

# St. John Catholic School

Educational Ministry of St. John The Baptist Parish



**ON THE HORIZON:** 

Wednesday, October 4th Friday, October 6<sup>th</sup>

Ms. Child is off campus for Principals' Conference

Monday, October 9th Indigenous Peoples' Day There **IS** school this day

Tuesday, October 10<sup>th</sup> Progress reports are sent

Wednesday, October 11th -Friday, October 13th Minimum day- Noon Parent/Teacher

Conferences \*Students in grades 4 - 8attend conference

Wednesday, October 11<sup>th</sup>

School Mass @ 8:30am Parent Faith Formation Night @ St. Felicitas Church 7:00 - 8:00pm

Wednesday, October 18<sup>th</sup> Family Tech Talk at 6pm

Dear Shamrock Family,

It was a pleasure seeing so many current school families and alumni at the festival on Saturday and at mass on Sunday! I thank you for joining in the spirit of our shamrock family! I am sorry to have missed out on Blessing of the Animals today, as for the rest of this week I am away for a diocesan-wide Administrators' Conference. We honor the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi today, the Catholic friar who founded the Franciscans. Many thanks to Mrs. Elliott for planning and facilitating the book fair this week! Next week we celebrate our first round of Students of the Month for being students who live their faith, and next week Parent/Teacher Conferences take place as well. Thank you parents for remaining partners in the education of our SJCS students.

Ms. Paige Child Principal pchild@csdo.org

### BIBLE QUOTE OF THE WEEK:

We love because he first loved us. – 1 John 4:19

### **STUDENT LEARNING EXPECTATIONS:**

We live our faith - We serve others - We are lifelong learners

### **FAITH FORMATION:**

Parent Faith Formation Opportunity-

Wed, Oct 11th from 7pm-8pm at St. Felicitas Church

Presenter: Fr. Luke Leighton, CFR

Topic: Eucharistic Revival with time for parents to experience Eucharistic Adoration

ALL of our SJCS parents are welcome to attend!

### **FAMILY TECH TALK:**

SAVE THE DATE! On Wednesday 10/18 at 6pm Trend Micro will be hosting an internet safety presentation. See the attached flyers for details. If you sign in when you attend the event you will earn a service hour.

### NACHO SALE:

Nacho sale tomorrow 10/5 at recess! 7<sup>th</sup> grade will be hosting their weekly nacho sale. Nachos will be \$1. Congratulations to Grace for winning our nacho sale flyer design contest!

### **SLE AWARD WINNERS:**

Ayoka in TK: We Serve Others Olivia in 1<sup>st</sup> grade: We Live Our Faith





### Prayer of St. Francis

Lord, Make me an instrument of your peace; Where there is hatred, let me sow love; Where there is injury, pardon; Where there is doubt, faith; Where there is despair, hope; Where there is darkness, light; And where there is sadness, joy. O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; To be understood as to understand; To be loved as to love; For it is in giving that we receive; It is in pardoning that we are pardoned; And it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. ~Amen

### **VOLUNTEER REQUIREMENTS**

- 1.) Volunteer Background Checks are required for any person who would like to volunteer, chaperone, or attend class parties. Anyone who wants to enter the school, past the office lobby, during school hours needs to be fingerprinted.
- · One time, no expiration.
- · Forms can be picked up in the office
- · There is a \$34 fee per person payable to SJCS
- 2.) Safe Environment Training completion is required for any person who would like to volunteer, chaperone, attend class parties, or anyone who wants to enter the school, past the office lobby, during school hours needs to have a current Safe Environment Certificate on file.
- · All volunteers will have to complete training through <u>www.virtusonline.org</u> once every 3 years.
- · There is a \$5 fee payable to SJCS.

