

St. James Elementary Weekly Update

November 3, 2023



Looking Ahead

Below are some important upcoming events. View our [SJE Google Calendar](#) for all school events.

Monday, November 6: PTA Boosterthon Kicks Off

Tuesday, November 7: Election Day **NO SCHOOL**

Thursday, November 9: Wear Red White and Blue for Veterans Day

Friday, November 10: Veterans Day - **NO SCHOOL**

Tuesday, November 14: Wear BLUE to support National Diabetes Awareness Day

- Family Connect Night



VETERAN'S DAY 2023

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE

Please join us in
wearing **RED**, **WHITE**
and **BLUE** on Thursday,
November 9 in honor
of Veteran's Day

YES Student of the Week

This week, we congratulate Kindergartener, Lily Schiffman, on being the YES student of the week for being a great listener.

SCMEA PEAK Festival

Last weekend, several 4th graders participated in the SCMEA PEAK Festival (Parents, Educators, and Kids) with Mrs. Braunreuther. They attended classroom music workshops together (ukulele, folk dancing, chorus, world drumming, and more!) and had a performance at the end of the day. It was a wonderful time! Our students were; Bodhi Hohn, John McElligot, McKenna Baker, Camila Ticas, and Gabby Russo.



K&5 Writing Celebration

Ms Koch's 5th grade class hosted a writing celebration with their buddies from Mrs. Muffly's kindergarten class. 5th grade shared poems and kindergartners shared their FIRST books where they wrote across the pages about ONE idea and connected their thoughts. The kindergartners were proud to show off where they added labels, pictures and "words" to tell their story.



PTA NEWS

DANCE FIT
"LET'S DANCE"

WE ARE EXCITED TO HOST BOOSTERTHON DANCE FIT! WE WILL HAVE A SCHOOL WIDE KICK OFF ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH WITH NIGHTLY CHALLENGES, CHARACTER BUILDING PROGRAMS AND PRIZES!

IF WE SURPASS OUR GOAL OF \$25,000, SJE STAFF WILL HAVE A DANCE-OFF CHALLENGE!

REGISTER TODAY AT MYBOOSTER.COM AND YOU WILL EARN A FREE PRIZE!

DATE OF EVENT: NOVEMBER 17TH

PIC-COLLAGE



HARLEM WIZARDS
Game

Save the Date: December 6th
Harlem Wizards are coming to town to play some of
our Saint James Elementary staff!

HARLEM WIZARDS
VS
**SJE, DOGWOOD &
NESAQUAKE**

December 6, 2023
Smithtown East High School

TICKETS AND MORE INFO COMING SOON!

Community Events



Come and join us for a
Holiday Card-A-Thon



Join us and spread holiday cheer this festive season by signing, coloring and/or decorating a Holiday Card to send to our Armed Service Men and Women, Nursing Home Residents and Little Flower Children and Family Center. We are celebrating ALL HOLIDAYS! – Christmas, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, etc.

This is a FREE event!

Sponsored by
The Smithtown Children's Foundation



Location: The Elks Lodge
120 Edgewood Avenue
Smithtown, NY 11787



Date: Sunday - November 5, 2023
Time: 10:00am-1:00pm

Ways you can participate:

- *Make your cards at home and drop them off.
- *Join us to make the cards at the above location.
- *Community Service hours awarded for making cards.
- *We will gladly accept monetary and gift card donations to help us adopt families at the holidays.

If you know of a Service Member or someone in a Nursing Home and have their address, we will be more than happy to send them some.



District News



Smithtown Central School District

NEVER WORK NIGHTS, WEEKENDS OR HOLIDAYS!

Special Education Aides

\$20.04 per hour

3 HOUR SHIFTS BETWEEN 7:30 AM-4:00 PM

Food Service Workers

\$16.87 per hour

Includes paid time off

4 HOUR SHIFTS BETWEEN 6:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Elementary School Monitors

\$16.25 per hour

2.25 HOUR SHIFTS BETWEEN 11:00 AM-2:30 PM

Various shifts available, candidates must be flexible.

SUBMIT A LETTER OF INTEREST, RESUME AND TWO PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES TO:

Neil D. Katz, Assistant Superintendent for Personnel
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SJE Weekly Updates on SJE Website

All of the SJE Weekly Updates from this year are available on our [school's website](#) . You can access them by clicking the "Weekly Update" button.



Lunch Menu



Bus Information



School Calendar



Staff Directory



PowerSchool Parent Portal



ClassLink



Weekly Updates



Parent Teacher Association



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Virtual Backpack

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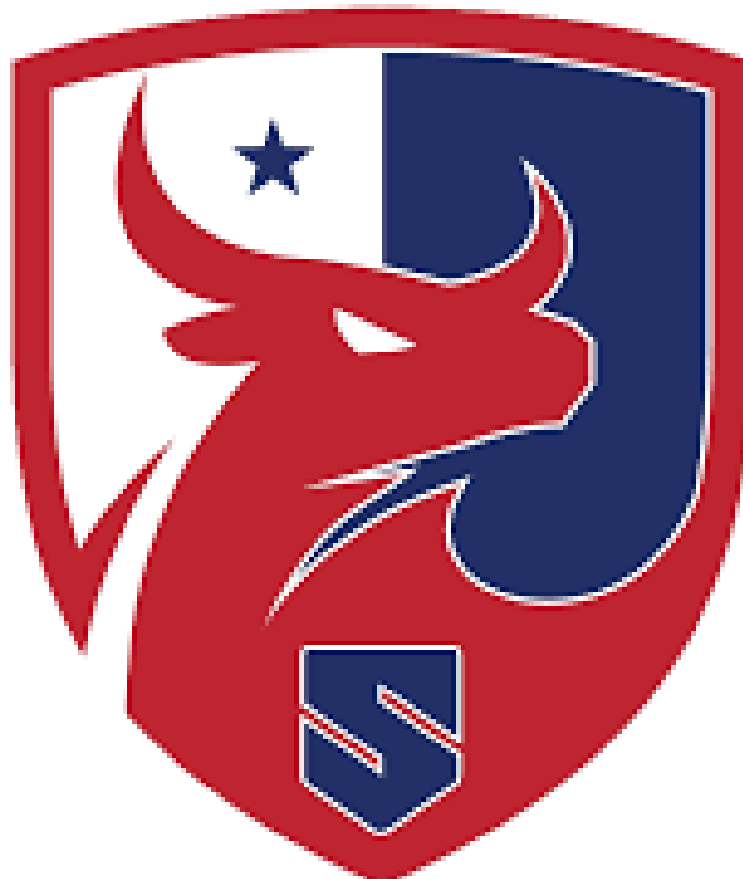
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Resources

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- [Mental Health Resources](#)





Adam Javidi

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