St. John Catholic School
 Educational Ministry of St. John The Baptist Parish



Dear Shamrock Family,

The season of **Advent** has begun and this week we focus on the theme of **HOPE**! In the spirit of hope, may we reflect upon God's ever presence and lean on him in times of turmoil in our lives. Let us teach our children to be grateful for their many blessings and to know and feel able to turn to God in prayer when they are challenged or facing difficult decisions.

In the spirit of gratitude, I offer thanks and praise to **Mrs. Kristen Elliott** and **Mr. Daniel Enos** for or their careful, creative and intentional planning and execution of Monday's Read-a-thon Activity Day! From my perspective, the day flowed nicely with varied activities in various locations, offering something for almost every student/interest. The kids seemingly had fun and the day was also rooted in learning, with the promotion of literacy in mind. I am grateful for their hard work and both of their willingness to take on something that is additional to their usual responsibilities. Because of their leadership, our school families were afforded another interactive fundraising opportunity. It is our collective fundraising efforts that help offset fixed costs that otherwise further drive increasing tuition rates.

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



ON THE HORIZON: Thursday, December 1st Honor Roll Assembly 8:00am in the gym

Sunday, December 4th TK & 6th grades host class mass 9:30am

Dec 5th –Dec 7th Santa Shop Teachers will share class visit day

Wednesday, December 7th Advent Reconciliation Grades 3rd – 8th 11:00am – 12:15pm

Thursday, December 8th Immaculate Conception of Mary 8:30am class mass

Dec 12th – Dec 16th Free dress for level THREE (only) Raised the most donations for toy drive

Wednesday, December 14th Santa/Grinch Pictures Free Dress (Holiday attire)

Thursday, December 15th Student of the Month Assembly 8:00am in the gym

GYM FLOOR RENOVATION & COACH RAY DEDICATION:

Over the Thanksgiving break the gym floor was renovated. It looks brand new! Much planning and money went into this project, including the dedication of the floor to our beloved 60-year volunteer, Coach Ray Banister! It is our aim to maintain the new integrity of the gym floor. Because of this, we are asking that students do NOT roll their rolling backpacks across the gym floor. Students who have rolling backpacks do not have to get rid of their backpacks, we just request that students with rolling backpacks WEAR them while in the gym. Thank you for your respect in this way.

CYO NEEDS YOUR HELP!:

With our newly refinished floors, we are reinstating the mat policy for non-athletic events in the gym. If you are willing to be on a list of volunteers we can reach out to when we need to put the mats up/down please email <u>shamrockcyo@gmail.com</u>.

WHAT'S LOST CAN BE FOUND! /SERVICE HOURS OPPORTUNITY

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. A good number of items are NOT clearly marked with student names, which makes it difficult for us to proactively return items that go astray. 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!

In addition we are looking for a volunteer to take the left over lost and found to wash over winter break for service hours, if you are interested please contact Ms. Aimee at asire@csdo.org for additional information.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENT:

Please join us at St. John's Church Community Room for all the delicious home baked goods, Portuguese bread, raffle prizes, trinkets and treasures and jewelry table. The fun starts on Saturday, December 3rd from 4pm to 8pm and again on Sunday December 4th, from 8am to 2pm.

2023 YEARBOOKS ON SALE NOW!

It's never too early to <u>order your yearbook</u>! You can also start uploading your pictures from different events to the shared folders on the TreeRing website.

RAISE RIGHT FUNRAISING - LAST CALL FOR 2022 PHYSICAL GIFT CARD RAISE RIGHT ORDERS!!!!!

Now is time to order Raise Right for your holiday grocery shopping and Christmas gift giving! Please note that **December 8** is the last SCRIP order before Christmas.

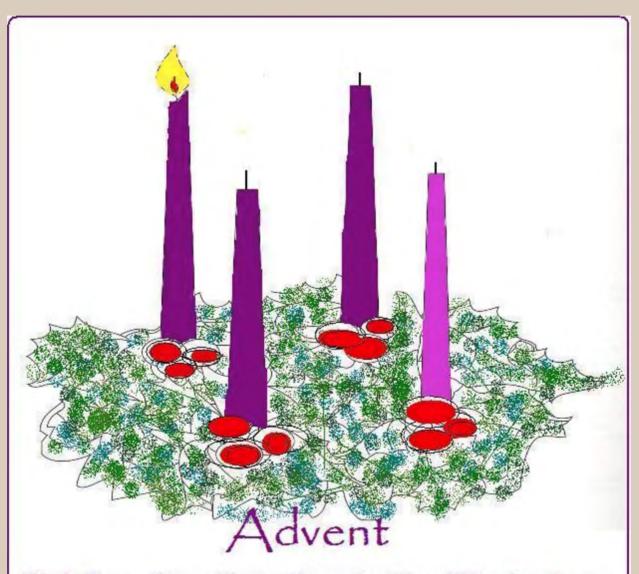
What is Raise Right? Raise Right is Fundraising While You Shop®, it turns everyday shopping into cash for SJCS when families use retail gift cards to pay for everyday purchases (like gas and groceries) instead of the usual credit/debit card or other money.

