



St. John Catholic School

Educational Ministry of St. John The Baptist Parish

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From the Principal's Desk



Dear SJCS Families,

The festival is here! Our St. John School and Parish will host this year's fall festival beginning this Friday through Saturday. The fall festival is the biggest community event of the year and is always sure to provide a very special time for our shamrock family to enjoy family, friends, food, and fun! Please see clarifications regarding fall festival information below.

Festival News:

1. Friday: On Friday, September 30th, students will be dismissed from school as usual at 2:50pm. From 3:00-5:00pm the festival will be opened to students and school families only. An adult must accompany all SJCS students who come to the festival during these hours, as SJCS staff will not be responsible for supervising students at the festival. SEP students will not be allowed to attend the festival until they are signed out. Students must be picked up and taken by a parent/family member.
2. Dollar Snack Bar: Snacks will be sold for \$1.00 from 3:00-5:00pm on Friday
3. Talent Show: Our school Talent Show will be held on Friday at 6:00pm

1. **Friendly Reminder:** All families are **required** to work **2 hours** at/for the festival. These hours may be completed by SJCS school parents or by family members or friends that act as a representative for the SJCS family earning the 2 hours of required fall festival service.
 - a. Please note that **any donations** contributed to the fall festival are **in addition** to the 2 hours of required service, **not in place of** the required service commitment.
 - b. Please use the fall festival **signup genius** to sign up for volunteer hours.
<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f094fa5ab2fa0f49-sjcs1>
 - c. Please also note that if the 2 hours of service are not completed at the fall festival, then the school will charge noncompliant families with a **\$25 service fee** per hour of service not dedicated at the fall festival
 - i. Again, if parents are unable to volunteer 2 hours, then a representative may do so on their behalf
- * The fall festival is an event that is the joint responsibility of the St. John parish and school. Parents, please recognize that your involvement is imperative in making this event a success! Our school receives 50% of the profit from the earnings of the fall festival, so your

volunteerism directly affects the students. Please show your support of our school and parish community! I am looking very forward to seeing you all this weekend. ☺

Blessings,
Ms. Paige Child
Principal
pchild@csdo.org

Many hands make light work.
- John Heywood

Calendar Reminders

CANCELED:
Cyber Safety Presentation
Thursday, September 29th

CANCELED:
Coffee Chat
Friday, September 30th

Student of the Month Assembly
Tuesday, October 4th

Blessing of the Animals
Tuesday, October 4th

Parent Teacher Conferences

Noon Dismissal
Wednesday, October 5th –
Friday, October 7th

Columbus Day No School
Monday, October 10th



ST JOHN HARVEST FALL FESTIVAL

Schedule of Events

Friday, September 30th

2:50-3PM Dismissal

3PM - 5PM Festival open to SJCS Families only

Teachers run booths

Parents with their children

5PM - 10PM Festival is open to the public

Entertainment

6PM SJCS Student Talent Show

7PM **BayFire**

9PM DJ

7PM - 9PM Family Bingo (Gym) \$5.00

Saturday, October 1st

10AM - 10PM Festival open to the public

11AM - 1PM SPCA Class on pet care

10AM - 4PM Hayward Animal Shelter pet adoption

Entertainment

10AM Father Sergio Blesses the Festival & workers

10:15AM St. John's Cheerleaders

12PM SIFU David Espinoza

1PM Dan Dan Studio

2PM Ballet Folklorico Mexico Danza

3:00PM DC DANCE

3:30PM **Julio Bravo y Su Orquesta**

5:30PM Castro Valley Performing Arts

7:00-8PM Karaoke

8-10PM DJ

7PM - 9:30PM Jungle Book \$3 (7th Grade Fundraiser in the Gym)

Sunday, October 2nd

Breakfast:

Before and after 9:30 Mass

Raffle winners are announced

St John's Harvest Fall Festival

Friday, September 30th 5p.m-10p.m.

