

# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR FACTS TUITION ACCOUNT**

**Please be advised that Facts Management Company will send an email with the tuition information for the 2019-2020 school year within the few days. The information will also include the date Facts will be automatically deducting the non-refundable \$44.00 Enrollment Fee for those choosing the monthly plan.**

**For those families awarded Tuition Assistance this email will not include your assistance. You will receive another email by the end of May with your new tuition amount.**

**If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Ann Marie Morales at 856-629-6190 x33 or [mainoffice2@smarys.org](mailto:mainoffice2@smarys.org).**

**Thank you.**



May 7, 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Our school year is coming to an end soon. We have only a few weeks of serving lunch to the students at St. Mary School.

We still have many unpaid accounts that are due. With the school year coming to a close students in 8<sup>th</sup> Grade will not be allowed to charge lunches after Monday, May 20th. Students in Grades K-7 will not be allowed to charge lunches after Tuesday, May 28th.

The last day to order birthday snacks is Tuesday, May 28th.

Please call me if you are unsure if your child has a negative balance. If your child has a balance at the end of the school year, the balance will be forwarded to the 2019-2020 school year.

Thank you,

Debbie Spasari  
(856) 629-6419

# Student of the Month

## April 2019

Congratulations to the following students:

Rayssa Freitas	K1	Chase Anderson	K2
Lucas Vezza	1A	Vivian Farally	1B
Sarah Gaidis	2A	Gavin Hagney	2B
Adrianna Fazzio	3A	Landen Totten	3B
Ashley Dodd	4A	Ana Mosher	4B
Maggie Marshall	5A	Natalia Guerrero	5B
Gianna Deirocini	6A	Iris Chapman	6B
Morgan Mankoski	7A	Frankie Spencer	7B
Lauren Vincenti	8A	Madison Schill	8B





## HOUSE POINT WINNERS 2018-2019

House of Saint Patrick	Ella Beltran
House of Saint Valentine	Carlo Badagliacco
House of Saint Joseph	Lauren Cesare
House of Saint Francis	Daniel Carter
House of Saint Theresa	Lyla Bottino
House of Saint Elizabeth	Kylie Krause
House of Saint Dominic	Giovanni Pacilio
House of Saint Joan of Arc	Tyler Histing
House of Servant Maria Esperanza	Elisabeth Grant

The division winners for highest points:

Division 1	House of Saint Joseph
Division 2	House of Saint Theresa
Division 3	House of Maria Esperanza

# ***SAINT MARY SCHOOL***

## **FAMILY PRAYER CALENDAR MAY 2019**

***PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING ST. MARY SCHOOL FAMILIES  
EACH DAY DURING THIS MONTH. THESE FAMILIES WILL ALSO BE  
REMEMBERED DURING OUR MORNING PRAYERS.***



<i>SUNDAY</i>	<i>MONDAY</i>	<i>TUESDAY</i>	<i>WEDNESDAY</i>	<i>THURSDAY</i>	<i>FRIDAY</i>	<i>SATURDAY</i>
			<i>1 Sweeney Family  Taylor Family</i>	<i>2 Tenuto Family  Titus Family</i>	<i>3 Torres Family  Totten Family</i>	<i>4</i>
<i>5</i>	<i>6 Trail Family  Trampe Family</i>	<i>7 Tran Family  Tucker Family</i>	<i>8 Tran Family  Turchi Family</i>	<i>9 Valentine Family  Valerio Family</i>	<i>10 Valle Family  Vennell Family</i>	<i>11</i>
<i>12</i>	<i>13 Veza Family  Vincenti Family</i>	<i>14 Vogt Family  Vukicevich Family</i>	<i>15 Wagner Family  Walker-Riley Family</i>	<i>16 Walls Family  Ward Family</i>	<i>17 Weiser Family  Wentz Family</i>	<i>18</i>
<i>19</i>	<i>20 West Family  Weston Family</i>	<i>21 Wheaton Family  Whitehurst Family</i>	<i>22 Williams Family  Wilson Family</i>	<i>23 Wolf Family  Zagone Family</i>	<i>24  NO SCHOOL</i>	<i>25</i>
<i>26</i>	<i>27  Memorial Day NO SCHOOL</i>	<i>28 Wolf Family  Zamulinsky Family</i>	<i>29 Zonis Family  Contrevo Family</i>	<i>30 Wisniewski Family DiMauro Family Histing Family</i>	<i>31 Peacock Family Gilkin Family Hence Family</i>	

