

Wednesday, September 13th

The next [5th grade spell bowl](#) meeting is tomorrow (Thursday) 8am in Mr. Hedman's room.

[NJHS](#) shirt order forms and money are due to Mrs. Giannini in Room 511 by this Friday, September 15.

Congrats to the [8th grade volleyball team](#) on their win last night against St. John Evangelist. Both 7th and 8th grade head to the lake central for an invitational this Saturday.

Attn: 8th Grade students going on the [D.C. trip](#) - There will be a final parent meeting on Monday, October 16th at 7pm in the LGI. Please see Ms. Craig in room 701 for details.



This Saturday is the Town of St. John Pet Parade . Sign up your pet and join the fun, everyone is invited. [Paws for a Cause](#) members will be there also. Info for registration is in the office. All proceeds benefit Match, the K-9 dog and St. John Animal Control.



Attention [6th, 7th, and 8th](#) Graders: The call-out meeting for [YEARBOOK](#) (not Video Yearbook), is Thursday, September 14 at 8:00 in Mrs. Nelson's room (806). It's Clark's ten year anniversary, and our 10 picture on the football field last week is our 2018 Yearbook cover---but that's just the start. Be there on Thursday if you want to be part of this year's Ten-Tastic Yearbook!!



[Swing choir](#) auditions will be held Wednesday (Sept. 13) and Friday (Sept. 15) before school at 7:30am in the choir room. Swing choir is available for any 6th-8th grade student interested in singing and dancing at our choir concerts. No preparation is needed for the audition, but students **MUST** attend BOTH audition dates in order to be considered for the group. Previous singing and dancing experience is beneficial, but not required. Please see Mrs. Arroyo if you have any questions.

Next week [Paws for a Cause](#) in collaboration with Ted's Pet & Feed store will be collecting items for hurricane pets. They will be taken to areas with the most need. Please bring in either dog/cat food, leashes or collars, animal crates or monetary donations. We are not collecting anything else at this time.



Attention all 5th grade students - [5th grade choir](#) will be having a call-out meeting on Monday, September 18th after school until 5pm. Any 5th graders interested in singing and performing are encouraged to attend. No audition is necessary! Grab a friend and meet us in room #307 to find out more information! If you cannot attend the meeting, please see Mrs. Arroyo for more details.

During the month of September, the [Clark Cross Country teams](#) will be collecting cash donations at all our home meets to help benefit a school in Houston, Texas that was hit by Hurricane Harvey. [The donations will be collected as you enter the field for the meet. We hope that you will be able to help out in any way you can!](#)

We are beginning a new award program for [Box Tops for Education](#). Each semester, the top three students bringing in Box Tops will win Target gift cards (\$20, \$15, or \$10). If we get a large increase in the number of

Box Tops turned in, we will increase the number of prizes. **Please** remember that the box tops do expire. Expired box tops will not be counted for the contest, because they can't be submitted for redemption. They have to be thrown away. Let's try to see if we can make more money to build up the student activity fund. Please remember **all** the money goes back to the students!!!! Please check the attached list and the Clark webpage for a complete list of items that are included in the Box Tops for Education program. You may be surprised with some of the items!



Eco teens Shoe collection will take place through October 31st. Please bring in any new or gently used shoes and deposit them in the barrels by Door A and Door J. Sojourner Truth House (STH) will receive .40¢ for each pound of shoes and boots collected. All proceeds will be used to further support the STH Food Pantry, Transportation and Programming.