Saturday, October 1st 10a.m.- 10p.m.



*Free Entertainment

*Live Music!!

*Raffle

*Great Food

Come play and have fun!!



5K Grand Prize winner announced at breakfast on Sunday!!

For information regarding sponsorship or volunteering please call (510) 688-0669
or sjcsfallfestival@gmail.com

URGENT! Student Pick Up on September 30th

Parents are reminded that our parish and school Fall Festival begins on Friday, September 30th. The lot between the church and the rectory (Area 2) will **not** be accessible that day. Those who pick up students at the end of the day must use the entrance and exits on the west side of the church near the Maryknoll offices (former convent).

Festival Raffle Tickets

Families are encouraged to buy or sell their tickets. If you have already received a book in the mail and do not wish to buy/sell more, please return the unwanted tickets to the school office in the envelope they were sent home in.

Please note: the sales of the tickets do not go to each families fundraising total of \$300. If you have any questions please contact Juanita Velasquez, Irene Fuller, or Melody Round.

Wrist Band

Presale

Reminder:

Please submit all Wrist Band presale forms by the morning of Thursday, September 29th

SJCS School Calendar

The calendar for this year will be available on our school website

www.stjohncatholicschool.org

Please check it out to stay up-to-date.

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

Attention Volunteers:

Adults who volunteer at our school, including as chaperones or drivers on field trips, must be fingerprinted an complete Safe Environment Training. *This is a diocesan mandate.*

Finger Printing- Fingerprinting Services of America, 225 W. Winton Avenue, Suite 120, Hayward, CA. 1-800-513-2000. You must pick up a form from the school office and pay the \$34 fee to SJCS.

Safe Environment Training- www.virtusonline.org, Must be completed PRIOR to beginning service, Must be completed every three years, There is a \$5 fee payable to SJCS- Please turn in with your certificate



ST JOHN'S HARVEST FALL FESTIVAL

*******Wrist Band Presale*******

For Friday September 30th Only!!

**Special Schedule: Open For SJCS Students & Family
Friday 3PM to 5PM**

Regular Festival Hours Friday 5PM to 10PM

Advance special pricing for SJCS Students for Friday only!!!

Regular price for wristbands is \$20.00 at the festival.
Wristbands are good all day Friday.

**Wristbands are \$15.00 for the first and second wristband.
The third or more wristbands will be \$10.00 per family.**

Order Form Below

Child's Name _____ Grade _____

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Wristband Qty _____ @ \$15.00 = _____

3rd Wristband Qty _____ @ \$10.00 = _____
or more

Check _____ / Cash _____

****Please make checks payable to St. John's School****

7TH GRADE PRESENTS....

\$3 Admission



Snacks & Drinks
available to purchase



Bring your family and friends!

St. John 7th Grade class welcomes you to bring your family or a group of friends and enjoy a Disney classic on the big screen!

Saturday, October 1st at 7pm in the GYM

SCRIP ORDER 2016 - 2017

Family Name _____
 Name & Grade of oldest child _____

****Orders Due by **SEPTEMBER 29, 2016.**

Entertainment	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Century Theaters	4%	\$25		
Century Theaters Single Admit	10%	\$9.50		
Gas	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Arco	1.5%	\$50		
	2.5%	\$250		
Chevron	1%	\$50		
	1%	\$250		
Shell	2.0%	\$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	9%	\$25		
Starbucks Coffee	7%	\$10		
		\$25		
Retail	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Amazon.com	3%	\$25		
		\$100		
Old Navy	14%	\$25		
		\$100		
Macy's	10%	\$25		
		\$100		
Marshall's/TJ Maxx	7%	\$25		
Ross	8%	\$25		
Sports Authority	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, SEPTEMBER 29, 2016 10:00 AM.
 GET A HEAD START ON 2016 – 2017 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 School is not responsible if your Scrip order is lost or stolen.

Signature _____ Date _____