



## NOTES FROM THE OFFICE

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November 17, 2021

### COVID

This week we instituted our Test and Stay program. Test and Stay is for students or staff who develop possible COVID symptoms while at school, or who are close contacts of a case *at school*. Testing is done with parental permission, for five school days. As long as the test result is negative, the student may remain at school. The student may even participate in afterschool activities at school. However, a mask must be worn at all times by close contacts (including recess and after-school activities) and may only be removed during snack and lunch.

If you have signed your child up for testing, and testing is necessary, we can begin right away. If you have not signed up, but want to do so, the link is

<https://www.cic-health.com/consent/ma#consent>

**TODAY A NUMBER OF STUDENTS WAS SENT HOME FROM SCHOOL- WITH THE EXCEPTION OF ONE, ALL SENT HOME WERE NOT YET SIGNED UP FOR TEST AND STAY- SO THEY COULD NOT REMAIN HERE FOR THE DAY**

As a reminder COVID-19 symptoms list:

- **Fever (100.0° Fahrenheit or higher), chills, or shaking chills**
- **Difficulty breathing or shortness of breath**
- **New loss of taste or smell**
- **Muscle aches or body aches**
- Cough (not due to other known cause, such as chronic cough)
- Sore throat, *when in combination with other symptoms*
- Nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea *when in combination with other symptoms*
- Headache, *usually in combination with other symptoms*
- Fatigue, *when in combination with other symptoms*
- Nasal congestion or runny nose (not due to other known causes, such as allergies) *when in combination with other symptoms*

## **OPEN HOUSE**

We had many prospective families join us for our Open House, and a number have already submitted applications for the upcoming year. THANK YOU TO OUR AMAZING SCHOOL FAMILIES AND STUDENTS WHO ASSISTED last week! You made a positive impression on our visitors!

If you have friends or family who missed this opportunity to attend, they can register for a Tuesday Tour, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> at 10:00. Anyone interested should contact us at 508 398-6112 to pre-register for a tour. Tour size is limited and each attendee school age or above (4+) is required to wear a mask. A tour allows opportunities to learn about our Lower School, our Middle School, our House System, our Drama and Athletic programs, and so much more! It's a chance to see the school in action and explore the offerings within classrooms, as you experience teaching and learning at SPXS!

## **PARENT ONLINE PRESENTATION 11/17**

**Please take a look at the Internet Safety Presentation flyer that is attached.**

**This is a collaborative effort of the:**

United States Attorney's Office  
The Cape and Islands District Attorney's Office  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Barnstable Police Department  
Chatham Police Department

**Topics that will be covered are:**

**SOCIAL MEDIA 101**  
**YOUR DIGITAL FOOTPRINT**  
**GAMING**  
**CYBERBULLYING**  
**SEXTING EILEEN**  
**SEXTORTION**  
**VICTIM SUPPORT**  
**PROTECTING AGAINST ONLINE PREDATORS**  
**HOW TO KEEP KIDS SAFE ONLINE**

This complements the presentation by the DA's Office that our Middle School students recently experienced and should be a wonderful conversation-starter for you to discuss online safety with your children.



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### **PHOTO RE-TAKES**

Lifetouch will be here on Thursday, November 18<sup>th</sup> for photo re-takes. If you have any questions, please call the office.

### **REMINDER - NO SCHOOL**

**School will not be in session on Friday, November 19<sup>th</sup>.** The staff will be attending a Spiritual Enrichment Day at Bishop Connolly High School.

### **THANKSGIVING GIVING ITEMS**

Thanksgiving food donation items are due on Monday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>. We will be delivering the food to the Yarmouth Food Pantry on Monday morning. Thank you!

### **THANKSGIVING RECESS**

**Tuesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> - Students will be dismissed at 11:30am.** The Extended Day Program will **NOT** be available on Tuesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>. There will be no interruption in bus service. Buses will depart the school at 11:30.

School will **NOT** be in session on Wednesday, November 24<sup>th</sup>, Thursday, November 25<sup>th</sup>, and Friday, November 26<sup>th</sup>.

### **CAFETERIA VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

We are still looking for help in the cafeteria. Please see the link below:  
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0448aaa723a57-stpius3>

Just a reminder that you must be CORI cleared and vaccinated. Thank you!



