

## Parent Information for Right to Read Week

### *Have You “Red” a Good Book Lately?*



The following is a schedule for **Right to Read Week (February 13-17)**. We hope you will help your child/children by encouraging them to accept the **Reading Challenge** and read, not just next week, but every day!!!

#### **Monday, February 13 \*Book Swap and Hat’s Off to Reading Day**

The **Book Swap** will be for each grade level. Just send in a gently-used book that your child has read and/or no longer needs and they can swap it out for another great book to take home to read. Don’t forget to find a fun hat for them to wear all day!

#### **Tuesday, February 14 \* Wear RED for Ricky Red Bird Day**

**This is a uniform day**, but your student can wear any (or all) of the following items in the color red: headbands, shirts, sweaters, beads, sweatshirts, scarves...just like our Patriotic Day during Catholic Schools Week. Students are limited to these items. Please notice: Capes are NOT on the approved list.

#### **Wednesday, February 15 \*Visiting Author Day**

**Ricky Red Bird** author (and **St. Joseph School graduate**), **Mrs. Stacy Lievens** will be speaking to the students about her book. The students and staff will be wearing “Ricky” stickers as a reminder to live a life filled with virtue.

#### **Thursday, February 16 \*Treat Day and Buddy Reading Day**

All students will be given a “**Mrs. Hoehn-approved treat**” to share while participating in the **Buddy Reading time**.

#### **Friday, February 17 \*Reading T-Shirt with Jeans and Ronald McDonald Day**

Grades K-3 will attend **Ronald McDonald’s Book Talk**, while the entire school enjoys a **Reading T-Shirt and Jeans Day**. We hope your students have been working on their shirts, or deciding on one they already own!

The **Reading Challenge instructions and slips** are being sent home **Thursday, February 9** with EVERY STUDENT. All of this information, and extra Reading Challenge slips, can be found on **SchoolSpeak** and/or in the **SJS Thursday envelope**. If you have any questions, please feel free to call or email. ([punger@stjoesylvania.org](mailto:punger@stjoesylvania.org))

**Mrs. Patty Unger, SJS Librarian**

**Mrs. Tracy Kindl and Mrs. Denise Brown, Committee Chairpersons**

**Mrs. Kim Gabel, Reading Corner Designer/Builder**



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## 2017 Right to Read Week Reading Challenge

We are excited to have our Reading Challenge again this year!!! We CHALLENGE you to read something for fun **starting the weekend before Right to Read Week and every day during the week**. This challenge is for grades K-8. If you accept this challenge and turn in your completed reading slips to your teacher every morning, you will be entered in the **daily prize drawings**. By participating EVERY DAY you have more chances to win prizes, a snow cone treat for your classroom or even a jeans day!!! Each day you return your slip, it becomes a raffle ticket for that day’s drawing. For the **grand prize drawing on Friday**, all you have to do is READ and **turn in those slips every morning**!! IT’S THAT SIMPLE!

The reading slips are being sent home today, February 9, with **each child** and are available on SchoolSpeak. They are attached. Make sure you look for them! They need to be signed by a parent and handed in on the dates shown on the slips. NO exceptions. Return the slip from the weekend on the morning of Monday, February 13, the first day of Right to Read Week. [If you are absent please return the slip(s) for those days on your first day back to school.]

To make the week even more fun, reading trivia questions will be on morning announcements and prizes will be awarded each day for those winners!

**It’s going to be a great week!**

**Mrs. Patty Unger, Librarian**

**Mrs. Tracy Kindl and Mrs. Denise Brown, Committee Chairmen**



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**St. Joe's Right to Read Week 2017**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

My child read for pleasure this weekend.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return to school on **MONDAY**, February 13.



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**St. Joe's Right to Read Week 2017**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

My child read for pleasure Monday, February 13.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return to school on **TUESDAY**, February 14.



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**St. Joe's Right to Read Week 2017**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

My child read for pleasure Tuesday, February 14.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return to school on **WEDNESDAY**, February 15.



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**St. Joe's Right to Read Week 2017**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

My child read for pleasure Wednesday, February 15.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return to school on **THURSDAY**, February 16.



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**St. Joe's Right to Read Week 2017**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

My child read for pleasure Thursday, February 16.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return to school on **FRIDAY**, February 17.

