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# Press Release

## Internet Safety & Preventing Cyber Bullying

### Parent Seminar at John XXIII

Middletown, Ohio, May 13, 2010: John XXIII Catholic Elementary School is pleased to announce a parent seminar on Internet Safety & Preventing Cyber Bullying as part of their Olweus Bullying Prevention Program (OBPP) to be held at the school on Thursday, May 13 at 7:00 p.m.. The OBPP is a research based program to reduce bullying in schools. It also helps to make school a safer, more positive place where students can learn. All students will follow these four anti-bullying rules:

1. We will not bully others.
2. We will try to help students who are bullied.
3. We will try to include students who are left out.
4. If we know that somebody is being bullied, we will tell an adult at school and an adult at home.

The internet safety and cyber bullying prevention program will be taught by Mike Dermody. Mr. Dermody is a parishioner at St. Michael's in Sharonville and the father of two children at St. Michael's School. He has a background and expertise in both education and technology and does this completely on a volunteer basis. During the day on May 13<sup>th</sup>, Mr. Dermody will present a student session for 7-10 year olds and another session for 11-14 year olds. The evening will be the parent session. Parents are invited to join us for this informative and important seminar on keeping our children safe on the internet. Call the school at 513-424-1196 for more information or logon to [www.john23middletown.org](http://www.john23middletown.org).

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Discover a school that cares as much as you. At John XXIII, our primary goal is the total [Spiritual](#), [Intellectual](#), [Social](#), and [Physical](#) growth of your child in an atmosphere and spirit of Christian Community. John XXIII will challenge your child to do their best in their studies and in their walk with the Lord. We are eager to educate your child, K-8. John XXIII Catholic School is regionally located with a long standing history of educating children from Middletown and the surrounding communities of Franklin, Springboro, Trenton, Monroe, Liberty Township and Lebanon. For more information logon to [www.john23middletown.org](http://www.john23middletown.org) or call 513-424-1196. **You can also find us on facebook, twitter and Linked In.**