



St. Joseph Aurora CES



Week at a Glance: October 23-27, 2023

Drive safely in Confederation Park parking lot

The parking lot at Confederation Park is a handy location to wait for your children at pick up time as well as for drop-off in the morning. We ask drivers to please be aware of your surroundings as it has been reported that some cars are trying to exit quickly while children are running through the parking lot. Parents, please park your car and escort your child to the school gate.



Our Cross Country Finalists represented St. Joseph very well on Thursday. Thank you to all the coaches who helped them excel: Mme. August, Raposo, McTaggart, Blas, Mirabelli, Palma, and Sloan.

Important reminders for all



Parents and guardians who drop their children off to Kids' Club in the morning are asked to follow the rules regarding school buses in the bus loop. Cars are not permitted to pass buses in the bus loop. Please drive through slowly. Drivers are also asked to park their cars before entering the school as the bus loop is a fire route.



Picture day is fast approaching. School photographers will be here on Monday, October 30. Students are asked to wear standardized dress on photo day. A retake day is scheduled for Wednesday, Nov. 29.



Monday is the final deadline to submit your funds to the Catholic School Council chocolate fundraiser! **Please ensure the \$100 (cash or cheque) is returned to the school by Monday, Oct. 23.** Thanks to all families who have sold so many boxes!

Coming Events

- October 27 **Civvies Day**
- October 30 **Photo Day**
- October 31 **Halloween dance**
- November 1 **Grade 8s visit Carter**
- November 3 **Virtue Assembly**
- November 9 **Report Cards available in the parent portal**
- November 16 **Parent-Teacher interviews**



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Spirit Wear store open for orders

Our Spirit Wear store is open for business. Take a photo of the QR code below to access the store or go to https://stores.inksoft.com/st_joseph_aurora/shop/home The store will be open throughout the year and delivery takes about three weeks. The Spirit Wear store offers a number of options which all comply with our dress code.



**SPIRIT WEAR ON
SALE NOW!**

Students in Ms. Di Luca's class were rewarded with an additional Civvies day to recognize their generous contributions to the Thanksgiving Food Drive.

Halloween fun planned at St. Joe's

Halloween is on its way and with it exciting activities! St. Joseph students will take part in a dance on Tuesday, Oct. 31. Parents are welcome to come and watch their children during their dance time in the gym. The dance schedule will be shared with parents and guardians soon. Catholic School Council has organized a donation of pumpkins to every student in the school. Children will decorate the pumpkins on Tuesday, Oct. 31 and will bring them home at the end of the day.

Our CSC is also organizing a sensory table which gives students an opportunity to identify mystery items by feeling them without seeing them. Cookies, chips and drinks will be available for purchase on Halloween. There will also be Halloween themed activities at school leading up to the date! We can't wait to see the boo-tiful costumes students will be wearing!

Please be advised that costume accessories should remain at home. Any accessory which resembles a weapon must be left at home. Thank you for your cooperation.

