a wonderful long weekend celebrating family and get a moment to relax. That being said, this time marks an exciting fall season of activities for JPII families and students! Homecoming, a weeklong celebration for our Warriors, kicks off with a week full of dress down days starting Monday, September 23rd. Student leaders are working hard to get our theme and court information out shortly. Our 2nd annual Homecoming Bonfire will take place on Thursday, September 26th and officially begin at 6:45. There will be food trucks, lawn games, fall sports shout-outs, a DJ, inflatables, and raffle prizes. The night will conclude by 9pm, after we light up the night sky with our bonfire. It's sure to be a fun night for the whole family! We look forward to seeing you there. The keystone to our festivities, our Homecoming Varsity Football game, is on Friday, September 27th at 7pm against the Augusta Eagles at Richard Grey Complex in Hardeeville. Our boys need us to show up with all of the Warrior Pride! To conclude our weeklong Homecoming celebration, there will be a high school dance on Saturday, September 28th. Doors open at 7 and everyone must be in the dance by 7:30. Once there and dancing the night away, students are not to leave until 10pm. Further details about rules and expectations, including how to purchase tickets and how to invite a guest from another school to join us in the fun, will be announced next week. We are so blessed to have each and every one of you, new, returning, and alumni, as a part of our JPII family. This exciting fall season is a great time to join in fellowship over friends and football. GO WARRIORS!

## School Pictures are Ready!

View and order at <https://shop.iostenspix.com/login>

- JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC SCHOOL
- Event Code: FE136824
- Images are secured using the email address(es) provided to us by the school.

## Upcoming Schedule

- September 2nd: Labor day, no school
- September 13th: picture retakes (6th-12th)
- September 15th-October 15th- Hispanic Heritage month
- September 18th-19th: Overnight Senior retreat
- September 23rd: Lisieux House Blood Drive (16+)
- September 23<sup>rd</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup>: Homecoming Spirit Week
- September 26<sup>th</sup>: Homecoming JPI Community Pep Rally and Bonfire

## From the Sports Desk

**Varsity Volleyball** continued their winning ways as they hosted the Dolphins of Hilton Head Prep. The Warriors wasted no time, winning the match 3-0 – 25-12,25-12, 25-22. Once again explosive hitting out of the middle led the charge with Lily Termini and Blakely Gecy tallying 9 and 5 kills respectively, Camryn Michael had 5 and Lauren Majorkiewicz, Emma McKamey, Savannah Trott and Alaina Hill all tallied 3 kills apiece. Lili Lutheran led the team in aces with 4 of the teams 16 on the night.

**JV Volleyball** traveled to Cross Schools last night for a Tri-Match against Bridges and Cross. Despite solid game play and strong defense by Cia Douglass and Ellie Heathcott, the Warriors lost the match in 2 sets, 17-25 and 24-26. The Warriors offense was led by Gabby Heathcott and Sienna Terry each tallying 4 kills, and Alex Crocker with 3 blocks. Ellie Heathcott served 7 aces of her 14 serves in the match. The second match against Cross, the Warriors won in 2 sets, 25-12 and 25-17. Serving was led by Cia Douglass with 5 aces out of 9 serves. The offense for the Warriors was led by the Heathcott sisters, Gabby and Ellie, tallying 8 kills apiece, and Chase Brienza and Alex Crocker with 4 kills each. Ava Stabak and Grace Buckland combined for 26 assists from the setter position on the night. The JV Volleyball team is now 5-3 on the season and will take the court again on September 3rd for a home match against Cross Schools.

The JV Volleyball team hosted the Dolphins of Hilton Head Prep and walked away winning the match in two sets. The Warriors won the first set 25-10 and the second set 25-17. Alex Crocker, Alivia Ogden, and Gabby Heathcott each tallied 3 kills to lead the team. Annalise Litchfield and Ellie Heathcott combined for 8 serving aces of the teams 14 on the night. Passing was led by Sienna Terry and libero, Cia Douglass.