# YEARBOOKS

May 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians:

The 2018 – 2019 St. Mary School yearbooks will be arriving soon. The eighth grade yearbook staff worked very hard and diligently on this project.

If you are interested in purchasing a yearbook, please fill out the bottom of this form and return it along with your cash or check made payable to St. Mary School in an envelope marked “Yearbook”. The price is \$21.00 per yearbook. **The yearbooks will be sent home in June.**

Thank you!

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## YEARBOOK ORDER FORM

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Books \_\_\_\_\_ Amount enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

# Show



# Your

# Crusader Pride!

Registration for the 2019 – 2020 JV and Varsity Cheerleading Squads will be open from April 1<sup>st</sup> to May 10<sup>th</sup>. All required forms can be found in the Athletics section of the SMS website.



**JV Competition Squad (3<sup>rd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> Graders)**

**Varsity Competition Squad (5<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Graders)**



For questions or more information, please contact: Nicole Lenhardt, SMS Cheerleading Coordinator

609.204.0782 / [Nicole092405@aol.com](mailto:Nicole092405@aol.com)

# May Crowning/Living Rosary

On Tuesday, May 14th, St. Mary School will honor the Blessed Mother with a May Crowning and Living Rosary. The prayer service will be held in church at 9:15 am.





## **Saint Mary School Clothing Drive Fundraiser**

Saint Mary School will be collecting the following items:

- CLOTHING AND SHOES (all sizes and all seasons - must be wearable!)
- ACCESSORIES (such as purses, belts, backpacks, hats, scarves, gloves, ties, and briefcases)
- HOUSEHOLD ITEMS (such as blankets and quilts, comforters, sheets, pillows, tablecloths, drapes/curtains, and towels),
- HARD TOYS (must be less than 2 feet x 2 feet in size), STUFFED ANIMALS, BIKES, and SCOOTERS
- CAR SEATS (together with the base) and STROLLERS

Items should be collected in large plastic bags (which must be tied) and hard toys must fit in a 2ft x 2ft box.

***Please pack shoes in separate bags (not mixed with other items) and we will be paid an additional amount for shoes donated this way.***

The following items will **NOT** be collected: large hard toys, outdoor play sets, board games, puzzles, books, high chairs, cribs, pots and pans, VCR tapes, CDs, TVs, monitors, sports/exercise equipment, appliances, furniture, lamps, home décor, electronics, glass, and rugs.

**Pick-up is Saturday, May 18 from 8:45-9:30am in the BACK parking lot at Saint Mary School.\***

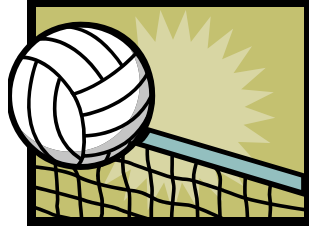
\*If you are unavailable on May 18, you may make arrangements to drop off your donation at the main office on Friday, May 17 between 2pm and 2:45pm.

**SMS will be paid per pound for the items we donate.** Please ask friends and family members to donate their unwanted items to increase our fundraising profit!

Please contact Jen Plunkett at [ClothingDriveSMS@outlook.com](mailto:ClothingDriveSMS@outlook.com) by May 10 to provide an estimate of the number of bags you will donate, to arrange Friday drop-off, or to ask any questions related to the fundraiser.

In addition to helping SMS reach our fundraising goals, your donations will help people worldwide! The donations will be shipped to other areas of the US and to different parts of the world to those in need.

