



St. John Catholic School

Educational Ministry of St. John The Baptist Parish



UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday, December 13th
Nacho Sale

Thursday, December 13th
6:00pm
PTG Meeting

December 17th – 19th
Santa Shop

Tuesday, December 18th
Santa Pictures

Wednesday, December 19th
6:30pm
Christmas Program in the church.

December 21st – January 4th
Christmas Break

Monday, January 7th
School resumes

January 7th - January 11th
Books & Bucks Drive

Dear Shamrock Family,

As we continue to embrace the Advent season, I offer to you a prayer. May you know the love God has for you, as represented in the gift of his son Jesus, and the gift of your own children. I pray the joy of this season brings you hope and peace that only God's love can provide.

God, With Us. Come!

O come, Emmanuel. Come into our world and bring Your peace!
Come into our lives and grant us your favor. Come into our homes with
Your love.

Stay with us, Lord Jesus, throughout these days of Advent. Be with us wherever we go, be with us in whatever we do. Prepare us for Your birth. May Your birth enlarge our hearts. May we prepare a place for You there.

Jesus, make room within our hearts for others.

May your birth awaken us to the Good News!

Jesus, make us worthy of You, O Lord, Emmanuel...God with us. Come

Advent Blessings,
Ms. Paige Child

Nacho Sales!

Please remember every Thursday is NACHO SALE DAY. Nachos are \$1 and all profits go to support the 8th grade class. Thank you for your continued support.

Cookie Dough Delivery.

Cookie dough orders should be arriving on 12/18. If you have a large order please arrive between 2:30pm – 2:50pm to pick up your order. Small orders will be sent home with students.

Upcoming school-wide fundraisers.

3/11 – 3/26 St. John Fun Run

April – Easter See's Candy Fundraiser

Active tuition rate reminder.

Just a reminder if you currently receive the "Active tuition rate" we ask that you make a minimum contribution of \$200 to the parish collections or school Annual Fund prior to registration for the next school year in order to qualify for the "Active tuition rate" for the 2019-2020 school year.

SCHOOL SERVICE HOUR NOTICE!!!

Please submit 2018 service hours to the office before 12/14. Statements will be going home before Christmas break.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!!
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Our NEW PLAY STRUCTURE is scheduled to be delivered 12/18 between 11am & 1pm. We need either a pallet jack to offload the items or 4-6 strong people to help unload the delivery truck. If you can be of any help please let us know A.S.A.P. info@sjcsedu.org

Weather permitting, we hope to have the new play structure installed before Catholic School's Week...



Shamrock Shop



Visit our new website:

www.sjcsshamrockshop.weebly.com

You cannot pay for orders on this site or order from this site directly. You will need to fill out the order form by clicking the link on the home page. All payments must be submitted to the school office on or before the order due date each month. Once you complete the order form below, please print your confirmation email and submit it to the office with payment.

Checks made out to SJCS or cash accepted.

Submit orders to the office ATTN: Kristen Elliott
Questions? kelliott@cndo.org

WHAT'S LOST CAN BE FOUND!

Our Lost and Found bin, located just outside the school's science lab, is overflowing with jackets and sweatshirts, lunch pails, notebooks, and more. If you have any items "missing," please check the bin. Parents/students are requested to check the lost and found before December 20th. After the 20th, all remaining clothes will be washed and placed in uniform exchange. Thank you for your cooperation in returning items to the rightful owner.

SERVICE HOUR OPPORTUNITIES...

Our school is always looking for talented people to share their gifts. If you have a special gift, are trained in a specific trade, or know someone who works for a company that would be interested in donating to St. John Catholic School Please let us know.

info@sjcsedu.org

Help us Box Tops for our School!



With your help, we can make a difference for our school!
Thank you for all your hard work and support!

Christmas Concert & Sing Along

Featuring our English and Spanish Choirs, St. John's Catholic School Choir, and Special Guests

December 13, 2018 at 7 PM

Free Admission –
Donations accepted for the benefit of St. John the Baptist Church

St. John the Baptist Church,
264 East Lewelling Blvd.,
San Lorenzo



LAST CALL for 2018 SCRIP Orders!!

Order forms attached to this week's newsletter are due back to the school office on Thursday, December 13th at 10:00am. Order your holiday grocery shopping and Christmas gift cards today! A percentage of your SCRIP amount goes toward your family's \$300 fundraising obligation. Did you know there are over 700 retailers to choose from? Visit www.shopwithscrip.com for a complete list of participating vendors!

Orders should arrive Monday or Tuesday of next week!

Limited time increased profit percentage:

- AMC Theatres 8% now 11%
- Applebee's 8% now 11%
- Baja Fresh 10% now 25%
- Barnes & Noble 8% now 12.75%
- Bass Proshops 8% now 11.75%
- Cold Stone Creamery 11% now 26%
- Domino's 8% now 11%
- Express 10% now 12%
- Landry's Restaurants 9% now 11%
- Lowe's 4% now 6%
- PF Changs 8% now 11%
- Starbucks 7% now 10.75%
- The Home Depot 4% now 7%
- Under Armor 11% now 15.75%

Please Note:

There will only be one SCRIP order placed in December!

Santa Pictures



Tuesday, December 18th
Support our Student Council and
Come dressed in your Holiday attire!

Cost: \$5.00 per 4x6 print (\$1 for each additional print)

Student Name _____ Grade _____

I would like to take my photo with the following students (optional)...

Please only list students from the same class unless it's going to be a family picture

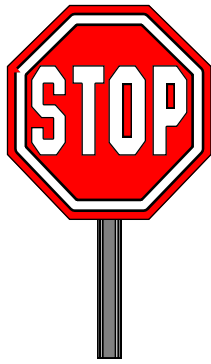
1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

(list any additional students on the back)

Number of prints _____ = Amount of money attached \$ _____

Complete the order form above and return it to your homeroom teacher with payment.
Checks or cash accepted. Please make check payable to SJCS.

Photographer use only : Picture number _____ Number of Prints _____



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800-528-3623

510-638-3302 FAX

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Christmas \$ale

November 26 – December 31, 2018

Avoid the rush – \$hop early

December 22 - Closing at 4:00 PM

December 23 - 24 - 25 - CLOSED

December 31 - Closing at 4:00 PM

January 1 - CLOSED

STORE HOURS: Monday-Saturday 10:00-5:30 - Sunday Closed

*** * ALL orders PAY SHIPPING FEES * ***

SCRIP ORDER 2018 - 2019

Family Name _____
 Name & Grade of oldest child _____

******Orders Due by December 13, 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	1.5%	\$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	2.25%	\$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	5%	\$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.
 Orders will be ready in about 1 week.*

Cash Check # _____

**Orders Due by THURSDAY, December 13, 2018 10:00 AM.
 DO NOT MISS OUT ON THE LAST SCRIP ORDER OF 2018!!**

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 _____



BUNDLE UP WITH BOX TOPS



Thank you for helping! Clipped Box Tops are each worth 10¢ for your child's school.
Bonus certificates should not be attached to this sheet - please submit them separately.
To see more ways to earn cash for your child's school, go to BTFE.com.