The JV Volleyball team played in a tournament on Saturday, finishing in 3rd place. We defeated Cross School in 2 sets: Passing was led by Annalise Litchfield. Gabby Heathcott had 5 serving aces. Alex Crocker led with 3 kills and 2 solo blocks. Setter Ava Stabak had 6 assists. We lost to HHCA in 2 sets: Passing was led by Alivia

Ogden at 2.5. Grace Buckland had 2 service aces. Alex Crocker had 2 kills. Ava Stabak had 5 assists. Cia Douglass had 4 defensive digs. We then defeated HHP in 3 sets: Passing was led by Cia Douglass with 2.6. Sienna Terry had 4 service aces. Alex Crocker again led offense with 5 kills. Chase Brienza had 2 solo blocks. Grace Buckland had 4 assists. JPII ended the day with a loss to Bridges 22-25, 16-25: Ellie Heathcott and Alex Crocker had perfect 3.0 passing on serve received. Gabby Heathcott and Alex Crocker each had 2 service aces. The offense was led by the Heathcott sisters with 3 kills apiece. Alex Crocker registered 2 solo blocks.

**Middle School Volleyball** won both of this week's games in straight sets. Tuesday night we hosted the Dolphins of Hilton Head Prep winning 25-6, 25-11. Our serve was on again with Ansley Reilley scoring on 8 serves, Eileen O'Sullivan with 10 and Seanna Hill nailing 12. Strong defense from Ansley Reilley, Eden Leonard, and Annie Rose Kerschbaum sealed the win.

Wednesday saw us travelling to face a very scrappy St. Frances Wolves team winning 25-22, 25-22. Destiny Godsun had 7 aces on her 12 successful serves. Ansley Reilly and Eileen O'Sullivan scored on 7 serves each. Strong passing from Ansley Reilley and Eden Leonard helped set up the hitting of Destiny Godsun with 2 kills and Taryn McKamey with 3 strong kills.

**Middle School B Volleyball** had another fantastic showing in their match against St. Francis, winning both sets, 25-9 and 25-22. Bella Reed and Gabby Pavlick lead the team in scoring with their unstoppable serves. Addison Reilley and Haven Leonard were our defensive duo. We have our next match on Sept. 10 at home against Riverview. Please come out and help support the girls to their third victory.

The girls 'B' team worked hard and came together as a team in order to defeat HHP in their first match of the season. In the first set Gabby Pavlick and Cecelia Pimentel lead the way with 8 points each. They were supported by great defense from Addison Reilley, winning the set 25-22. In set two Bella Reed lead the way with 9 points and Riley Covington with 6 points, winning the set 25-19. All the girls gave a great performance.

**Girls Tennis** took on region rival Hilton Head Christian Academy on Thursday, 8/29. JPII was victorious with a 9-0 match score. This brings our season record to 3-1 with a region record of 1-0. Results in Singles: Anson Daniel defeated Sophia Blackwell; 6-0, 6-0. Cypress Daniel defeated Kate DuBose; 6-0, 6-0. Chloe Maillet defeated Zoe Solomon; 6-1, 6-0. Lainey Low defeated Addison Williams: 6-1, 6-2. Alivia Ogden defeated Kate Vento; 6-0, 6-0. Leighton Wenzel defeated Caroline Drozd; 4-6, 7-5, 1-0 (Tiebreaker 14-12). Results in Doubles: Anson & Chloe defeated Sophia & Addison; 8-0. Cypress & Alex defeated Kate D. & Zoe S.: 9-7. Lainey & Kelsey defeated Kate V. & Caroline; 8-3. The Lady Warriors next match is Tuesday 9/3 at Bluffton High School. Match start time is 4:30PM.

Girls Tennis had our third match on Wednesday at Bluffton High School. We came close; however, we had our first loss of the season by a close score of 3 to 4. The coaching staff, players and fans of Bluffton HS were very friendly and were very accommodating. As both teams had to wait for weather related warnings to subside. Results in Singles: Chloe Maillet lost to Giana Wilson; 3-8. Lainey Low defeated Alexandra Federinko; 8-4. Ann Elise Harrell lost to Kelsey Kaney; 8-2. Alivia Ogden lost to Victoria Reichert; 8-5. Joya Iskander defeated Annie Reichert: 8-4. Results in Doubles: Cypress Daniel & Anson Daniel defeated Alex Burjas & Mia Guzik; 8-0. Chloe Maillet & Lainey Low lost to Giana Wilson & Kelsey Kaney; 8-2. Leighton Wenzel & Alex Hahn lost to Anna Constantinau & Eliza Gray, 8-7. Kelsey Anfinson & Roxy Remigio defeated Emily Chiafallo and Hailee Ford, 8-0. Becca Anderson & Ann Elise Harrell defeated Addison White & Zoie Grauel, 6-0. Our next match is Thursday, August 30 at Oldfield vs. HHCA. Match start time is 4:30pm.

