

# TIGER TALES

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Happy Fall, y'all! You know what that means... All things pumpkin AND all things PTC Fall Festival!!! This year's will be the funnest, yet! I overheard a few things last week about the haunted house and this 'fraidy-cat' teacher will NOT be going... sounds perfectly creepy! Besides, I will be too busy playing chance-raffles, the cake-walk, the pantry wheel and checking out the goods at the country store! Also... I'm betting that we will see the PRIZE PATROL roaming about, randomly rewarding all those SJS families who show up to help this event become so successful! Look for the Prize Patrol stamp on all of your #SJSFallFestival17 information to know when you might be a lucky winner! Be there or be square - Saturday, October 28: Jack O'Lantern Jog @ 8 am, followed by Fall Festival Fun from 4-8 pm. Check out our school website for details and entry forms. [www.stj catholic school.com](http://www.stj catholic school.com)

Last week we completed our ITBS Standardized Test! The students did great!

Up this week...HOMECOMING. Monday night our Lady Tigers played volleyball in El Campo and last night we had our 2nd annual Tiger Tailgate and everyone had a blast! Games and food and great conversations - we are so blessed with the BEST families and students here at SJS! Thanks to the 7th grade class for hosting such a fun event! Tonight we battle Sacred Heart as we continue our Homecoming celebration and tradition! All alumni, family and friends are invited to come out to the game at Bulldog Stadium at 6:30 pm.

Mark your calendars for next week, as the Lady Tigers face Trinity at 5 pm here at home in the SJS gym. Also, next Wednesday, October 4, in honor of the Feast Day of St. Francis, we will have a blessing of the pets - all St. Joseph parishioners and those connected to SJS are invited to bring your pets for this blessing... no snakes, y'all! Also, we have a football game Thursday next week, instead of Wednesday and Friday we are praying the Living Rosary in the church at 12:30 pm followed by early release at 1 pm. Come pray with us!

Thanks for reading this week's article. Remind yourself, you are too blessed to be stressed and too anointed to be disappointed! All God's love coming your way as we pray for a week filled with joy.