



IJP NEWS

November 4, 2011

IMPORTANT DATES

November 4 — Cookie Dough Fundraiser begins

November 6 — Set your clocks back one hour (2 am)

November 7 & 9 — 8th Grade EXPLORE Testing

November 8 — Report Cards sent home & PTO Meeting, 7 pm

November 11 — PTO Fun Lunch & Jeans Day

PRINCIPAL NEWS

Letter from Mr. Smith — [November 4th](#)

[November School Calendar](#)

LUNCH MENU

Monday	11/7	Grilled Chicken Sandwich
Tuesday	11/8	Meat Ravioli
Wednesday	11/9	Egg Roll and Fortune Cookie
Thursday	11/10	Mini Corndog (No Hotdogs)
Friday	11/11	PTO Fun Lunch (Cafe Kitchen Closed)

Monday	11/14	BBQ Rib Sandwich
Tuesday	11/15	Chicken Kiev w/Corn
Wednesday	11/16	Salisbury Steak Sandwich
Thursday	11/17	Bowl of Chili w/Crackers
Friday	11/18	Chicken Nuggets (No Hotdogs)

The Cafeteria serves Hotdogs and PBJ sandwiches daily (except when noted).

The daily special is \$2.00 and salads are \$1.50. See [MENU LINK](#) for more pricing.

THANKSGIVING BASKETS

For many years IJP families have supported Horizon Hospice and Kids Who Care by providing Thanksgiving Baskets for seniors in need throughout the southland area. We are asking for this voluntary commitment again. The cost can vary but is approximately \$10 - \$25. However, what is most anticipated and appreciated are the handmade cards and/or gifts you add to the baskets. These baskets are distributed to individuals who are in hospice care or shut in and have little to no family to care for them.

To participate we need to hear from you today Baskets will need to be delivered to Horizon Hospice by Tuesday, Nov. 15th. For more information and to volunteer please see the [FLYER LINK](#). Thank you for your generosity. God bless, The Catholic Life Committee



PTO COOKIE DOUGH FUNDRAISER

See attached [COOKIE DOUGH FLYER](#) for information.



FOOD DRIVE

November 10 - 18

SCHOOL FOOD DRIVE

We are holding our annual Thanksgiving Food Drive for the Hunger Bank of a needy local church, St. Anne's Parish in Hazel Crest. We are asking that each student in our school bring in 2 cans/non-perishable items to school between November 10th and November 18th. Thank you in advance for your support!

IT'S FAMILY NIGHT - JOIN US!

Mark your calendars and don't miss our IJP Family Night Skating Party on **Friday, November 11th** from 6pm-9pm at Glenwood Skating Rink. Hosted by the IJP PTO. Admission will be \$7 per person. [FLYER info.](#)

IJP IN THE NEWS

Send your newsworthy ideas, stories, videos, photos and media during the 2011-2012 School Year to Mr. Chorak, Assistant Principal at schorak@ijpparish.org so that we can make sure that the entire community knows about great happenings with the IJP Community. Also, feel free to call at 708-799-5200 ext. 245.

The IJP School tradition, "Humbug Witch" was featured for Halloween on the Patch website.

http://homewood-flossmoor.patch.com/blog_posts/twenty-plus-year-old-witch-visits-ijp-kindergarten-students

The 8th grade science experiment at Butterfield Creek was featured on the H-F Patch website.

http://homewood-flossmoor.patch.com/blog_posts/science-teacher-goes-above-beyond-and-into-the-water-to-assist-students-in-learning

The Language Arts lesson for 3rd graders included use of the mobile computer lab. It was featured on the H-F Patch.

http://homewood-flossmoor.patch.com/blog_posts/ijp-teacher-assists-with-language-arts-excellence

ROOTS AND WINGS

The OCTOBER edition of Roots & Wings can be found with this [LINK](#).

----- **COMMUNITY EVENTS** -----

(These articles and links are offered for the reader's information. Inclusion does not mean these events are sponsored or endorsed by Infant Jesus of Prague School.)

Click on the links below to find out about Community Events in our area:

[Voice Lessons with Jane Jennings](#)

My name is Jane Jennings and I am a parishioner at Infant Jesus of Prague. My son Ethan is in third grade at Infant. In addition, I have completed my Virtus Training through the school. I am a professional opera singer and voice instructor. I have also been a member of the voice faculty at Millikin University and Illinois Wesleyan University. If you are interested in voice lessons for your son or daughter, yourself, or anyone else you may know, please call me to schedule a lesson. Towards the end of October, you may also see me at church where I will be cantering on Sundays at 7:30am or 5:00pm. Please refer to the [attached flyer](#) for more information. I look forward to speaking with you.

[FPL Homework Help Tutors Available](#)

[Homewood-Flossmoor Park District November FUN TIMES](#)

[H-F HS School Cultural Event Calendar](#)