# **SPORTS NEWS**



**Girls Fall Volleyball....**

**Mandatory Parent/Guardian Meeting for 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade only on Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 pm in Science Lab.**

**Girls Volleyball Try Outs will be held on Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>: JV (5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grades) 6:00 pm – 7:15 pm  
Varsity (7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grades) 7:15 pm – 8:45 pm**

# Attention: Parents/Guardians

If you are planning on volunteering **next school year** for Lunch Parent, Coach/Assistant Coach, Library Help or Room Parent and you have not yet been fingerprinted, please email Mrs. Morales at [mainoffice2@smarys.org](mailto:mainoffice2@smarys.org) and she will send home fingerprint paperwork for you.

Thank you!



## **BLUE PRAYER SERVICE (Non-Denominational)**

In Honor and Appreciation for  
Fire, Medical, Police and State Trooper  
Departments; Our Lady of Peace Parish  
is sponsoring this  
ritual at

**Our Lady of Peace /St. Mary's Church  
32 Carroll Ave.—Williamstown at 7:00pm  
on Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2019.**

It will be followed by a reception and snacks  
downstairs in **Marian Hall**  
(basement of the Church).

Everyone is invited to come and pray in  
thanksgiving for, as well as, the continual  
safety of these daily heroic individuals in our  
neighborhoods.

**For additional information, please contact  
the Our Lady of Peace Parish Center  
856-629-6142**



## **DESIGNER BAG BINGO**

Friday, May 17th 7-10pm

(Doors open at 5:30pm)

Ladies!!! Come join us for a night of Bingo for Coach Bags and 50/50. Get all your girlfriends together for a FUN GIRLS NIGHT OUT!! Bring your favorite drinks & appetizers for you and your friends to share, and come to the Assumption Hall at St. Mary's School Gym of Our Lady of Peace Parish for a fabulous evening of Coach Bag FUN! We will be playing 10 games of Bingo plus Specials—winner of each game will receive a Beautiful Coach, Michael Kors or Kate Spade. Also try your luck at our 50/50.

Tickets are \$25 per person which includes 10 games of bingo plus 1 special. Additional games can be purchased along with dabbers. Make your check payable to: Our Lady of Peace Parish (OLOPP). Tables are forming fast! Tickets will be sold until it sells out!! Stop by the Parish Center to get tickets or send your money into St. Mary's School with COACH BAG BINGO tickets on envelope.

Any questions, please contact Loren Laughlin at the Parish Center 856-629-6142. Looking forward to seeing you there!!

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ # of tickets: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name/Grade that tickets are to be sent home with:

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\*(If sitting with someone – please put their name so we can put you at same table)

**Our Lady of Peace Parish/St. Mary Church**  
**32 Carroll Avenue**  
**Williamstown, NJ 08094**

March 2019

Dear Friends:

One of the most exciting weeks of the summer happens right here at St. Mary's/Our Lady of Peace Annual Carnival. We have set aside the dates of **Monday, June 24 through Saturday, June 29, 2019** for this year's great week of excitement, rides, games, food and fun. As successful as last year's Carnival was, our committees are already hard at work in an effort to make 2019 our best year ever.

As you know, our Annual Carnival draws thousands of people each night. This year again we will be advertising our generous supporters through **T-SHIRTS** worn by our Carnival workers. You can have **YOUR BUSINESS/COMPANY NAME** seen hundreds of times during the week by being a supporter of our Carnival. The front of the T-shirts will have a St. Mary's Carnival/ Our Lady of Peace logo and your message on the back (limit three lines).

If you would like to help support St. Mary's Church/Our Lady of Peace Parish as we continue our ongoing tradition, please fill out the enclosed application and return with your check made payable to Our Lady of Peace Parish. We will also have printed placards throughout the carnival grounds to advertise your business and to show our appreciation.

