



St. John Catholic School

Educational Ministry of St. John The Baptist Parish

May 2, 2018

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From the Principal's Desk

Dear Shamrock Family,

May is the month of the Blessed Virgin Mary, whom we honor for her most flawless and unconditional love for all, especially for that of her son, Jesus. Our students will honor Mary at our May Crowning Mass, next Wednesday, May 9th at 8:30am. All are welcomed to join as our students honor Mary by adorning her with flowers. Students are encouraged to bring flowers to school this day, so to crown and surround Mary in front of the altar.

We honor all mothers this month, as the most selfless expressions of love, service, sacrifice, and patience. This Saturday our students will complete the sacrament of the Eucharist for the very first time and invite our eternal mother Mary's son into their hearts forever. We will begin this special first communion mass at 10:00am and we invite all students who wish to participate in the choir, to join in the choir loft before mass. I welcome your families to be present at mass on Saturday to help support our students on this very important milestone day in their Catholic faith journey.

Blessings,
Ms. Child

Calendar Reminders

Progress Reports Go Home
Thursday, May 3rd

SCRIP Order Due
Thursday, May 3rd

First Holy Communion
Saturday, May 5th

Second Grade Class Mass
Sunday, May 6th

**State of the
School Address**
Monday, May 7th

May Crowning
Wednesday, May 9th

Spring Concert
Wednesday, May 9th

PTG Meeting
Thursday, May 10th

State of the School Address

On May 7th at 6:30pm in the Community Meeting Room, Ms. Child will hold a State of the School Address, providing information regarding the following:

- * Tuition/Enrollment/Budget
- * Fundraising and Service Hours
 - * Academic Trends
 - * School Programs
 - * Strategic Initiatives
- * Overall School Successes
- * Overall School Goals

If you are interested in learning about the current state and projected state of our school, please come for this informative evening geared toward SJCS shareholders.

First Holy Communion

Everyone is invited to come and celebrate First Holy Communion with our 2nd graders receiving the sacrament on **Saturday, May 5th at 10 a.m.** Please keep our 2nd grade students in your prayers as they prepare for this very special sacrament!

MUSE Band Student of the Month

Congratulations to Tahlia Borowsky for your dedication and participation in MUSE band!

Knights of Columbus Announcement

You're invited to a delicious breakfast benefitting our community and Church repairs!

Sunday, May 6th after 7:30 and 9:30 am morning masses

Adults \$8 Students \$5

Help us help St. John Catholic Church

Knights of Columbus

St. Vincent de Paul Society Hospitality Committee

Congratulations to our 2018 Oro Loma Winners!

Andres C. 1st Grade

Leonardo A. 1st Grade

Emiliano O. 1st Grade

Catlea C. 2nd Grade

Andrea A. 2nd Grade

Milo A. 7th Grade

Mechelle G. 7th Grade

Ana P. 7th Grade

Come celebrate our students at the Oro Loma Open House on May 5th, 2018 9:00am-3:00pm. Oro Loma/Castro Valley Water Pollution Control Facility 2600 Grant Ave, San Lorenzo, CA 94580.

SCRIP

Get a head start on your 2018-2019 fundraising obligation through SCRIP! Order forms are attached to this week's newsletter and are due back to the school office by 10:00am on **Thursday, May 3rd**!

Stock up for the summer with over 700 retailers! Visit www.shopwithscrip.com for a complete list of participating vendors!

Summer School

St. John Catholic School will not be able to offer summer school on our campus this year. For those students who are required to attend summer school or for families who wish to enroll their children for enrichment, some of our neighboring Catholic elementary schools, St. Joachim, St. Leander, and St. Clement, and Our Lady of Grace will be offering summer school this year.

Now Accepting Applications for the 2018-2019 School Year!

Please share the good news about St. John Catholic School with your friends and family! We are accepting applications now for grades PreK-7 for the 2018-2019 school year. Applications are available in the school office. New student testing can be scheduled once the application is submitted.

St. Gerard's Women's Club Fashion Show

Delicious Salads! Vintage Fashions!

St. Gerard's Women's Club is sponsoring a fashion show of vintage clothes on **Saturday, June 9th**. Clothes will be modeled by volunteers from Goodwill, "The Goodwill Bags". Lunch will be a wide variety of delicious salads. Please call Eva Lowe 510-586-0376 for more information.