How? Profits from your purchases count toward your family's annual \$300 fundraising obligation.

Visit www.RaiseRight.com for a complete list of participating vendors! Please contact Ms. Aimee (<u>asire@csdo.org</u>) with any questions about the Raise Right program.

FAITH FORMATION:

15+ Advent Resources for the Whole Family <u>https://thrivinghomeblog.com/15-advent-resources-for-the-whole-family/</u>



Week One – Stir up Your might, we beg You, O Lord, and come, so that we may escape through Your protection and be saved by Your help from the dangers that threaten us because of our sins.



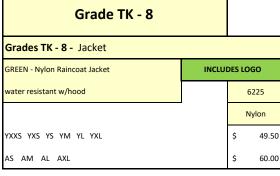
Place Order @ bancroft-uniforms.com I-510-638-1622 I-510-638-3302 FAX St. John Catholic School



San Lorenzo, California

REGULATION UNIFORMS for 2022-2023 All uniform orders need to be placed on-line or by phone Store Location is CLOSED to Public

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St. John School	Personal Information
Click on your School Name	First Name* Last Name*
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Click on Boy or Girl Required or Optional Items will appear - Please see your school Handbook for specific	Email Address *
rules on daily wear items We Accept:	Please enter school name and password all lowercase with no spaces (i.e. myschoolsanleandro)
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We happily accept returns on most items. However - Personalized items are FINAL SALE	hours, weekdays.
We cannot accept items that are washed, worn, or altered.	bancroft-uniforms.com
Please send email to: info@bancroft-uniforms.com	
All returns or exchanges MUST have tags ATTACHED or original packaging	20% off
Returns within 30 days will be given full refund or exchange	November 25th - December 2
Returns after 30 days MAY BE given exchange or store credit	
	All orders receive ONE free return label
	Girl & Boys
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Sample available in school office

YXXS - 4 YXS - 5/6 YS - 7/8 YM - 10/12 YL - 14/16 YXL - 18/20



Details: A+ Fabrics^a throughout Shell: 100% water-repellant nylon. Fleece body lining: 76% A+ polyester, 12% rayon, 12% cotton Sleeve lining: 100% A+ nylon Sleeve padding: 100% Hollofil Elasticized cuff bands Full zip front Zip-off fleece-lined hood 2 zippered welt pockets Inside Velcro pocket

RAISERIGHT ORDER 2022 - 2023

****Orders Due by December 8, 2022.

Entertainment	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Century Theaters	4%	\$25		
Century Theaters Single Admit	8.5%	\$11		
Gas	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Arco	1.5%	\$50		
AICO	2.5%	\$250		
76	1.5%	\$25		
70	1.5%	\$100		
Shell	1 5%	\$50		
Shell	1.5%	\$100		
Grocery	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
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Grocery Lucky/Savemart	% 2%		QTY	Net \$
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Lucky/Savemart Safeway	2% 4%	\$25 \$100 \$25	QTY	Net \$
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Family Name____

Name & Grade of oldest child _____

Fast Food/Restaurant	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Applebee's	8%	\$25		
Chipotle	10%	\$10		
IHOP	8%	\$25		
Olive Garden	8%	\$25		
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Starbucks Coffee	4.5%	\$25		
Retail	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
A	4 70/	\$25		
Amazon.com	1.7%	\$100		
	14%	\$25		
Old Navy		\$100		
Maavia	10%	\$25		
Macy's	10%	\$100		
Marshall's/TJ Maxx	7%	\$25		
Ross	8%	\$25		
Dick's Sporting Goods 8%	8%	\$25		
	0 /0	\$100		
Walgreens	5%	\$25		
	570	\$100		

Please refer to <u>www.raiseright.com</u> 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 with your student. Orders will be ready in about 1 week.

 \Box Cash \Box Check # _____

Orders Due by THURSDAY, December 8, 2022 10:00 AM.

TOTAL \$I will pick up my RaiseRight Order at the school officePlease send home RaiseRight Order with eldest child	I will pick up my RaiseRight Order at SEP
Purchased By (please print)	Phone #
I understand that RaiseRight is like cash and St. John Catholic S	chool is not responsible if your RaiseRight order is lost or stolen.
Signature	Date



Warriors Basketball Facility, Oakland

Multi Day Holiday Sessions

Holiday Session I (December 19-23) Holiday Session IV (December 26-30) Holiday Session VII (January 2-6) Presidents Week Camp I (February 21-24) (All sessions are for boys & girls, ages 7-15, and from 9am-3pm)

One Day Specialty Clinics

Shoot 360 All Girls Clinic (Jan 7, 10am-1pm, girls ages 7-15) MLK Day Skills Clinic (Jan 16, 9am-1pm) Parent/Child Shoot 360 Camp IV (Feb 4, 10am-1pm, ages 8-14 w/parent) Presidents Day Skills Clinic (Feb 20, 9am-1pm, ages 7-15)

In addition to high quality instruction, each camper receives a reversible camp jersey (Multi Day Sessions) or Performance Tee (One Day Clinics), headband, certificate and more!!!