The cost for the printed shirts is \$140.00. This includes 10 shirts, printing, and the support for the parish. Please review the application for details. **The deadline for advertising is June 3rd.** Please note that well over one hundred people will be working at the carnival each night.

Thank you again for your continued support of St. Mary's/Our Lady of Peace Parish.

Sincerely,

Rev. Cadmus D. Mazarella, Pastor &  
Our Lady of Peace Carnival Committee

**St. Mary's Church/Our Lady of Peace Parish Carnival – June 24th thru June 29th, 2019  
Williamstown, NJ 08094**

I would like to offer my support by advertising at St. Mary's Church/Our Lady of Peace Parish  
45<sup>th</sup> Annual Carnival.

Name and Address of Advertiser:

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

City, State & Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

(If you prefer, please enclose your business card)

**T-SHIRTS** – St. Mary's/Our Lady of Peace Carnival Logo on front. Your message with your  
name on **back, 3 line limit. (\$140.00)**

A check made payable to Our Lady of Peace Parish in the amount of \$140.00 is enclosed.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

# Your Family is Invited to a Weekend Away on a Family Retreat

at St. Mary's of Providence Retreat House in Elverson, PA.

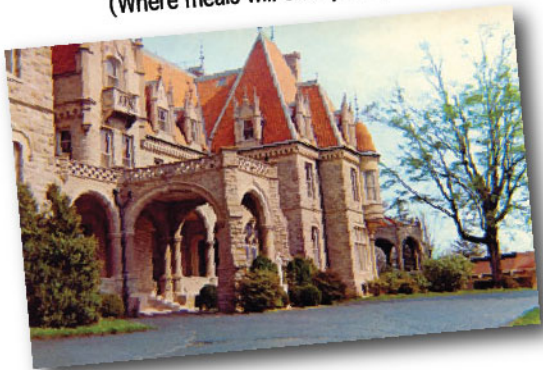
**Friday, June 21st - Sunday, June 23rd**

**Open to Families of ALL Ages! Spend a weekend together  
growing in faith and love of one another.**

## Some details of the retreat weekend:

- There will be talks, reflection time, Adoration, Mass, faith sharing and fun!
  - Fr. Quan will be saying Mass and hearing Confessions.
  - We will meet directly at the retreat house at 6pm on Friday, June 21st:  
227 Isabella Road Elverson, PA and we will leave Sunday, June 23rd at 11:30am (no lunch)  
(Please go to the back right side of the Mansion building. There you will find the 1 story building,  
the Dalton House, which where we stay. The parking lot is on the back left side of that building.)
  - Each room has its own air conditioning unit, 2 twin beds & private bath.
  - There is room for sleeping bags, air mattresses or pack & plays on the floor.  
(Plan for as many rooms as your family may need.)
- Price includes 3 meals on Saturday and breakfast on Sunday as well as accommodations.

St. Mary's of Providence Retreat House  
(Where meals will take place)



### **2019 RETREAT PRICING**

**\$100 for adults (18 years and old)**  
**FREE for children ages newborn-17years old**

**Space is limited.**

**To reserve space for your family  
please send in the below form and  
\$25 non-refundable deposit per person 18 years or older**

**Please send into the OLOP Parish Office  
attention: "Elaina Judge-Family Retreat"**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ phone # \_\_\_\_\_

# adults attending \_\_\_\_\_ # children attending (ages 3-10 years old) \_\_\_\_\_

Total rooms Requested \_\_\_\_\_ Total enclosed (deposit is \$25 per adult 18 yrs & older. More can be given) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

The balance will be due by the retreat on Friday night, June 21st

\*Please make checks payable to "Our Lady of Peace". Questions email: elainajudge@gmail.com



**SUMMER WILL BE HERE SOON!**  
**Register NOW for Vacation Bible School**



**JOIN US FOR A FUN FILLED WEEK OF VBS**  
**A HEART FOR JESUS-LIVING THE BEATITUDES!**

Our Lady of Peace Parish is proud to announce that we will be holding our

**Sixteenth Annual Vacation Bible School**

**July 8<sup>th</sup> - July 12<sup>th</sup>**

VBS will be held from 9 am to Noon each day (Friday from 9am to 1pm)  
and is intended for children ages 4-10 (age as of **October 1, 2019**).

