



SAINT JOHN PAUL II ACADEMY

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Royals

The Royals

Not the Montreal Royals. The name comes from Peter 2:9 "You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people, that you may declare the wonderful deeds of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light."

UPCOMING EVENTS

* Thanksgiving NO SCHOOL

October 12, 2026

We have so much to be grateful for – thank you everyone!

* FULL WINTER UNIFORM

October 13, 2026

Summer Dress Code is over. Time for Winter Dress Code. Shirt and Tie.

* St. John Paul II Feast Day

October 22, 2026

Our annual day to celebrate our patron saint!



Who we are

A School that is Grateful

This is only the start of our second year in this beautiful new building. I know that we are a newsletter away from Thanksgiving, but I am just feeling so grateful for the gift that is this facility, and this family.

Community is what built this school – the generosity of time, talent, and treasure that everyone shared to make this dream a

reality. And here we are – your teens enjoying the fruits of all those who made this possible.

I want you all to know that we are so thankful for your continued support, especially through our newly-launched **Parent Participation Program**. Your involvement makes this school what it is.

Message from the Principal

We are fast approaching our annual celebration in honour of St. John Paul II. We have a special surprise for the school this year. I am excited to be able to announce it to you soon. Looking forward to October 22nd.



Campus Ministry

Grade Level Retreats

The Grade 12s had their retreat last week. It was two days at Little Flower Monastery in Duroche organized by Mrs. Correa and Mr. Grosjean, and led by our chaplain, Father Jan. The setting is absolutely gorgeous, and the right place for taking time out from our busy lives to re-focus on God.

Below is a picture of last year's retreat leadership team. This year's team will help with the Grades 8 to 11 retreats.



This Week at SJP2

Monday Regular Day 2
October 5

Tuesday Regular Day 1
October 6

Wednesday Day 2 **Early Dismissal**
October 7

Thursday Regular Day 1
October 8

Friday Flex School Mass Day 1
Formal – shirt and tie
October 9

Check with coaches and clubs for practices and activities



Athletics

Grade 8 Girls Volleyball at Grandview Tourney

The team had their first taste of competition at the Grandview tournament last Friday and Saturday. They played hard, smart, and together. A great start to their season!

Three volleyball teams, a soccer team, cross-country and swim team are all practicing and playing now.

The Grade 8 girls team has two home games on Wednesday, October 7 at 3:30 and 4:30. Come out to see them play!

Get Involved!

Check in with your chosen-clubs sponsor teacher. Things are happening and we want you to be part of them. If you want to drop a club or join a club, just reach out to the teacher and have a chat.