



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

SAINT JOHN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

JANUARY 20, 2015

ST. JOHN EAGLES

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

THIS FRIDAY, JANUARY 23

PTO B-I-N-G-O NIGHT!!



Friday, January 23, Church Basement

Bingo for kids and adults. (Bingo provided by The Knights of Columbus.)

5:30-6:15 PM Taco Dinner available to purchase prepared by our own Mrs. Malsbury. \$5.00/plate or \$20.00 per family. May be charged to school account.

6:15-7:15 Bingo for kids and adults. **We need Bingo prizes!! Please help by donating baked goods (packages of approximately 6 cookies, muffins, cupcakes, etc.)**

Sunday, Jan. 25, 10:30 Parish Mass

St. John students will participate in the 10:30 parish Mass. We invite all school parents and friends to show your spirit by wearing St. John shirts.

Following Mass there will be a school information table in the church basement to provide information to families interested in St. John School. Join us for cookies.

Thursday, Jan. 29

6:30- 8:00 PM Open House and Science Fair

All are welcome to attend the St. John Open House and Science Fair. All the classrooms will be open for parents to view student work and projects. Please invite your friends that are interested in enrolling at St. John School.

- Projects will be set up on Thursday, Jan. 29, 3:30-4:00.
- Judging from 4:00-6:00.
- Projects displayed from 6:30-8:00 during Open House.
- Projects will be displayed during the day on January 30 for all students to view during science classes.

Friday, Jan. 30

Spirit Day, Game Day, Pizza Party

Spirit Day –students are invited to wear jeans or jean skirts. Students will conclude the week with Game Day and a Pizza Party.

PENNY CHALLENGE

Get your coins gathered up for the Annual St. John Penny Challenge! Pennies count as POSITIVE toward your team's total and silver coins/dollar bills count as NEGATIVE towards the other team's total. The Penny Challenge is hosted by the SJ Middle School.



Dear Parents,

A parent recently asked me how we determine St. John School tuition and cost of education of \$4,800. It is hard for me to think of putting a price tag on the education and environment at St. John School, but bills and salaries need to be paid so an important part of my job is to oversee the finances of the school.

Our 2014-15 school budget is \$1,423,464. We currently have 281 kindergarten through eighth graders. If you do the math, the cost per kindergarten-8th grade student is \$5,066. That figure does not include preschool students who pay a monthly fee, the many fund raisers we hold, the yearly fees we collect, and it does not factor in St. John Parish financial support to the school.

It costs a great deal of money to run a school and we all share the financial responsibility to provide the academic and spiritual education that St. John School provides.

I invite you to stop by the office, call, or email me if you would like more information about the school budget or fees.

If you would like more information about the parish tithing program, you can contact Samantha Romero, Development and Stewardship Director, at sromero@saint-johns.net or 843-0109

Pat Newton

2015-2016 Enrollment is Now Open

The 2015-2016 enrollment form for preschool through 8th is available on the school website and in the school office. Enrollment forms are due February 27.

Eighth Grade Graduation

St. John Eighth Grade Graduation will be Thursday, May 21, at 6:30 PM. The graduation ceremony and Mass will be at 6:30 PM in the church followed by a reception in the St. Bosco Room.



Virtue of the Month of January Justice

Justice is the act of doing things that are fair so that there is a solution that benefits everyone around you. We speak out against bullying, cheating, and lying and include others who seem to be left out. We strive to be leaders, be a positive influence, do the right thing, and follow the rules.



JANUARY AND FEBRUARY 2015

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
19 No School Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr 10:00 Future City Prep	20 7:30 Alleluia Singers	21	22 7:30 Alleluia Singers 8:30 Mass/planned by 1st gr Purple Class 3:30 Future City Prep/tech club 5:30 School Council 7:00 Reconciliation Meeting	23 2:50 Cookie Sales 6:00 PTO Bingo Night 8th gr. Returns	24 Future City competition 25 Catholic Schools Week Mass
26 Note: Middle School students have special spirit days all week. All school spirit day is Fri..	27 7:30 Alleluia Singers 7:00 1st Reconciliation	28	29 7:30 Alleluia Singers 8:30 Mass/Yellow Class 6:30-8 Open House/Science Fair	30 Catholic Schools Week Game Day & Spirit Day/Jeans Day	31 Middle School Winter Party 1
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2 8:30 Mass/Presentation of the Lord/planned by 1st grade Blue Class	3 7:30 Alleluia Singers 6:30 PTO-Free State Brewery	4	5 7:30 Alleluia Singers No Mass 2:00 Geography Bee	6 2:50 Cookie Sales	7 Grocery Cards sold at Mass 8

Save the Date
2015 Auction
November 14,
2015



Principal's Honor Roll (4.0 GPA)

Amelia Lang
Bailey Thomas
Chase Ramirez
Connor Ireland
Elsa Fair
Emma Francis-Smith
Harriette Perkins
Iris Dunn
Lillian Capen
Max Cast
Maya Sabatini
Mya Gilbert
Sophia Hamilton
Willia Myslivy
Andrew Flynn
Brooke Wright
Emma Milburn
Haven Bellerive
John Hamer
Julia Rossillon
Katie Williams
Lucy Schmidt
Marian Frick
Zoe Hamilton
Erika Nissen
Raegan Finkeldei
Samantha Williams
Seth Thompson-Glodich
Taylor Morstorf
Torri Kempf



Eagle Honor Roll (3.5-3.9 GPA)

Paige Helt, Alex Carrillo, Erin Doyle, Michael Williams, Noah Grace, Oscar Schmidt, Jason Uh, Molly Daugherty, Trenton Snyder, Alexis Foster, Chase Reed, Gavin Carver, Sophia DeWitt, Josh Woolverton, Sidney Yother, Morgan Uecker, Aaron Reed, Braden Augustine, Elise Graves, Anna DeWitt.

Looking Ahead

Jan 22 1st Reconciliation Parent Meeting
Jan 23 PTO Bingo
Jan 24 Future City competition
Jan 27 2nd gr. First Reconciliation
Jan 29 6:30-8 Science Fair/Open House
Jan 30 Game Day/Pizza Party/Jeans Day
Jan 31 Middle School Winter Formal
Feb 2 Mass/Presentation of the Lord
Feb 5 2:00 Geography Bee
Feb 10 Valentine Parties
Feb 11,12,13 No School Parent Conferences
Feb 17 9:45 3rd-5th to Lied Center
Feb 18 Ash Wednesday
Feb 19 8th gr to KU Engineer Expo
Feb 20 Crazy Hair Day
Feb 27 Talent Show
Mar 4 Marathon Club begins
Mar 6 1:30 Math Jeopardy
Mar 9 & 11 Spring Play auditions
Mar 11 7:00pm 1st Communion parent meeting
March 16-20 Spring Break
April 3 No School Good Friday
April 9 5th to Exchange City
April 10 Third Grade Store
April 23 Confirmation