## UNIFORM REMINDER

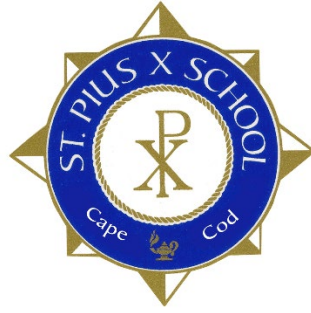
Please note that effective **Monday, November 29<sup>th</sup>**, students are able to wear the Winter Uniform. The listing of the Winter Uniform can be found below. The polo shirt/gym shirt must be worn as part of the Physical Education uniform. **A white turtle neck may be worn under the polo shirt/gym shirt as part of the gym uniform.** As we are now into the Winter months, the sweat pant or gym pant **must** be worn over the mesh shorts during classroom time. During Physical Education class, the sweat pant, or gym pant may be removed. **As Summer uniforms are long gone – so are shorts on dress down days!**

Please note that to keep consistency in our dress code, all uniform purchases must be made through the uniform company and not from other vendors including department stores.

### WINTER UNIFORM

The Winter Uniform consists of the Standard Uniform and the following **additions**:

<b>GRADES K-4</b>		
<b>Boys</b>	Shirt	white turtleneck or white oxford button down shirt with tie
<b>Girls</b>	Trousers	navy pants
	Shirt	white turtleneck or standard round collar blouse
<b>MIDDLE SCHOOL</b>		
<b>Boys</b>	Shirt	white turtleneck or oxford button down shirt with tie
<b>Girls</b>	Trousers	khaki pants
	Shirt	white turtleneck or oxford button down shirt



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Dear St. Pius X School Staff, Students and Parents/Guardians,

There have been positive cases of COVID-19 within our school community this past week.

These community members tested positive within the weekly reporting period from November 10, 2021 - November 17, 2021.

- Number of school members testing positive for Covid-19 - **3**
- Any close contacts in school? **Yes- all notified**
- Related to previous Covid cases? **No**

**Please remember, if you or a family member are experiencing symptoms, or test positive for Covid-19, please refrain from sending your child(ren) to school.**

We ask for your continued vigilance in following protocols, assuring social distancing, wearing face masks and frequent hand washing while outside of the school community.

*The parents of students and/or adult staff members who were identified close contacts have been notified. We followed up with Test and Stay and DESE and CDC protocols. We are working closely with state and local public health officials to ensure the health and safety of all students, families, and staff.*

St. Pius X School will continue to take all necessary precautions to keep students, families and staff safe and healthy but we need the cooperation from all families when students are not in school. We also ask for your consideration to respect the privacy of the individual(s) involved.

Thank you and God bless,

Anne Dailey  
Principal

**The CHRISTMAS RAFFLE CASH CALENDAR CONTEST IS UNDERWAY!**

We have hit **1000** tickets sold and we have over 3 weeks left! Please help us spread the word about the raffle...*31 chances to WIN CASH in January!*

<https://spxschool.ejoinme.org/ChristmasCalendar>

**THANK YOU to the sales LEADERS (as of 11/15/21)**

**1<sup>st</sup> Place: Assad (100+)**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Clarke (50+)**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Pike (40+)**

**30 Calendars (or more)**

Band	Kounadis	Phenix	Ward
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**20 calendars (or more):**

Arden	Blake	Bridgeman	Cummings	DeMasi	Diver
Fish	Haroutunian	Hyde	Loffredo	Lorenzo	McManus
McPherson	Moriarty	Nikolov	Patterson	Puzio	Robinson
Sullivan, I.	Trani	Wyluda			

**PRIZES!**

**Sell 30 Calendars** – 1 NUT (No Uniform Today) card for each student

**Sell 40 Calendars** – 2 NUT cards for each student, a homework pass for Lower School students and 5 House points for Middle School students

**Sell 50 Calendars** – 3 NUT cards for each student, a homework pass for Lower School students and 10 House points for Middle School students, & 1 yearbook

**Sell 100 Calendars** – A week’s-worth of NUT cards for each student, 2 homework passes for Lower School students and 20 House points for Middle School students, 1 school yearbook, AND a \$50 Amazon gift card.