Girl's Tennis had our second Match on Tuesday at Colleton Prep. Our Lady Warriors were unbeaten with a match score of 9 – 0. Results in Singles: Anson Daniel defeating CP's Anne Hatcher White; 6-0, 6-0. Lainey Low defeating CP's Marie Molinar; 6-0, 6-0. Ann Elise Harrell defeating CP's Makayla Odum; 6-0, 6-0. Leighton Wenzel defeating CP's Lizzie Sheffield; 6-2, 6-4. Joya Iskander defeating CP's Caroline Molinar; 6-0, 6-2. Alex Hahn defeating CP's Cooper White; 7-5, 6-3. Results in Doubles: Cypress Daniel & Anson Daniel defeating CP's Anne Hatcher White & Marie Molinar; 8-1. Roxy Remigio & Lainey Low defeating CP's Maddie Howell & Caroline Molinar; 8-1. Kelsey Anfinson & Anne Elise Harrell defeating CP's Anne Howell & Joya Gates; 8-1. Alex Hahn was awarded the game ball by the Team Captains for an extraordinary two-hour match overcoming the heat for a very hard-fought win!

**Varsity Football** squared off against 4A State Runner Up powerhouse Laurence Manning on Thursday night for their first home game of the season. It was a slow start for the Warriors as the offense sputtered out during the first half. Defense played a tough game but had trouble stopping the big plays. Ephrain Jimenez and Daniel Snyder led the defense in tackles, both totaling 9 tackles a piece. Offensively, the Warriors could not get it going in the first half of the game due to turnovers and missed assignments. The Warriors left 21 potential points on the field during the first half, only capitalizing on a 21 yards field goal by Sebastian Slusne at the end of the half. Halftime score of 27-3. The second half, after some adjustments, the Warriors began to find their footing. Alan Wolf played well during the 2nd half making some big plays to spark the Warriors into action. he was 10-21 passing for 164 yards, 2 TDs, 1 2pt conversion, 1 interception. He ran with purpose as well with 9 carries for 62 yards and a 2pt conversion. Thomas Gehm and Dante Aiken each had touchdown receptions. Tommy had 6 catches for 100yds and a TD, Dante Aiken had 3 catches for 53 yards and a TD. Bryant Jolley added some tough yards rushing the ball 12 times for 49 yards and a TD. In the end Laurence Manning overpowered the Warriors with a final score of 54-25. Tonigt the Golden Warriors travel to Battery Creek for a non-Region game on Friday night @ 7:30. This game is being covered by WHHI-TV as their game of the week. Come out and support your Warriors as they head into battle.

**Varsity Swimming** participated in the Beaufort High Back-To-School Invitational on Thursday, 8/29/24. Bluffton High School, May River High School, and Hilton Head Christian were among the area schools that participated. We had a great meet, enjoyed the competition and great sportsmanship atmosphere! The Warriors Girls Team was lead by Riley McGoldrick who finished in the top 3 for the 200 Freestyle (2:25.48), dropping nearly 2 seconds from our last meet, and in the top 5 for her 100 Butterfly (1:13.88) - dropping almost one second from her race at the HHCA Invitational. Delilah Waite-Kerns finished in the top 10 for the 50 Freestyle at (31.98) and finished in the top 10 in her 100 Freestyle at (1:09.23), dropping almost 1 second from her race at the HHCA Invitational. Nel Winslow had a 2nd place finish in her 100 Backstroke (1:14.03) and finished in the top 10 for her 50 Freestyle at (31.28). The Warriors Boys Team saw Hayes Keefer finishing in the top 15 for his 50 Freestyle (34.94) and the top 15 for his 100 Freestyle (1:18.45). Leo Iskandar finished in the top 10 for his 50 Freestyle (28.59) and the top 10 in his 100 Freestyle (1:12.25). Beau Ryan finished in the top 10 for his 50 Freestyle (29.51) and the top 10 in his 100 Freestyle (1:09.92). Brinson Brosman finished in the top 10 for his 50 Freestyle (29.05) and the top 5 for his 100 Breaststroke (1:36.76). The Boys 200 Freestyle Relay - Brosman, Keefer, Ryan, Iskandar - Placed in the top 5 at 2:05.11 and the 400 Freestyle Relay Brosman, Keefer, Ryan, Iskandar - Placed 1st at 4:51.