Many of our sessions include ticket options for Warriors home games at Chase Center!

ONLINE REGISTRATION AVAILABLE AT GSWACADEMY.COM

510-986-5310 - GSWACADEMY.COM INSTAGRAM, TWITTER & FACEBOOK: @GSWACADEMY

Name <u>Paige Child</u>

Birthday July 24th

Favorite flowers <u>Tulips</u>

Favorite place(s) to shop <u>Amazon, Target, Trader Joe's</u>

Favorite restaurant Lazy Dog

Favorite fast food <u>Chipotle</u>

Favorite hot drink <u>black coffee w/ a splash of 1/2 & 1/2</u>

Favorite cold drink Chardonnay, margarita

Favorite candy or sweet treat <u>Snickers, Reese's, Skittles</u>

Favorite salty snack popcorn, Cheeze-its

Favorite luxury item/indulgence/treat _____massage, manicure, pedicure

Any aversions or allergies? None

Favorite sports teams _____ SF Giants, Niners, Warriors

Hobbies? Going to professional sporting events, country concerts & comedy shows

T-shirt/sweatshirt size <u>Small</u>

Name Brianna Thompson

Birthday <u>August 5</u>

Favorite flowers Peonies and tulips

Favorite place(s) to shop <u>Nordstrom, Aritzia, Zara, Target, Uniqlo, Barnes</u> and <u>Noble</u>

Favorite restaurant Paradiso

Favorite fastfood Chick-Fil-A

Favorite hot drink Hot mint tea, hot chocolate

Favorite cold drink <u>Iced vanilla latte</u>, sparkling water, matcha

Favorite candy or sweet treat <u>Peanut m&m's, see's candy, anything chocolate</u> <u>really</u>

Favorite salty snack Salt and vinegar chips

Favorite luxury item/indulgence/treat <u>Makeup (lip oil, laneige sleep mask,</u> <u>living proof hair products, Sephora)</u>

Any aversions or allergies? None

Favorite sports teams Warriors, Raiders, A's

Hobbies? Reading, shopping, going on walks

T-shirt/sweatshirt size Small

Name Aimee Sire
Birthday $\omega/2\gamma$
Favorite flowersN/A
Favorite place(s) to shop Target, Amazon, Crush Comics
Favorite restaurant If Closed 3
Favorite fast food <u>In - N - OUt</u>
Favorite hot drink
Favorite cold drink Coffee
Favorite candy or sweet treat <u>PPPSe's</u> (Specifically The bolicky ones)
Favorite salty snack Chocclate Covered Pretzels
Favorite luxury item/indulgence/treat
Any aversions or allergies? Pranuts
Favorite sports teams AS
Hobbies? Crafting
T-shirt/sweatshirt size Unisex Small, Ladies Small or Medium

NameEmily Martinez
BirthdayJune 2nd
Favorite flowers <u>Not a flower person</u>
Favorite place(s) to shop <u>Target, Stitch Fix, Loft, Amazon</u>
Favorite restaurant Drake's, El Portal, La Pinata
Favorite fast food <u>Taco Bell or Subway</u>
Favorite hot drink <u>Keurig Coffee</u>
Favorite cold drink Keurig Coffee, Coke, Cherry Coke
Favorite candy or sweet treat <u>Peppermint Bark, Dark Chocolate</u>
Favorite salty snack Cheez-its, popcorn, pretzels
Favorite luxury item/indulgence/treat Disney!
Any aversions or allergies? <u>None</u>
Favorite sports teams <u>Warriors and A's</u>
Hobbies? <u>Coloring, reading, exercising</u>
T-shirt/sweatshirt size <u>Adult Large</u>

Mrs. Babcock favorite things:

Bday: October 9

Flower: Iris or fall flowers

Fav store: Target

Fav Restaurant: Fav fast food: Panera

Fav hot drink: Starbucks (nonfat caramel macchiato)

Fav cold drink: taro boba snow 80% sweet)

No snacks or sweets

Fav lux item: Dr. Teals bath salts (coconut or citrus)