Student of the Month Award

This month we celebrate our Shamrock Award winners for being most improved in their courses!

Pre-Kinder: Anabell R.

Kindergarten: Xavier R.

1st Grade: Isela Camila R.

2nd Grade: Rafael R.

3rd Grade: Leilanie S.

4th Grade: Tahlia B.

5th Grade: Aaron L.

6th Grade: Nia R.

7th Grade: Adeyemisi R.

8th Grade: Miguel D.

MUSE Band played wonderfully at the Student of the Month Assembly on Tuesday, May 1st. Thank you to our band members below:



IMPORTANT: Disaster Drill

Hello Parents,

The diocese mandates that all schools participate in a school-wide evacuation/student pick-up drill every other school year to prepare for a large emergency during which we would have to evacuate the school and wait for student pick up. This very important drill provides staff with the opportunities to review and practice search and rescue and first aid protocols. On May 25th our Disaster Drill will take place, beginning at noon. All students will need to be picked up by either a parent or someone listed on their emergency information. Students will only be released to people who are indicated on their emergency list, and people who pick up students must have identification present and ready to provide staff upon release of students. Lastly, there is no afternoon SEP this day, so ALL students will need to be picked up during the 12 o'clock hour, via our Disaster Drill dismissal system.

To Recap:

Disaster Drill

May 25, 2018

12:00pm

Noon Dismissal of ALL students, NO SEP after school

Students only released to parents/individuals on student emergency list

(parents are encouraged to update if necessary)

Students only released to parent/permitted guardian who comes with an ID for formal identification purposes

St. John Catholic School
2017-2018 **Yearbook**

On Sale NOW!

COST

Orders placed from March 14, 2018- April 30, 2018- **\$30**

Orders placed from May 1, 2018-May 15, 2018- **\$35**

How to place an order:

Go online and make a payment

www.schoolannual.com

1. Click Parents: buy your students yearbook (it is PURPLE)
2. Enter your school name in the search bar and click the Shop The Collection Button
3. Click on the 2018 Yearbook link or photo
4. Select yearbook to make your purchase and check out

Or use the direct link

<http://jostensyearbooks.com/?REF=A00815150>

Or

Send in payment to the office ATTN: Yearbook with the
information below. Please make checks out to

St. John Catholic School

Child's Name _____

Grade _____

Total number of yearbooks _____

Amount due \$_____

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SCRIP ORDER 2017 - 2018

Family Name _____

Name & Grade of oldest child _____

******Orders Due by May 3, 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, May 3, 2018
10:00 AM.**

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 _____

May 2018

ST. JOHN CATHOLIC SCHOOL PRESENTS



DINNER - MUSIC - DANCING - RAFFLES - AUCTION

SATURDAY, MAY 19, 2018

\$25 PER PERSON INCLUDES:

ALL YOU CAN EAT MEXICAN DINNER & RAFFLE TICKET

NO OUTSIDE ALCOHOL - NO ONE UNDER 21 ALLOWED

STUDENT NAME: _____ **GRADE** _____

PARENT NAME: _____

EMAIL: _____ **PHONE NUMBER** _____

NUMBER OF TICKETS: _____ **X \$25 =** _____

CHECKS MADE PAYABLE TO: ST. JOHN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS BEFORE 5/4 AND YOU WILL BE ENTERED TO WIN AN ALL-YOU-CAN-DRINK PASS AT THE BAR!

ST. JOHN CATHOLIC SCHOOL'S ANNUAL AUCTION COMMITTEE

CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO OUR

ANNUAL AUCTION FUNDRAISER

21 AND OVER

TICKETS:

\$25 IN ADVANCE

\$30 AT THE DOOR

**BUY YOUR TICKETS BEFORE 5/4
FOR THE CHANCE TO WIN
AN OPEN BAR TICKET!**



ADMISSION INCLUDES:

-NO HOST BAR-

-ALL YOU CAN EAT

DINNER-

-RAFFLE TICKET-

SATURDAY, MAY 19, 2018

ST. JOHN GYM - 270 E. LEWELLING BLVD - 6:00PM - 11:00PM

DINNER - MUSIC - DANCING - RAFFLES - AUCTION

STUDENT ARTWORK AND ONE-OF-A-KIND EXPERIENCES

WILL BE UP FOR AUCTION

RAFFLE PRIZES INCLUDE: DISNEYLAND TICKETS FOR 4 - SEA WORLD TICKETS FOR 4 - A NIGHT AT THE CLAREMONT - WINE TASTINGS - BREWERY TOURS - THEME-PARK TICKETS - SPORTS MEMORABILIA - GIFT CARDS

THANK YOU TO OUR GENEROUS DONORS & SPONSORS:



CLAREMONT CLUB & SPA
A FAIRMONT HOTEL



Alameda County Fire Department
Dedicated to superior service



**DOOR PRIZES INCLUDE: AMAZON ECHO -
AMAZON FIRE TABLET - AMAZON GIFT CARD**

For more information about how to purchase tickets please call 510-276-6632 or email info@sjcsedu.org

ST. JOHN CATHOLIC SCHOOL PRESENTA

SÁBADO, MAYO 19, 2018



EL GIMNASIO DE SAN JUAN

270 E. LEWELLING BLVD

6:30 - 11:30PM

CENA - MÚSICA - BAILES - RIFAS - SUBASTAS



St. John CYO Cheerleading and Cross Country Sign Ups!

Attention all BOYS and GIRLS entering grades K-8!

It's time to sign up for
CHEERLEADING and CROSS COUNTRY!

When: Wednesday, May 16, 2018

Where: Room 15 (in the school)
270 E Lewelling Blvd
San Lorenzo

Time: 6:30-8:00

Cost: \$75 nonrefundable registration fee must be given at
time of registration along with a \$10 crab feed donation-
total of \$85 One check can be made out to SJAA
Cheer uniform costs will vary.

Uniform Fitting- June 4th 6pm-8pm (cheerleading only)

Late sign ups will be accepted through
May 25, 2018 for an additional \$20.

No sign ups will be accepted after May 25, 2018.
NO EXCEPTIONS

Please contact Kristen Elliott with any questions
510-331-1525 cheer1415@aol.com





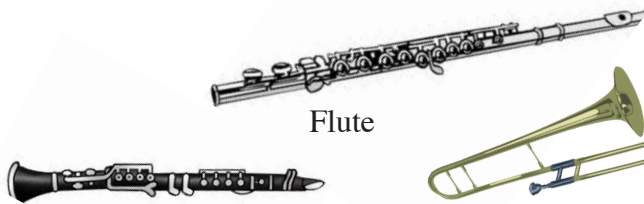
School Band

2018-2019 Registration

Enroll now to reserve a space!



- Group Instruction is held once a week after school
- No experience necessary
- Grades 3-8
- Very affordable (cost of lessons are 50% less than taking private lessons)
- Several payment plans to choose from including monthly auto pay
- Instruments taught: Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone, Trumpet, Trombone, and Percussion (snare drum and tuned bells)
- Lots of fun performances planned
- Meet students from various grades and have fun learning together



Flute

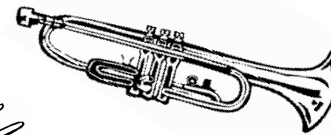
Clarinet



Trombone



Percussion



Trumpet



Saxophone

Register and pay in full by July 15 and receive a discount

For more details including tuition cost, payment options, school band schedule, and instrument rentals go to our website
www.museband.com

Student Last Name: _____ Student First Name: _____

Parent(s) Last Name: _____ Parent First Name: _____

Street Address: _____ Apt. ____ City: _____

State: ____ Zip Code: _____ Home Phone: () _____ Cell _____

* Email Address(required): _____ School: _____

Secondary Email: _____

Instrument: _____ Years Played: ____ Grade in Fall (2018): _____

To Pre-Register before July 15th:

Choice One: Online Registration @ www.museband.com Choose \$75 deposit or Pay in Full with Discount

Choice Two: Mail in Registration: Send form with \$75 deposit or Pay in Full with Discount (see website for amount)

Send form with check to: M.U.S.E. 10240 SW Nimbus Ave L13 Tigard, OR 97223

Any questions, contact M.U.S.E. at: **info@museband.com** or Phone **1-800-233-6873**

To Register after July 15th see website