



St. John Catholic School

Educational Ministry of St. John The Baptist Parish

September 19, 2018

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From the Principal's Desk



Dear Shamrock Family,

It is almost that time of year again, a special weekend at the end of September when we come together as a community and celebrate with one another enjoying great food, entertainment, games, and camaraderie. The annual fall festival is quickly approaching! On Friday, September 28th and Saturday, September 29th we will celebrate 'World's Fair' and revel in the various cultures and countries from around the world. On Sunday, September 30th a champagne brunch will be offered to wrap up our festival weekend. **Our school receives 50% of the total profit from the earnings of the fall festival**, so your volunteerism directly benefits the students! Below is more detailed information about what you need to know as a school parent:

- 1.) **Wristbands:** Presale wristbands are available for purchase. These specific wristbands are for students to use for games on Friday and proceeds from these go directly to our school.
- 2.) **Festival Friday:** On Friday, September 28th, students will be dismissed from school as usual at 2:50pm. From 3:00-5:00pm the festival will be opened to SJCS students and school families only and SJCS teachers and staff will be running the various booths. 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 by a parent/guardian.
- 3.) **Snack Bar:** Snacks will be sold to students and school families from 3:00-5:00pm on Friday. Please come with cash. Thank you to PTG for running this booth.
- 4.) **Friendly Reminder:** All school families are required to work 2 hours at/toward the festival.

The festival is the best community-building event of our year. Our students, families, and staff look forward to it very much. 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 and again, directly benefits our school monetarily. Please show your support of our school and parish community. I hope to see all of our families at the festival this year.

Blessings,

Ms. Paige Child

Calendar Reminders

Hearing Screening

September 27th

World's Fair Wristband Presale

September 28th Friday 3-5pm

Fall Festival and Chaperone Brunch

September 28th-30th

Bingo: 6:30pm September 28th

Craft and Vendor Show:

September 29th Saturday 8-3pm

Entertainment on Stage

September 29th Saturday 10am-10pm

Brunch: September 30th Sunday

SCRIP

Did you know there are over 700 retailers to choose from? Visit www.shopwithscrip.com for a complete list of participating vendors!

Don't forget that a percentage of your SCRIP amount goes toward your family's \$300 fundraising obligation! Order forms are attached to this week's newsletter and are due back to the school office by **10:00am on Thursday, October 11th**

Signups

Shamrock Families, our Fall Festival is almost here which will include

A lot of fun activities for everyone.

Don't forget to signup and choose your favorite spot to volunteer for your service hours. Please remember to check in with our volunteer booth to get full credit.

Note: Please allow plenty of time for arrival and parking.

Refer to link below for signups thank you.

<https://m.signupgenius.com/#!/showSignup/60b0445aca828a2fe3-2018>

SJCS Talent Show 2018 Friday, October 26th 6:30pm in the GYM

This year the talent show will be in our school gym! If your child is interested in participating in our talent show this year, please fill out the attached permission slip and bring it with you to the try out.

Tryout Date: Thursday, October 4th at 3:30pm Meet in Room 14

Rehearsal Schedule: Thursday, October 18th at 3:30pm Thursday, October 25th at 3:30pm (dress rehearsal)

Hidden Treasures at the Festival!!

As part of the parish festival September 28 and 29, we will again have our Hidden Treasures sale in the Community Center meeting room.

We count on your donations of jewelry, religious articles, accessories, household items, small appliances, décor, vintage items, etc. We cannot take clothes, baby items, bedding or anything large.

Clean out your drawers and closets now and bring items on Thursday, September 27, our setup day, 9 am to 4 pm. We can make a pickup or arrange a drop off at church.

Attention Volunteers:

Adults who volunteer at our school, including as chaperones or drivers on field trips, must be fingerprinted and complete Safe Environment Training PRIOR to beginning service.

This is a diocesan mandate.

Finger Printing

- Must be completed one time, no expiration.
- You must pick up a form from the school office and pay the \$34 fee to SJCS.
- Finger prints must be cleared before volunteering, this process can take up to 4 weeks.

Safe Environment Training

- www.virtusonline.org
- Good for up to 3 years (as long as the 3 years fall within the schools 3-year cycle)
- 2017-2018 is the start of the schools new 3-year cycle. **After July 1, 2017 ALL volunteers will have to train/retrain to be in compliance.**
- There is a \$5 fee payable to SJCS

ATTENTION SHAMROCK FAMILIES!