The **class** that sells the highest percentage of Calendars wins an extra recess, a night off from homework, AND a **\$250 Amazon Gift Card for the homeroom teacher!**

**Mrs. Merrill’s Kindergarten class is in the lead.**

**Thank you for your participation and support of St. Pius X School!**



# Aladdin

## Cast List

**Aladdin - Henry Chun & Cort Fish**

**Jasmine - Kira O'Malley & Isabella Loffredo**

**Genie - To be Announced**

**Jafar - Jacob Campbell**

**Iago - Stella Rose**

**Sultan - Donnchadh Meehan**

**Prince Abdullah - Liam Dunton**

**Razoul - Darya Cheglakova**

### **Aladdin's Pals:**

**Babkak - Cameron Thacher**

**Omar - Grady Jumper**

**Kassim - Hannah Fish**

### **Jasmine's Pals:**

**Isir - Kaitlin Chun**

**Manal - Ava Powell**

**Rajah - Riley Kestenbaum**

### **Prince Abdullah's Attendants:**

**1. Clayton Cummings**

**2. Mila Jumper**

**Beggar 1 - Harper Rose**

**Beggar 2 - Lyla Powell &**

**Sabrina McHugh**

**Beggar 3 - Erin McNamara &**

**Maria Roncelli**

**Guard 1 - Jack Kupfer**

**Guard 2 - Ella Corcoran**

**Apple Vendor - Felicity Cochran**

**Fortune Teller - Elizabeth Monac**

**Shop Owners - Kira Alioshka &**

**Emma Campbell**

**Cave of Wonders - To be announced**

**Spooky Voice - To be announced**

### **Agrabahns/Ensemble:**

**Emma Affonso, Alexa Conway,**

**Niamh Dunton, Leighton Puzio,**

**Anthony Scola, Isla Sullivan,**

**Logan Wells**



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Advent is a time of anticipation of the Birth of Christ. It is also a time of reflection on all the gifts that Jesus has given to us. The gifts of faith, family, and love are a part of our lives and our children's lives. There are many children living in the St. Pius X Community and the Town of Yarmouth who are in need of assistance. Some families are experiencing short term emergencies that drain their resources, other families' needs are more long term. In conjunction with St. Pius X Parish and the Yarmouth Food Pantry, our school's families are asked to reach out to just one child during the Christmas Season.

If your family is able to be a part of this Outreach, would you kindly send the lower section of this form back to school by **Monday, November 29<sup>th</sup>**. We will then send you a slip stating the age, size, and gender of a specific child. **Please then place the gift in a gift bag (please do not wrap the gift)** and place the label on the outside of the package. **Gifts must be returned to the school office by Friday, December 10<sup>th</sup>**.

God Bless,

Anne Dailey  
Principal



Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, we want to participate in the Christmas giving program.





Would you like to pick your own Dress Down Day?

The 5<sup>th</sup> Grade has a special offer for you!

For a limited time, you can purchase a

# No Uniform Today Card

Cost: \$3.00

Parents, N.U.T. Cards make great  
stocking stuffers too!

Limit: 1 N.U.T. Card per Student

Proceeds go to the 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Class

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If you would like to purchase a No Uniform Today (N.U.T.) Card, please return this completed form with your \$3.00 payment. Make checks payable to: SPXS

Yes! I would like to purchase 1(one) N.U.T. Card

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_



# INTERNET SAFETY

## KEEPING KIDS SAFE AND SECURE ONLINE: A PROJECT SAFE CHILDHOOD PRESENTATION FOR PARENTS

Brought to you in collaboration by:  
The United States Attorney's Office  
The Cape and Islands District Attorney's Office  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Barnstable Police Department  
Chatham Police Department



Wednesday, November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
6:30 p.m.  
(log in begins at 6:15 p.m.)

*This presentation is for all adults who wish to learn how to keep kids safe and secure online.  
Content is inappropriate for children. Please use headphones and shield your viewing screen from others who may be listening.*

### *The Presentation will include:*

Being Safe & Secure Online  
Social Media 101  
Digital Footprint  
Cyberbullying  
Sexting  
Sextortion  
Victim Support  
Protecting Against Online Predation

### **REGISTRATION DETAILS**

Please register at the following link: (via Chrome browser)

<https://usao.webex.com/usao/onstage/g.php?MTID=e5ba50be557a58a890b4ccc4b37b08761>

**Password: PSC1**

Questions of difficulty registering? Please contact  
Karen Legace @ [karen.legace@usdoj.gov](mailto:karen.legace@usdoj.gov)

### **PRESENTERS**

Anne Paruti, Assistant United States Attorney  
United States Attorney's Office-District of MA

Eileen Moriarty, Assistant District Attorney  
Cape & Islands District Attorney's Office

Katherine Kelley, Supervisory Senior Resident Agent  
Federal Bureau of Investigations - Boston Field Division

Bill Massey, SRO Sergeant  
Chatham Police Department

Dennis Stappfl, SRO  
Barnstable Police Department]

Lauryn Myers, Victim Witness Specialist  
United States Attorney's Office-District of MA

