Some Important News from JFK

Hello JFK families -

Our *Flannel Friday for a Cause* on **January 26**th will benefit **Youth Services.** Teachers will collect \$1 from students who choose to wear flannel pj bottoms each Friday during homeroom. **Please remember that pjs bottoms are NOT allowed to be worn on any day** other than on *Flannel Fridays for a Cause*.

Thank you to Sgt. Brian Leppard and STEPS Prevention Coordinator Megan Albanese who presented to our students on Thursday. They spoke about online safety as well as the impact social media has on our emotional wellbeing. We are appreciative of their efforts to keep our students safe.

If you haven't visited the official STEPS website, please be sure to check it out at: www.southingtonsteps.org. There is a wealth of information available to families and the community as we work together to teach our students and community members to make safe choices by building assets and preventing substance abuse.

During the school year, we invite you to come in to chat with me and Mr. DiDominzio. Topics vary based on your needs and are not intended to be student specific. Our first *Ask the Admins* chat will be Wednesday, January 31st. We invite you to come join the group during one of these times: 7:30 am, 11:00 am and 3:30 pm.

If you are unable to attend yet have something you wish to know about or share with us, please write your question below and one of us will get back to you. Questions can be submitted all year long.

Please use this link to join us and/or submit a question or share something with us: <u>https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe1I8dDIppjmE04DDGkkX1xH7yS3pN2YMEM3A</u> <u>qbvwtXt8EsCQ/viewform?usp=sf_link</u>

We look forward to seeing and/or hearing from you.

Congrats to the members of the Drama Club! This year's production of "Sister Act" will be held on March 27, 28, 29, April 4, & 5 at 7:00 PM. Save the date!



Follow us on Instagram (jfkms06479) to see what is happening at JFK!

From the PTO:

Extreme Air Trampoline Park Fun Night! Friday, January 26, 2024 - jump between the hours of 5-10pm! 10% of all sales generated during the time frame support JFK PTO!

8th Grade Committee Fancy Bagels Shake the Can is Saturday, January 27th!

The 8th grade committee is looking for volunteers to help during various time slots to shake the can! Hoping to raise money directly for 8th grade end of year celebrations! The Signup Genius link is <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084DACA92AABFCC70-47119234-</u>

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a4bpMQmVEt5Txdb5ZrbrgcaZvJqYb0EC8ZhCuuWa0U#/

Stop by for a yummy breakfast on **Saturday Jan. 27th** and support our 8th grade committee.

Dairy Queen Fundraising Night - YUM!

Please stop by Dairy Queen (Milldale/Southington) on **Tuesday Feb. 6th** between 5-8pm and have a yummy dinner or treat and JFK PTO will receive 10% of sales!

BINGO Night! - Fundraising with a KICK!

Get your tickets now, it's going to be a fun night!! **Saturday, Feb. 10, 6:00pm** JFK Cafe. Space is Limited! Pre-Sale only!!

HOW TO ORDER

*On-Line: <u>https://forms.gle/c5e6pAjvmRJHj9vL8</u> *Message: Everything Happens for a Reason Fundraising *Coll/Tearty 200 550 2240

*Call/Text: 860.550.3249

Bingo starts at 7pm***Doors open at 6pm

TICKET PRICE = \$35 per person

Ticket includes: 1 Bingo Card for each of the 6 Games and 1 KICK Draw Ticket

A prize drawing table and bake sale will be featured as well! The PTO will be providing coffee (regular and decaf). Looking forward to seeing you there!

Have a nice weekend, Sue Vitcavage