My Favorite Things
Ms.Devony Name
Birthday <u>May 11th</u>
Favorite flowers <u>Sunflowers</u>
Favorite place(s) to shop Zara, Ambercrombie, Forever 21
Favorite restaurant <u>Aqua E Farina (Hayward)</u>
Favorite fast food <u>McDonalds</u>
Favorite hot drink Matcha soy latte
Favorite cold drink Sweet tea
Favorite candy or sweet treat <u>red vines, anything sour patch</u>
Favorite salty snack pretzels and chips
Favorite luxury item/indulgence/treat
Any aversions or allergies? None

Favorite sports teams Lakers, Raiders, Athletics_____

Hobbies? <u>Painting, drawing, reading</u>

T-shirt/sweatshirt size <u>Adult medium (unisex)</u>

Name Stephanie Gonzales

Birthday May 28th

Favorite flowers- Pink Roses

Favorite place(s) to shop-Amazon/Target

Favorite restaurant – Benihana

Favorite fast food -McDonalds

Favorite hot drink -Hot Chocolate

Favorite cold drink -Diet Coke

Favorite candy or sweet treat - Plain M&M's

Favorite salty snack- Cheez It-Extra Toasty

Favorite luxury item/indulgence/treat - Anything Disney

Any aversions or allergies? No

Favorite sports teams -Raiders/A's/Warriors

Hobbies? Dance & Traveling

T-shirt/sweatshirt size- Adult medium

Name Kristen Elliott
Birthday2/27
Favorite flowers <u>Pink</u>
Favorite place(s) to shop <u>Target, Amazon, Stitch fix</u>
Favorite restaurant Doordash
Favorite fast food <u>Chipotle</u> ,
Favorite hot drink <u>Starbucks</u>
Favorite cold drink Jamba Juice
Favorite candy or sweet treat <u>Chocolate/chocolate chip cookies</u>
Favorite salty snack <u>Dorritos</u>
Favorite luxury item/indulgence/treat Tools
Any aversions or allergies? <u>Allergic to everything except wine and gift cards</u>
Favorite sports teams <u>Warriors, A's</u>
Hobbies? Going to the Beach
T-shirt/sweatshirt size L

Name <u>Daniel Enos</u>
Birthday 3/29
Favorite flowers The ones still in the ground
Favorite place(s) to shop <u>Amazon or Home Depot/Lowes</u>
Favorite restaurant <u>Texas Roadhouse or Zachary's Pizza</u>
Favorite fast food <u>In-n-out or Chick-fil-a</u>
Favorite hot drink <u>N/A</u>
Favorite cold drink <u>Coke</u>
Favorite candy or sweet treat <u>Sour patch kids or Gummy bears</u>
Favorite salty snack <u>Peanuts</u>
Favorite luxury item/indulgence/treat <u>Tools</u>
Any aversions or allergies? <u>No</u>
Favorite sports teams SF Giants and Tennessee Titans
Hobbies? <u>Woodworking</u>
T-shirt/sweatshirt size <u>XL</u>

Name Zen Ramirez
Birthday January 2
Favorite flowers tulips, sunflowers
Favorite place(s) to shop Gap, Loft
Favorite restaurant Max's Fried Chicken, Ramen Nagi
Favorite fast food Shake Shack, Chick Fil-A
Favorite hot drink green tea
Favorite cold drink Pink Drink, Strawberry Acai, ShareTea
Favorite candy or sweet treat M and Ms
Favorite salty snack <u>Doritos</u>
Favorite luxury item/indulgence/treat
Any aversions or allergies?
Favorite sports teams
Hobbies?
T-shirt/sweatshirt size M/L

Name <u>Mr. Sherman</u>
Birthday <u>1/28</u>
Favorite flowers N/A
Favorite place(s) to shop <u>Amazon</u>
Favorite restaurant Black Angus
Favorite fast food <u>Chick-fil-a</u>
Favorite hot drink <u>Black coffee</u>
Favorite cold drink <u>Raspberry flavored iced tea</u>
Favorite candy or sweet treat Snickerdoodles
Favorite salty snack popcorn
Favorite luxury item/indulgence/treat <u>N/A</u>
Any aversions or allergies? Peanuts/chocolate
Favorite sports teams <u>49ers/Giants/Lakers</u>
Hobbies? Outdoors/woodworking
T-shirt/sweatshirt size <u>XXL Tall</u>

NameWilliam Grangoff
Birthday 02-24-56
Favorite flowers <u>Rose</u>
Favorite place(s) to shop <u>REI</u>
Favorite restaurant <u>Minami</u>
Favorite fast food <u>none</u>
Favorite hot drink Peets Coffee
Favorite cold drink Original Coors Beer
Favorite candy or sweet treat <u>Oatmeal Cookies</u>
Favorite salty snack Fritos Corn Chips
Favorite luxury item/indulgence/treat <u>Tillamook Chocolate Ice Cream</u>
Any aversions or allergies? Peanuts, all nuts
Favorite sports teams <u>SF Giants</u>