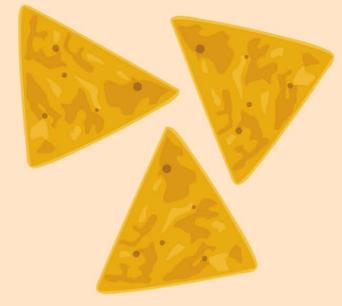
# NACHO SALE

Don't Miss It

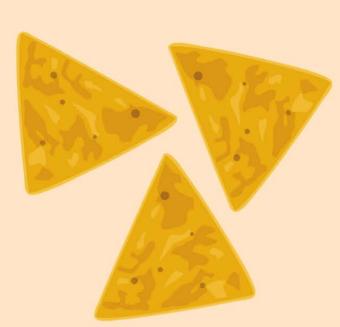
THRUSDAY,
OCTOBER 5TH

DURING RECESS

\$1









### Dear Families:

Get ready! The Scholastic Book Fair is coming our way (YAY!). Choosing their own books empowers kids and inspires them on their journey to becoming lifelong readers. AND—as always—every purchase at the Fair benefits our school.

Here's what you need to know about the big event, which will take place from **October 2**<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> at **St. John Catholic School**:

Say goodbye to cash and hello to **eWallet**—your child's digital payment account. Before the Fair, set up eWallet for worry-free, cash-free purchases. Anyone can contribute! Share each child's eWallet so friends and family can add funds and give your kids more books to enjoy.

If you can't make it to the Fair, then **shop at our school's Book Fair online**. All orders ship directly to your home, and shipping is free for book orders over \$25. Every online purchase will also benefit our school.

Visit our Book Fair homepage to learn more and get started with eWallet and online shopping: <a href="https://www.scholastic.com/bf/stjohnschool3">https://www.scholastic.com/bf/stjohnschool3</a>. The countdown to more Bookjoy is on! Catch you at the Fair!

Happy reading,

Mrs. Elliott Book Fair Coordinator

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Introduce families and teachers to eWallet, a cash-free digital payment account, by sharing this 1-minute video on social media.

### **CLICK TO VIEW VIDEO**



### SUGGESTED CAPTION:

Our Scholastic Book Fair starts on [ENTER DATE]—now's the time to create your eWallet! Watch this short video to learn how it works, then visit our Fair homepage to set up your account: [ENTER URL]



### Learn the risks your kids face online & Internet safety tips



This free Zoom event is presented by an Internet safety expert from Trend Micro's Internet Safety for Kids and Families Program.

### Parents will learn:

- · Online gaming and social media insights
- · Managing screentime
- App settings for age-appropriate content
- · Best practices to be safe online

- How to prevent online risks
- Parental controls and tips on kid's device setup
- · Plus, a live Q&A session!

### Available in multiple languages

18 Oct
Wednesday

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Internet Safety for

Kids & Families

TIME

6:00 PM

### Join this virtual event at: https:

https://trendmicro.zoom.us/j/98313955392?pwd=VzMzTTFZcmgzUi9xeXJxeXduaitjQT09

Passcode 853950

Questions? Contact: Mr. Enos (denos@csdo.org)

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## 72 hr. Student Emergency Kits

\*\*\*Emergency kits due to your child's teacher no later than October 6, 2023

Dear SJCS Parents: [SEP]



To ensure that our students will be prepared for an emergency, we are requesting that you send the following emergency supplies to school for each child. Please fit everything into a one- gallon size ziploc bag. Medications should be included as well. Please consider expiration dates for perishable items. (nothing before June 2024).

- ☐ (2) 16 fl. oz. bottled water [SEP]
- (6) individually packed snacks or (1) 2400 Datrix calorie food ration bar (ie: high protein energy bars, granola bar, fruit snacks, trail mix.)
- ☐ 1 pair underwear

If your child has any particular medical needs, you should consider including a 48-72 hour supply of medication.

On the front of the bag, write your child's name, the date the contents were assembled, and any emergency telephone numbers or plans that you have for your family. You may also write a letter of reassurance to your child (highly recommended). [SEP]

The bags will be sent home at the end of the school year and should be replenished with fresh supplies and returned at the beginning of the next school year. Although the hope is that we will never use these kits, your child's safety and comfort are our first concern. Your help and cooperation on this is greatly appreciated.

St. John School

San Lorenzo, California

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All ret	rns or exchanges MUST have tags ATTACHED or original packaging  Returns within 30 days will be given full refund or exchange	_	om to ask questions. We will try to respond within 18 hours, weekdays.

Size charts available on line

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# SAVE THE DATE TRUNK OR \* TOF AT



FRIDAY OCTOBER 27, 2023