



## Happy Holidays from the *San Pasqual Times!*

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Now that we're in the second trimester, Thanksgiving and Christmas are right around the corner! The San Pasqual Times staff is super excited about the holidays and the school vacations, so this issue is full of information about this great time of year. Read on

for suggestions for what to do during Thanksgiving break, students' thoughts about the meaning of Thanksgiving, and a big "Happy Birthday" to all the SPU Saints born in November!

### What does Thanksgiving mean to you?

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*by Audri Wolfe*

This month brings Thanksgiving! We interviewed a few people to see what Thanksgiving means to them. Here is what they said:

*Gianna Bournazos* says:

"Thanksgiving means giving thanks to God about everything you have in life." She also adds, "It has great food"

*Emma Roberts* says: "Thanksgiving is food, and thanks."

*Taylor Banister* says: "At Thanksgiving, I am happy to spend time with my family and my pig."

*Rachel King* says: "Thanksgiving is a time to spend with family, and give thanks."

*Madison Stiles* says: "Thanksgiving means a lot to me. It means that family will be with you to have a wonderful feast and enjoy when Indians and Pilgrims became acquaintances."

*Anthony Orozco* says: "Thanksgiving is sitting down with family and saying prayers."

Would you like to share your thoughts on Thanksgiving? Head over to [sputimes.weebly.com](http://sputimes.weebly.com) to add your comments to our Thanksgiving blog!

Thank you for all of your wonderful thoughts on this special holiday!

Love,  
The Newspaper team



# Happy Birthday! *by Hudson Goe*

Join the newspaper team in wishing all of these Saints a happy November birthday!



Presley Rury  
Mikayla Hurtado  
Isabel Rangel  
Elena Alanis  
Blake Olsen-Cyr  
Anna Higgins  
Breanne Yandell  
Karen Sanchez

Arianna Dobeck  
Emily Chester  
Nicole Bill  
Ari Neptune-Walton  
Ali Badrani  
Diego Morris  
Ashley Quintero  
Raniah Ahmed  
Titus Lorenzen  
Jimmy Manley IV  
Natalia Ledesma  
Hudson Goe  
Kate Hawkins

Itzel Arroyo  
Christian Savino  
Betsy Ramirez  
Micah Sharp  
Hayley Parker  
Jet Crews  
Devon Kratzer  
Darin Romero  
Maja Kresovich  
Ethan Granger  
McCovey Staples  
Sydney Steadman



# Sudoku Challenge

If you've never tried Sudoku, Thanksgiving break is a great time to try one out. The rules for Sudoku are simple, but completing a puzzle is a challenge. Enter the numbers 1 through 9 into the grid so that every row, column, and 3x3 square contains one, and only one, of each number. Here's an easy puzzle, courtesy of Websudoku.com to get you started. The solution will be posted at sputimes.weebly.com. Good luck!

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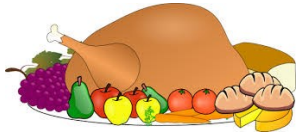
# Top Ten Things to Do over Thanksgiving Break *by Rachel King*



1. Relax

2. Watch the Thanksgiving Parade

3. Help cook



4. Take pets for a walk

5. Read

6. Play outside



7. Ride bikes

8. Watch a movie

9. Play a board game



10. Have fun!



## November Poetry *by Gianna Bournazos*

### Sight

Look outside, what do you see?  
Maybe a lot of colors on a tree  
Red, orange, yellow, and brown colored leaves  
When you go home look outside at your house  
Maybe there's an orange pumpkin waiting to be carved

### Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving is around the corner,  
what are you thankful for?  
Your family?  
Your house?  
Your pets?  
Or maybe food on the table?  
Whatever it is don't forget to be thankful

### Wonderful Wind

November brings wind  
Wild, Wise, Wonderful wind  
Wind that makes your hair blow to your face  
Wind that makes you smile  
Yes, November brings the best wind

## Book Review

*by Julia Sarnoff Espinosa*

This month's book is *In A Heartbeat* by Loretta Ellsworth. This is a sad novel about two girls, one with a heart issue and one a figure skater. Early on in the book the figure skater dies in a car accident and since she was an organ donor the girl with heart issues gets her heart. As the figure skater comes to terms with being dead, the figure skater has flashbacks of her life. And as the girl with heart issues gets used to her new heart, she tries to bring the figure skater peace. I loved this book because it brings a reality to life.

## Jokes Corner

*by Audri Wolfe*

Q: What happened when the man walked into a bar?

A: He got a bruise

Q: What do you get when you cross a mouse and a squid?

A: An eektopus

**Knock knock.** Who's there? A herd. A herd who? A herd you were home, so I came over



# WORD SEARCH FUN !!

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*by Gianna Bournazos*

## KEY:

Saints      Back To      Pumpkin      Color  
Art      Math      ELA      Writing  
Fall      Orange      Red

