



St. John Catholic School

Educational Ministry of St. John The Baptist Parish

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From the Principal's Desk

Hello Shamrock Family,

Welcome to a new school year! It has been such a joy to welcome our students and school family back again. Thank you to the many families who joined us in gathering for our first morning assembly and parent social on Monday. We offer much gratitude to our Parent/Teacher Group (PTG) for their hospitality in providing breakfast treats at our parent social and to our PTG for also providing the vision for and artistry behind the brand new murals in the outside student bathrooms. These student bathrooms are now beautifully painted with inspirational messages and pictures that are sure to remind our students to remain positive and rooted in faith throughout the school year.

Parents, as we get settled into our first week of the new school year, we ask that you keep a special eye out for a *Welcome Back Packet* that will be sent home this Friday. In this packet you will find various forms that need to be completed and returned to school by the following week. In this packet you will also receive information about individual student emergency packs that need to be assembled and sent to school. We thank you for your prompt attention to these matters.

Blessings,
Ms. Child

Dismissal Reminder:

School dismisses
at **2:50pm**
everyday unless it
is a half day

*Please see the calendar on the website
for upcoming half days*



Bell Schedule

In order to increase supervision and ensure optimal student safety, here is this year's recess & lunch

10:00–10:20 K-2 Recess
10:35-10:50 3-8 Recess

11:55-12:15 K-2 Lunch Recess
12:15-12:35 K-2 Eat
12:30-12:50 3-8 Eat
12:50-1:10 3-8 Lunch Recess



Protocol for entering school:

ALL parents/visitors entering school must be fingerprinted and take the safe environment training. You must sign in with the front office before entering classrooms.



SJCS School Calendar

The calendar for this year will be available on our school website, www.stjohncatholicsschool.org. Please check it out to stay up-to-date.



Interested in joining choir?

The St. John Choir will be held on Monday from 3:15 pm – 4:30 pm.

Please sign up at the end of this newsletter and bringing the signed permission slips to your homeroom teacher. All students 2nd through 8th grade are welcome to join!



DEAR PARENT/GUARDIAN,

Help me earn more Box Tops for our school!

Thanks to General Mills and Walmart, when you buy five Box Tops for Education products between 7/10/18 and 9/10/18 and scan your receipt with the Box Tops Bonus App, you automatically earn 50 Box Tops—that's \$5 for our school!

With your help, we can make a difference for our school.

Thanks for all your hard work and support!

Learn more at BoxTopsWM.com/Coordinators

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SCRIP Fundraising Orders

Have you ever wondered what SCRIP is and how it benefits St. John Catholic School?

What? Scrip is Fundraising While You Shop®, it turns everyday shopping into cash for your organization when families use retail gift cards to pay for everyday purchases (like gas and groceries) instead of the usual credit/debit card or other money.

How? Profits from your purchases count toward your family's annual \$300 fundraising obligation.

Be sure to pay attention to the percentage that each card earns to accurately calculate your contributions.

"We need to see each child as a gift to be welcomed, cherished and protected..." -Pope Francis

Our School Mantra

We live our faith.

We serve others.

We are life-long learners.

We are people of integrity. We are Shamrocks!

Calendar updates:

August 23rd Finger Printing @ 5:30pm

August 23rd Cyber Night @ 7:30pm



St. John Festival 2018

T-SHIRT DESIGN *contest*

PTG needs YOUR help to design
our 2018 Festival T-Shirt!
Show your Shamrock pride with
your original design.



WORLD'S FAIR



SEPTEMBER 28TH - 30TH

Contest Rules;
Deadline for
submission is 8/29
Designs must be
in one color

★ PTC PRESENTS ★

Movie NIGHT

MOVIE TBD

Friday, September 7th @ 6:30 PM

\$2 Hot Dogs \$2 Nachos \$1 Candy

\$1 Water \$1 Hot Chocolate

Proceeds go to
6th grade class

★ ★
ALL AGES WELCOME



Casino Night



Pre-Sale Tickets

\$30 includes entry to the event and \$100 in chips

\$80 includes entry to the event, \$100 in chips AND a spot in the Texas hold 'em Tournament (space is limited)

Day of Event Tickets

\$40 includes entry to the event and \$100 in chips

\$90 includes entry to the event, \$100 in chips AND a spot in the Texas hold 'em Tournament (space is limited)

To Order Tickets

email
kelliott@cndo.org

or stop by the school office
between 8:30am and
2:30pm
270 E Lewelling Blvd

Friday, October 19, 2018

Great fun for guests over 21!

Doors open at 5:30pm ~ Casino Hours 6pm-10pm
No host bar and appetizers provided.

St. John Gym

264 E Lewelling Blvd, San Lorenzo, CA 94580

Join the St. John Choir



**New Rehearsal Time:
Monday 3:15 - 4:30 pm.
2nd - 8th Grade**

I give permission for my child

to participate in choir for the rest of the 2018 -
2019 school year.

Parent Signature: _____

SCRIP ORDER 2018 - 2019

Family Name _____
 Name & Grade of oldest child _____

******Orders Due by August 30, 2018.**

Entertainment	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Century Theaters	4%	\$25		
Century Theaters Single Admit	10%	\$9.50		
Gas	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Arco	1.5%	\$50		
	2.5%	\$250		
76	1.5%	\$25		
		\$100		
Shell	2%	\$50		
		\$100		
Grocery	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Lucky/Savemart	2%	\$25		
		\$100		
Safeway	4%	\$25		
		\$100		
Smart & Final	3%	\$25		
		\$100		
Target	2.5%	\$25		
		\$100		
Whole Foods	3%	\$25		
		\$100		

Fast Food/Restaurant	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Applebee's	8%	\$25		
Chipotle	10%	\$10		
IHOP	8%	\$25		
Olive Garden	8%	\$25		
Starbucks Coffee	7%	\$10		
		\$25		
Retail	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Amazon.com	2.5%	\$25		
		\$100		
Old Navy	14%	\$25		
		\$100		
Macy's	10%	\$25		
		\$100		
Marshall's/TJ Maxx	7%	\$25		
Ross	8%	\$25		
Dick's Sporting Goods	8%	\$25		
		\$100		
Walgreens	6%	\$25		
		\$100		

Please refer to www.shopwithscrip.com for a complete list of participating vendors.

Write In Orders** (use back side of form if needed)	%	\$	QTY	Net \$

*Payment must be included with this form. Make checks payable to St. John Catholic School
 Turn completed forms to School Office or send back in Wednesday envelope.
 Orders will be ready in about 1 week.*

Cash Check # _____

**Orders Due by THURSDAY, August 30, 2018 10:00 AM.
 GET A HEAD START ON 2018-2019 FUNDRAISING!**

TOTAL \$

- I will pick up my Scrip Order at the school office I will pick up my Scrip Order at SEP
 Please send home Scrip Order with eldest child

Purchased By (please print) _____ Phone # _____

I understand that Scrip is like cash and St. John Catholic School is not responsible if your Scrip order is lost or stolen.

Signature _____ Date _____