JP2 Varsity Swimming participated in our first swim meet of the season on Saturday, 8/24/24 sponsored by HHCA at the Hilton Head Island Rec Center. Our team had fantastic results, with 7 swimmers getting state-cut

qualifying times right out of the gate. These Warrior Swimmers showed up and swam with amazing strength and power! Our team parents brought their enthusiasm and strong support! Go Warriors Swimming!! HHCA Invitational Results: JP2 Warriors - Boys Team. Beau Ryan swam a 29.39 in his 50 Freestyle and a 1:08.60 in his 100 Freestyle. **\*\*State Qualifier\*\*** Brinson Brosman finished in the top 5 for the 100 Backstroke at 1:15.83 and swam a 28.86 in his 50 Freestyle. **\*\*State Qualifier\*\*** Rugby Daniel placed in the top 18 in his 100 Backstroke at 1:55.73, and his 50 Freestyle finished with a 35.67. JP2 Warriors - Girls Team. Cyprus Daniel finished in the top 3 for the 50 Freestyle (28.08) and in the top 10 for her 100 Breaststroke (1:25.88). **\*\*State Qualifier\*\*** Riley McGoldrick finished 2nd place for her 100 Butterfly 1:14.49 and the top 10 for her 200 Freestyle 2:27.25. **\*\*State Qualifier\*\*** Anson Daniel finished in the top 3 for the 100 Backstroke at 1:20.76 and swam a 1:29.58 in the 100 Breaststroke. **\*\*State Qualifier\*\*** Delilah Waite-Kerns finished in the top 10 for the 100 Freestyle at 1:09.87 and swam a 1:35.86 in the 100 Breaststroke. **\*\*State Qualifier\*\*** Nel Winslow finished in the top 10 for the 100 Freestyle at 1:11.07 and swam a 1:32.31 in the 100 Breaststroke. **\*\*State Qualifier\*\*** Sofie Hannagan finished in the top 10 for the 50 Freestyle at 32.05 and swam 1:38.23 in the 100 Breaststroke. **\*\*State Qualifier\*\*** Mary Elizabeth Slivka swam 44.42 in her 50 Freestyle and placed 37 out of 46 qualified swimmers! Girls Relay Teams; 200 Medley Relay - Daniel, C, Daniel, A, McGoldrick, Winslow - Placed 3rd overall at 2:16.70 with only seconds away from first place! 200 Freestyle Relay - Daniel, C, Slivka, Waite-Kerns, Daniel, A - Placed in the top 5 at 2:11.16. 400 Freestyle Relay - McGoldrick, Hannagan, Waite-Kerns, Winslow - Placed 2nd overall at 4:46.98.

**Cross Country** had a great first Cross-Country meet at Bolden. Sebastian Frickel and Ayla Reynolds both won their races, with times of 17:18 and 20:15 respectively. JP11 swept the meet, with both teams winning overall. Our men's team had five runners in the top 5: Sebastian Frickel, Blake Hubik, Brayden Frickel, Matthew Yanachik, and James Hook. Our women's team had three in the top 10: Ayla Reynolds, Abigail Brock, and Trice McClure. Middle School had two top 10 finishers for women: Serena Wilson and Anna Asbrey. Our top Middle School boy was Jackson Probst, with a 4k time of 18:06. JP11 will continue to dominate at their next meet on September 3 at Hilton Head Prep.

### **Photo of the Week: Varsity Swim Team**



## From the Booster Club

As we kick off another exciting season of football and volleyball, we are reaching out to ask for your support in making this year a memorable one for our students and fans. The Booster Club is looking for enthusiastic parents and guardians to volunteer at our concession stand during all of the football and volleyball games this season. The concession stand is a vital part of our game day experience, providing refreshments and snacks to our fans while also raising important funds that go directly back to supporting our athletic and school club programs. Your help is essential to ensure everything runs smoothly and that we can continue to support our students effectively. Volunteering at the concession stand is a fantastic way to get involved, meet other parents, and show your support for our student-athletes. We have various shifts available, and no prior experience is necessary—just a positive attitude and a willingness to help!

To sign up, please use the links provided: MS/JV/Varsity Volleyball

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050844ADAE29A2F94-50821890-jpii> or for MS/Varsity Football

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050844ADAE29A2F94-50820351-jpii> or contact Nancy Aiken-Delano at

[nancyaiken1978@gmail.com](mailto:nancyaiken1978@gmail.com). Helpful tip—downloading the SignUpGenius App makes the whole process much easier.

Your time and effort make a huge difference, and we greatly appreciate any support you can provide.

Thank you for your continued support of JPII student experience. Together, we can make this season the best one yet!

Go Golden Warriors!

## No School Monday – Labor Day!

Enjoy your long weekend.

In His Purpose,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "John E. McCarthy". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above the printed name and title.

John E McCarthy

President