

Parkview Newsletter

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"All your children shall be taught by the Lord and great shall be the peace of your children." Isaiah 54:13

Back to School Bonfire Night



Join us on Saturday evening, **September 10th** beginning at **5pm** to fellowship together with worship, songs and s'mores. **Pastor Jochy Jamel** will lead our worship. This is a joint event with the families who attended Westvale's VBS program over the summer and our Parkview families. **Bring a lawn chair or blanket if you have one.**

Drop-off/Pick-up Procedure

Beginning on **Wednesday, September 7** our school doors will open at **7:45am**. If you have been arriving prior to 7:45 please make the necessary adjustments to arrive no earlier.

The front door is locked at 8am and students entering after that time are marked as tardy. If you arrive after 8am, please ring the doorbell and a staff member will open the door for you.



Please yield to the orange cones and follow the signs for our drop-off and pick-up procedure. In addition:

- Have students ready to exit the vehicle at drop off (back pack in hand, quick goodbyes, etc.).
- Drivers remain in their vehicles.
- Stay in line unless otherwise directed by staff.
- **Leave a gap at the bus turn-a-round entrance (marked with a STOP sign). Pull up when space is available.**

Smile.Amazon.com Users Make Parkview Happy

If you are a regular user of Amazon, you can make a big difference for Parkview by simply switching to smile.amazon.com and choosing Parkview Jr Academy as the charity of your choice. Your shopping experience will be exactly the same and a portion of your purchases will be donated to our school.



Lunch Menu

Monday—Labor Day, NO SCHOOL

Tuesday—Taco soup w/ cornbread

Wednesday—Sandwiches and a side

Thursday—Haystacks

On the Calendar

September 5—Labor Day, NO SCHOOL

September 10—Welcome Back Bonfire, 5pm

September 12-16—Outdoor School (grades 5-8)

September 26-30—Testing

Office Contact Info

315.468.0117

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Labor Day—NO SCHOOL

A reminder that there is NO SCHOOL this coming Monday due to the Labor Day holiday. Enjoy your long weekend!



After-School Clubs

Due to a scheduling conflict there will be **NO FITNESS CLUB** this coming Wednesday. The students participating in this club will need to be picked up at the regular dismissal time.

Ski & Snowboard Club



We are looking forward to another year of fun in the snow and on the slopes at Song Mountain with Parkview's ski & snowboard

club for students in **grades 3-8**. If you are interested in signing up your child(ren), please refer to the **attached flyer** for more details, **pass and rental fees** and contact info on how to join. Forms are due by **November 11** so there is time to plan and save for these expenses.

Busing

We look forward to bus transportation beginning next week. As a reminder, transportation start dates for the following school districts are:



Syracuse City—September 7 (*For new students registered after August 8th, the first day of transportation will be September 12th*)

Liverpool—September 8

North Syracuse—September 7

East Syracuse—September 6

Garden Veggies

Is your home garden producing more than you can manage? If you have extra veggies you'd like to donate, bring them in to the school and our kitchen staff will be happy to incorporate them into school lunches. Thank you!

Drivers Needed



The **5th thru 8th** graders will be away for **Outdoor School** at **Camp Cherokee**

September 12-16. This is a wonderfully rich opportunity for these students to learn skills and gain knowledge, spending time in God's nature. **We need drivers** to help transport 22 students up on **Monday, the 12th** and bring them home on **Friday, the 16th**. Camp Cherokee is about a **3 hour drive** from the school through some of the most beautiful parts of NY state. **If you are available to drive (both or either of the days), please contact the office ASAP.**

Eighth Grade Snacks For Sale

To raise money for their class trip and graduation expenses, the 8th grade class is selling snacks **Monday thru Thursday** and popsicles on **Fridays** throughout the school year. Please send in cash if your student would like to purchase a snack and support their fundraiser.

- Kind Granola Bars--\$1.00
- Goldfish--\$0.75
- Pop Chips--\$1.00
- Chex Mix--\$1.00
- Gummies (gelatin free)--\$0.75
- Juice--\$0.75
- Popsicles (**Friday only**)--\$1.00



Facebook

Give our Facebook page a thumbs up by searching for @ParkviewJuniorAcademy. You'll find reminders about upcoming events and pictures of special things happening around the school.



Labelling Sweaters

Please be sure to **label all sweaters and jackets** with your **student's name or initials**. This will help us identify the owner in the case they are misplaced or mixed up.

Jupiter



Remember to install the Jupiter app on your phone to easily access your student's info and communication from the school.

Home & School

The Home & School committee is looking for new members to help plan fellowship and fundraising opportunities for the school and foster the relationship between Parkview and its families. Members would need to **meet about once a month** (most likely on zoom) and be available to **help set up and run** the events sponsored by Home & School. If you're interested in being a part of the team please contact Kelsey at 315.935.9631.

Sicknesses

We kindly ask you to keep your child home if he/she is experiencing fever, chills, cough, difficulty breathing, body aches, sore throat, and/or loss of taste or smell. Children should remain home until they have received a **negative COVID test result and have been fever-free for 24 hours**. If coughing and/or sneezing persist, we ask that they wear a mask while at school.



Absent or Sick Child/Early Pick-Up

If your child will be absent for the day, please call the office **before 9am** to inform us of the reason for the absence. If you need to arrange an early pick-up, please call the office no later than the morning of to notify of **medical appointments** and at least an hour in advance (if able) in the event of an **emergency**.

School Communication



With respect to your child's education and our teachers' schedules, we ask that if you have a question or concern regarding your child during the school day to please **contact Kelsey** in the office by **phone (315.468.0117)** or **text (315.935.9631)**. She will relay the message or give attention to the matter directly.

Our teachers are focused on classroom responsibilities and this procedure will help ensure text messages don't get missed and will minimize distractions. We appreciate your cooperation.

After-School Care/Late Pick-Up

Program hours: **M-Th 3:15-5:30pm** and **F noon-3:00pm**.

Fee: **\$5/hour per child** and **\$1.25/quarter hour paid in advance, CASH only. No exceptions.**

An initial deposit of **\$60/child** must be paid the Friday prior to a student beginning after care. Any unused funds will roll over. **Each Friday you must bank up to \$60/child to allow him/her to participate in after care services the following week.**



Parents who have not picked up their child(ren) by **3:20pm M-Th** or **12:05pm on Friday** will accrue late pick up fees at the rate of **\$1/min**, added to your monthly statement.

If you are not able to pick your child up promptly at dismissal times, we encourage you to utilize this service. By paying in advance, the fee is \$5/hr. If you are late, but haven't paid in advance the fee is \$1 PER MINUTE which adds up quickly.



Parkview exists to empower students to think deeply,

Serve humbly and trust God wholeheartedly.