Have you purchased/sold your Fall Festival Raffle tickets yet? Tickets were mailed out to all Active Parishioners a couple weeks ago. If you have sold all your tickets, you can drop the ticket stubs and money off in the office. If you are interested in selling more or are not an Active Parishioner and would like to buy/sell, you can pick up additional booklets in the school office. Prizes include free tuition for the 2019-2020 school year or \$5,000 cash! Tickets will be on sale throughout the Festival. Any questions, please contact SJCSFallFestival@gmail.com.

St John's Fall Festival

September 28th-30th

***Free Entertainment**

***Live Music!!**

***Raffle**

***Great Food**

Come play and have fun!!

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



Casino Night



Pre-Sale Tickets

\$35 includes entry to the event, dinner and \$100 in chips

\$85 includes entry to the event, dinner, \$100 in chips AND a spot in the Texas hold 'em Tournament (space is limited)

Day of Event Tickets

\$45 includes entry to the event and \$100 in chips

\$95 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@csdo.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 dinner provided with presale ticket.

Limited number of tickets that include food will be available at the door

St. John Gym

264 E Lewelling Blvd, San Lorenzo, CA 94580

SJCS is a 501c3 nonprofit EIN 94-1535363

All proceeds benefit SJCS PTG

PTG Casino Night

Friday, October 19, 2018

6pm-10pm

Roulette

Craps

Black Jack

Texas Hold 'em Tournament (additional \$50)

\$35* PER PERSON

INCLUDES: *entry, dinner, \$100*

chips and raffle ticket

*\$45 at the door

This is a 21+ Event

Order your tickets today!

Name: _____

Phone Number : _____

Child's Name _____ Grade _____

_____ tickets @ \$35 = _____

_____ tickets @ \$85* = _____

(*includes \$35 ticket + Texas Hold 'em entry)

Checks made payable to SJCS



ST JOHN'S FESTIVAL "World's Fair"

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

For Friday September 28th 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 \$30.00 at the festival.

Wristbands are good all day Friday.

**Wristbands are \$25.00 for the first and second wristband.
The third or more wristbands will be \$20.00 per family.**

Order Form Below

Child's Name _____ Grade _____

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Wristband Qty _____ @ \$25.00 = _____

3rd Wristband Qty _____ @ \$20.00 = _____
or more

Check _____ / Cash _____

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

ALL FORMS DUE SEPTEMBER 26TH – ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT ST JOHNS SCHOOL

St John's Fall Festival

264 E Lewelling Blvd, San Lorenzo CA

Free Admission • Live Bands Friday & Saturday
Raffle Grand Prize 5K

International Cuisine • Champagne Brunch on Sunday Sept. 30th

For more info visit

Facebook [@StJohnFallFestival](#)
or email: sjcsfallfestival@gmail.com





CRAFTERS AND VENDORS WANTED

Saturday September 29th 8:00am-3:00pm

****Setup is 7:30AM to 8:00AM***

Cost Includes One Table

Donation required for raffle min \$5 value

Spaces are only \$35.00

****Signups Before 09/15 Include a Continental Breakfast****

Questions? Contact Juanita Velasquez sjcsfallfestival@gmail.com

Please Make Check out to St John's Catholic Church

Mail Checks to: SJCS

Attn: Juanita Velasquez

270 E Lewelling Blvd, San Lorenzo CA 94580

Name _____ Phone _____

Name of business _____ email _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Type of item sold _____

Paid _____ Check # _____



Schedule of Events

Friday, September 28th

2:40-3:00 Dismissal

3:15-5PM Festival open to SJCS Families only

Teachers run booths

Parents with their children

5PM - 10PM Festival is open to the public

Entertainment On Stage

6:00PM “World’s Got Talent” Contest Hosted by St Johns Youth Group

8:00PM -9:30PM Patron Latin Rhythms

BINGO – 6:30-9:00PM

Saturday, September 29th 10 AM to 10 PM

Entertainment On Stage

9:45AM International parade

Father Sergio blesses the Festival & workers

10:00AM St. John’s Cheerleaders

10:15AM Samba Queens and Kings Academy

10:45AM Zumba: Las Flores de DSAL

11:00AM Helena and friends

11:30AM Zumba: Bombay Jam – Bollywood Flavor

12:00PM Hawaiian Dancers

12:30PM Performance by Mecha – Newark Memorial HS

1:00PM Essence – Live Band

2:00PM Ballet Folklorico Mexicano de Carlos Moreno

2:30PM Ballet Folklorico de Chile

3:00PM Salsa Lesson

4:00PM-7:00 Latin Rhythm Boys

7:30-9:30PM Reflex 80’s Band

Noon to 4:00PM Forte Night Tournament

7:00 to 9:00PM Movie Night “Incredibles”\$3

(8th Grade Fundraiser in the Gym)

