

## STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS



March 12, 2020

**MISSION STATEMENT:** The mission of St. James High School is to empower all students with skills necessary to reach their highest level of academic achievement:

**MOTTO: T\*H\*D\*E: TRADITION** (To Leave a legacy) **HONOR:** (To Love), **DISCIPLINE** (To Learn), and **EXCELLENCE:** (To Live)

**WORD OF THE DAY: PANDEMIC (adj):** refers to a global epidemic — one that has spread over several countries or continents affecting a large number of people.

**SENTENCE:** The 1918 flu was *pandemic* and claimed millions of lives.

### **BIRTHDAY ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Happy birthday today to **JASMINE TASSIN & DAISHANAY WILLIAMS.**

### **GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- ◆ We will reward students with no referrals with a bag of chips tomorrow for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> lunch. We have an incredible 325 of 399 students with no referrals for the Spring semester (January – March). Of the 18.5% of students with a referral, the majority are from single incidents and for minor offenses such as tardies and dress code. As you have noticed, the hoodie has also been virtually eliminated from our campus. This once again exemplifies our wonderful Wildcat climate and culture at SJH. Big shout out to all teachers & students for a job well done.
- ◆ All paperwork for Varsity Cheer tryouts is due to Mrs. Jensen tomorrow. Students may not participate in tryouts if all paperwork is not submitted.
- ◆ Kona Ice is here today for MS and HS.
- ◆ The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual College Fair will be held on Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am – 12:00 noon at First Community Antioch Baptist Church in Lutcher. The football players have been requested by Coach Valdez to attend this event. We would like to see all HS students to come out. Colleges & universities from Louisiana and around the country will be there. College resources and lots of give-a-ways; food fun and more. **Registration starts at 8:00 a.m.**
- ◆ JROTC will sponsor a trip to Memphis, TN on April 17<sup>th</sup>. The cost for this trip is \$35.00.

### **COUNSELORS' ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- ◆ The MLK, Nucor, BOSS Hogg and Retired Teachers' scholarships are available in the counselor's office.
- ◆ Any student in grades 9 – 12 who has taken the ACT and scored a **21** or over **OR** has taken the Work Keys Test and scored a **GOLD** or **PLATINUM**, must see Mr. Eltonary Oubre or Ms. Shawn Oubre during lunch to verify their scores as soon as possible.
- ◆ Juniors and seniors can pick up ACT fee waivers from Mr. Oubre.

### **SPORTS ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

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**THOUGHT FOR THE DAY**  
**Mistakes are proof that you're trying.**

**HAVE A THANKFUL THURSDAY!**  
**Make this a great day or not – The choice is up to you!**