Registration is \$45 per child.

Please note that we are accepting *only* **100 children** so that we can  
provide the highest quality of education, attention and fun!

*For information or to obtain a registration form,*

Visit [www.OLOPP-VBS.org](http://www.OLOPP-VBS.org)

Or contact **Karen Grant** at [OLOPP.VBS@gmail.com](mailto:OLOPP.VBS@gmail.com) or **856-262-3002**.

Registration forms can also be found on the racks in the entryway of the  
church.



# OLOPP --- VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Our Lady of Peace Parish is excited to announce, our fifteenth annual Vacation Bible School -- **JULY 8<sup>TH</sup> - JULY 12<sup>TH</sup>**. VBS will be held from 9AM-12PM each day (Friday 9AM-1PM), and is intended for children 4-10 (age as of October 1, 2019). Please note that we are accepting **only 100 children** so that we can provide the highest quality of education, attention and fun!

The registration deadline is **June 10th**. Please note that registration forms received after the deadline will not be accepted. As we anticipate a huge response, **we are**

**basing acceptance to the program upon the receipt date of the registration and tuition**, which is \$45 per child\*. Checks are to be made payable to **Our Lady of Peace Parish** and sent to or dropped off with the completed registration to:

**Karen Grant**

740 Tutor Lane Williamstown, NJ 08094

Attn: VBS

[OLOPP.VBS@gmail.com](mailto:OLOPP.VBS@gmail.com)

**\*Please note: Registration fees are non-refundable**

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## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - STUDENT REGISTRATION

(Please fill form out in entirety before submitting. Please print.)

### **Family information:**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parents'/Guardians' First Names: \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home: \_\_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Children information:**

#1) Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade entering in September: \_\_\_\_\_

**Food Allergies:** (check ) Yes\_\_ No\_\_

**Special Needs:** (check ) Yes\_\_ No\_\_

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

#2) Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade entering in September: \_\_\_\_\_

**Food Allergies:** (check ) Yes\_\_ No\_\_

**Special Needs:** (check ) Yes\_\_ No\_\_

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

#3) Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade entering in September: \_\_\_\_\_

**Food Allergies:** (check ) Yes\_\_ No\_\_

**Special Needs:** (check ) Yes\_\_ No\_\_

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

#4) Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade entering in September: \_\_\_\_\_

**Food Allergies:** (check ) Yes\_\_ No\_\_

**Special Needs:** (check ) Yes\_\_ No\_\_

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Amount Enclosed:** \_\_\_\_\_

# ROBLOX

A QUICK-GUIDE FOR PARENTS & TEENS

Connect**Safely**

## ➔ What is Roblox?



Roblox is an online entertainment platform for play that allows people to create games for the public using Roblox's digital tool known as Roblox Studio. There are literally millions of games on Roblox. Though parents can turn off its social features, Roblox may be your child's first experience with digital socializing, which gives you a hands-on opportunity to help your child develop good digital habits that will last a lifetime.

## How can I help my child stay safe on Roblox? ⬅

The "rules" for using any game or service are pretty similar. Everyone should be respectful of themselves and others, be mindful of what they post, and understand how to use any privacy settings, security tools or blocking and reporting mechanisms. Roblox also provides parents with tools to restrict certain activities, like chat, within the platform.



## ➔ Should my child play Roblox with people he or she doesn't know?



There isn't a single answer for every child or family. Roblox does give you a lot of control over who can interact with your child and how. You can choose who can message them, who can chat with them in the app, who can chat with them in the game and so on. Click on **Privacy** under **Settings** to adjust these controls.