Sunday, September 30th

Breakfast:

Champagne Brunch 9:00-1:00PM Mexican Breakfast

Announce Raffle winners

St. John's Festival Donation Wish List

On September 28th and 29th we will hold our annual Festival. We are asking all parents that would like to make donations in exchange for service hours to purchase as a donation or make, any of the items listed below.

Please take donated items to the office by Friday September 21st.

Note: All baked goods will not be accepted until September 28th.

Thank you for your support!!!

<i>Beverages</i> <i>1 Service Hour</i>	<i>Exchange</i> <i>4 cases of water or</i> <i>6 – 12 packs of Soda</i>
<i>Baked Goods – St Gerard's Cake Booth</i> <i>1 Service Hour</i>	<i>Exchange</i> <i>2 Cakes or</i> <i>2 Pies or</i> <i>4 Dozen cupcakes or treats</i>
<i>Hidden Treasures</i> <i>1 Service Hour</i>	<i>Exchange</i> <i>A box of items.</i> <i>Costume Jewelry Purses & Bags,</i> <i>Beads, Single Earrings Craft & Antique Items</i> <i>NO LARGE FURNITURE OR CLOTHES</i> <i>PLEASE</i>

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the try out.

Tryout Date:

Thursday, October 4th at 3:30pm

Meet in Room 14

Rehearsal Schedule:

Thursday, October 18th at 3:30pm

Thursday, October 25th at 3:30pm (dress rehearsal)

What to bring to the tryout:

- Your signed permission slip
- Your music with a copy of the lyrics
 - Any other props

Contact Mrs. Elliott or Mrs. Flynn for more information



Child's Name _____ Grade _____ Talent _____

St John Talent Show Permission Slip

This permission slip ensures that you are allowing your child to participate in the talent show held on Friday, October 26th at 6:30pm. By signing this permission slip, you not only give permission for your child to participate in the talent show, but you and your child are agreeing to the following rules and conditions stated below.

Rules and Conditions

1. All students who plan to be in the talent show must be present for try-outs.
 - a. **Try-outs will be held on Thursday, October 4th** after school (beginning at 3:30pm)
 - b. Students are asked to bring talent show costumes/attire to try-outs along with this permission slip
 - c. Students are asked to bring their own music and music lyrics to try-outs (all songs/performance **must be under 2 minutes**)
 - d. All students participating in the talent show that do not have an adult present must sign in to SEP. Students will be checked out of SEP for their tryout by a talent show coordinator and will return to SEP when they are finished. Students with an adult present are asked to line up outside room 14 and wait to be called in by talent show coordinators. When students are done trying out, they may leave school or if not picked up, must return to SEP.

*There will **TWO ADDITIONAL REHEARSALS** this year on the following dates:

Thursday, October 18th at 3:30pm

Thursday, October 25th at 3:30pm (dress rehearsal)

This rehearsal is for all participants that attended tryouts and will be in the show.

2. Students whose performance is deemed inappropriate by talent show coordinators will be advised on audition day to make more appropriate adjustments to act, or will be asked to withdraw from the talent show.
3. Talent Show performances may be no more than 2 minutes long.
4. We encourage all students participating in the talent show to practice outside of school, on their own time. We will also have two group performance rehearsals as stated above.

I, _____ allow my child to participate in the SJCS talent show held on October 26, 2018.

****Please bring this with you to tryouts****

SCRIP ORDER 2018 - 2019

Family Name _____
Name & Grade of oldest child _____

****Orders Due by October 11, 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 Wednesday envelope.
Orders will be ready in about 1 week.*

☐ Cash ☐ Check # _____

**Orders Due by THURSDAY, September 27, 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 _____

September 2018

TaeKwonDo Martial Arts for Extended Care Program

•St. John •St. Bede •St. Joachim •St. Clement •All Saints

School: _____ Email Address: _____

Student's name: _____ Grade: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____

Home address: _____ City: _____ Zip code: _____

Home phone: _____ Business phone: _____

Mother's name: _____ Father's name: _____

Mom employed by: _____ wk. phone: _____ cell. phone: _____

Dad employed by: _____ wk. phone: _____ cell. phone: _____

Has your child trained in any martial arts before? _____ If yes, how long & where? _____

Does your child have any medical problem? _____

What goal do you want to achieve in martial arts? Beginner _____ Intermediate _____ Black Belt _____

If other than parents to pick your child up from TaeKwonDo class, who do you authorized?

Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone #: _____

Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone #: _____

The parents or guardian specifically agrees and fully understands that the instructors and or school will not be liable for any damages arising from personal injuries or losses sustained by the student in or about the premises of said school .

Parent signature: _____ Date: _____

It is an honor to have your child enrolled in our martial arts program. Once committed, perseverance is the key to success! Our martial arts program is consist of traditional Korean TaeKwonDo Martial Arts lessons. Our instructors are qualified & are certified under The World TaeKwonDo & Kukkiwon Federation. Our classes are held once a week in your school. If a school holiday takes place and or your child have missed class, he or she may attend a weekend Saturday morning class (All Saints) or at any of the other schools (St. John, St. Bede, St. Joachim, St. Clement, All Saints) on the weekday when school is in session. TaeKwonDo announcement will be posted on your email weekly.

Tuition fee is \$65; \$5 off the initial price per student if an immediate family member participates. Tuition is due on the 1st week of each month. Payment must be made to Mr. Salas. Waive and or prorate adjustment will be honored if advance written absent notice is given. \$25 will be charged for returned NSF check.

Upon enrollment, the student must have a v-neck uniform & logo t-shirt (\$65). Testing is administered once every 3 to 4 months. Test fees varies per belt level. Sparring & self-defense class are held on the 2nd half of the school year and personal sparring gear will be needed. Absolutely no refund! If you should have any question or concern, please feel free to contact Mr. Salas at drummerboy42756@hotmail.com or (510)305-5428.

My Eden Voice! Leadership Summit

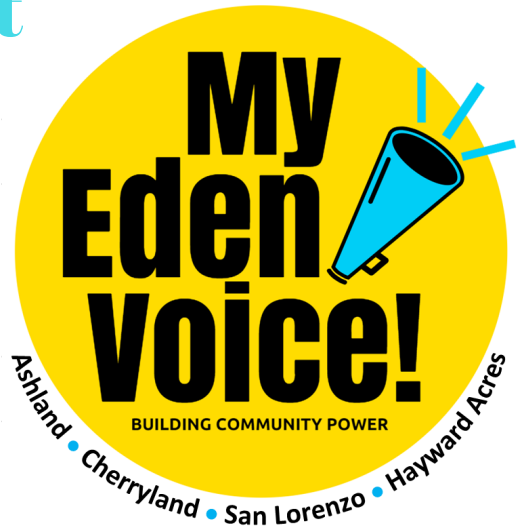
**Saturday,
September 29, 2018
9am-2pm**

**Eden United Church of Christ:
21455 Birch St.,
Hayward, CA 94541**

***Food and childcare provided**

Unite the Eden Area to make our communities stronger!

<https://www.facebook.com/myedenvoice>



Free Event!

Envision the Future of Alameda County Library



Alameda County Library invites you to join in **Community Conversations** that will guide the Library's future.

AC Library will host a series of fun, interactive community conversations to learn about the issues that matter most to you. Your input is needed to shape the future of library services. Please come and share your voice.

Community Conversations

Castro Valley Library	September 4, 2018	2:00 pm – 3:30 pm
Union City Library	September 4, 2018	6:00 pm – 7:30 pm
Newark Library	September 8, 2018	11:00 am – 12:30 pm
Dublin Library	September 8, 2018	3:00 pm – 4:30 pm
Irvington Library	September 12, 2018	2:00 pm – 3:30 pm
San Lorenzo Library	September 22, 2018	3:00 pm – 4:30 pm
Fremont Main Library	September 29, 2018	10:00 am – 11:30 am
Albany Library	September 30, 2018	2:00 pm – 3:30 pm
Niles Library	October 5, 2018	11:00 am – 12:30 pm
Centerville Library	October 13, 2018	3:00 pm – 4:30 pm



The library is wheelchair accessible. An ASL interpreter will be provided for this program if requested at least 7 days in advance. For more information, visit www.aclibrary.org or call 510-745-1504.