# PROJECT SAFE CHILDHOOD INTERNET SAFETY

## Speaker Biographies

### Anne Paruti, Assistant United States Attorney

*United States Attorney's Office-District of MA*

Anne Paruti currently serves as the Chief of the Major Crimes Unit, where she oversees the work of AUSAs prosecuting a variety of federal crimes. She is also the district's Project Safe Childhood coordinator; in that role, she oversees child exploitation cases prosecuted throughout the district, is involved in collaboration with local District Attorney's Offices, and helps to develop and implement the district's PSC outreach program. Anne has been a prosecutor since 2007, first at the Middlesex District Attorney's Office, and then as a federal prosecutor at the U.S. Attorney's Office. She has focused her practice on child protection since 2012.

### Eileen Moriarty, Assistant District Attorney

*Cape & Islands District Attorney's Office*

Eileen Connors Moriarty started her career at the Cape and Islands's District Attorney's Office as an intern in 2003. In 2005 she became a full time Assistant District Attorney. Over the years Assistant District Attorney Moriarty has prosecuted cases in all of the Cape and Islands District Courts. She has been a Juvenile Court Prosecutor since 2010.

### Katherine Kelley, Supervisory Senior Resident Agent

*Federal Bureau of Investigation – Boston Field Division*

Katherine Kelley currently serves as the head of the Lakeville Resident Agency of the FBI. The Lakeville Office falls under the FBI Boston and is responsible for all Federal crimes, to include al Crimes Against Children and Human Trafficking, in Southeastern Massachusetts to include Cape Cod and the Islands. SSRA Kelley has served as an FBI Agent for nearly twenty years and served in the Richmond Field Office, the New York Field Office, FBI Headquarters in Washington, DC and Boston, and has worked predominately criminal violations for the majority of her career. She also led the New York's Evidence Response Team, in which led to SSRA Kelley being deployed to over 17 countries to include Iraq and Afghanistan.

### SRO Sergeant Bill Massey

*Chatham Police Department*

Sergeant Bill Massey started his career in L.E. in 1997 with the Town of Southampton. He joined the Chatham Police Department in 2005 and was promoted to Sergeant in 2010. He is currently assigned as School Resource Officer, serving Monomoy Middle School and Chatham Elementary School. He has been involved in school-based policing since 1999 and is certified as an SRO through the National Association of School Resource Officers. He is also an alumnus of the FBI's LEEDA (Law Enforcement Executive Development Association). Bill holds a Master's Degree in Criminal Justice.

### SRO Dennis Stampfl

*Barnstable Police Department*

Patrol Officer Dennis Stampfl began his law enforcement career in 1997 and is currently assigned as a School Resource Officer for Barnstable High School. He is currently a member of the CCIT (Community Crisis Intervention Training) team which specializes in providing training for officers involving mental health and child development issues. He was the Adopt a School Officer for Barnstable Intermediate School for 7 years. He is an ALICE instructor for the school district and many other organizations. Officer Stampfl embraces his position as an SRO and is committed to the safety, equity and well being of all students and staff.

### Lauryn Myers, Victim Witness Specialist

*United States Attorney's Office-District of MA*

Lauryn Myers is the Victim/Witness Specialist within the United States Attorney's Office who handles all crimes involving child exploitation throughout the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. With a degree in psychology with an emphasis in forensics and her experiences within the field since 2015, she has helped hundreds of victims through criminal prosecutions in state and federal jurisdictions. Lauryn is an active team member of Project Safe Childhood in hopes to promote safety for all children.

Our Lady of the Cape Presents

3<sup>rd</sup> Annual

# Change of Seasons

A Concert Benefitting The Charitable Works of Cape Cod



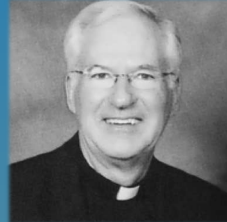
Kyle Davis



Joan Kirchner



Sam Cournoyer



Rev. John Dolan



Dan Flonta



Mairead Doherty

**Friday, November 19, 2021**  
**7:00pm**

**Our Lady of the Cape Church**  
**468 Stony Brook Road**  
**Brewster, Massachusetts 02631**

Please join us for another great evening of songs and stories to get you in the spirit of the holiday season! The concert will be held live, in person, at Our Lady of the Cape church. We will be raising money once again for the food pantries and charitable works around Cape Cod and Our Lady of the Cape parish.

Admission is Free

All are invited, all are welcome.

For more details, please visit:  
[www.changeofseasons.org](http://www.changeofseasons.org)



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