## How much screen time is best for my child? ⬅

This is a harder question to answer than it may seem. The American Academy of Pediatrics has recently revised its screen time recommendations and, instead of arbitrary limits, now suggests, "For children ages 6 and older, place consistent limits on the time spent using media, and the types of media, and make sure media does not take the place of adequate sleep, physical activity and other behaviors essential to health." In other words, use of Roblox or any other service should be balanced with the child's other activities and never interfere with school, family time or other forms of play, especially physical activities.



## Stay nearby.

Whether your child plays Roblox on a computer, smartphone, tablet or gaming console, we recommend kids (especially younger ones) play with you or another trusted adult nearby when they're first starting out. You'll want to see what kind of games they're playing, how they're playing (sportsmanship matters online, too) and with whom they're interacting. Even once your child becomes accustomed to Roblox, it's still a good idea to check in once in awhile to make sure they're using it appropriately.

## Play Roblox with your child.

See their favorite games and how they interact. Make an account for yourself and add your child as a friend so you can play games together. This will give you a better sense of what types of experiences your child will encounter on the platform and also how they interact with other friends and players inside specific games. And, besides, it might be fun for you, too.

## Read and discuss Roblox's Community Rules.

Review Roblox's Community Rules with your child, especially their "guiding principles" which are written to be easy to understand. Also consider drawing up a family agreement that outlines your expectations for their online behavior. Make it a discussion (never a lecture) and remember to explain to your child that along with rights and privileges come responsibilities. Be clear about consequences for any violation of the agreement.

## Parental controls.

All accounts have the option to enable an "Account PIN," which, when active, requires a 4-digit code to make changes to an account. These settings can be adjusted from within the Security tab of the Account Settings page, accessed by clicking on the gear icon in the upper-right corner of the site. Parents can use this feature for very young or new players, but, for most families, the goal should be to help your child make responsible decisions without relying on the extensive use of parental controls.

## Passwords and other personal information.

Starting at an early age, talk with your kids about the importance of keeping passwords and other personal information private. Friends can become ex-friends, and use your child's account in mean or inappropriate ways. Scammers can also lure kids into giving private information in exchange for "free" Robux (the online currency that players can use to buy digital items on the Roblox platform). Help your child get into the habit of updating passwords regularly.

## Blocking and reporting.

Roblox's human and digital moderators can't police every player and game, so it also relies on reports from its users when people break the rules. Players can use the Report Abuse links located throughout the app and in the Report tab of every game menu. Talk to your child about what to report (including bullying, inappropriate behavior, scams and other violations) and how to make a report. Or, ask your child to come to you if they experience a problem so you can help make that report.

### For More Information & Help

ConnectSafely has an  
in-depth parent's guide  
to Roblox at  
[ConnectSafely.org/Roblox](https://ConnectSafely.org/Roblox).

# ASTRO CAMP

*Presented by the Rowan University Department of Physics and Astronomy*

**Rowan University**

**July 15-19**

**9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. daily**

Open to students entering 6-8<sup>th</sup> grades, the Rowan University ASTRO Camp is a five-day, non-residential summer program that introduces students to astronomy and the excitement of scientific discovery.

Students will enjoy hands-on STEM activities in astronomy and related physics and learn about starry skies and constellations in the Edelman Planetarium!

Held at the Glassboro, New Jersey campus.

\$330/student, includes lunch at the Rowan dining hall and camp T-shirt

**Travel the Universe this summer with the magic of the Edelman Planetarium!**

**LEARN HOW TO IDENTIFY CONSTELLATIONS, STARS, PLANETS, ASTEROIDS, AND GALAXIES**

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**INTRODUCTORY TRAINER DRONE FLIGHTS**

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**USE TELESCOPES AND CELL PHONES TO VIEW AND PHOTOGRAPH THE SUN**

**Register Here**

**Learn about more great summer programs  
at [go.rowan.edu/summerSTEM](https://go.rowan.edu/summerSTEM)  
or contact Brigid Milone at [milone@rowan.edu](mailto:milone@rowan.edu)**