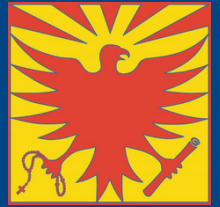




# ST. JOHN PARISH SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

March 7th, 2022



## Bookends During Parent Conferences

Bookends will be open from 8am-6pm on the March 9th and 10th during Parent Conferences. The cost for the day will be \$30. Lunch will be provided. Please email Elizabeth Rodas at erodas@sjeagles.com if you would like to reserve a spot.

## Kindergarten Round-Up

Our Kindergarten Round-Up will be on **March 25th**. Our morning sessions are for new families or families that are interested in enrolling at St. John. We will have two morning sessions at 9 AM and 10 AM. Our Round-Up will include activities for kids with Ms. Fewins and Ms. Frenya and a school tour for parents with Mr. Reffett. Our current Pre-K student and parents will have a session at 1PM on March 25th.

Here is the link to sign-up for the morning sessions. Please feel free to share with new families.

<https://signup.com/go/gOtgxGG>

## Open Positions

### 2nd grade Teacher

St. John Catholic School is currently looking for a 2nd grade teacher for the 2022-2023 school year. The responsibilities of this position will include teaching ELA, Science, and Religion. If interested please email Chris Reffett at creffett@sjeagles.com.

### Primary Level Interventionist

St. John Catholic School is currently looking for a primary level Interventionist for the 2022-2023 school year. The responsibilities of this position include supporting students in grades K-4 with classroom and small group intervention time. A background in Special Education would be helpful for this position. If interested please email Chris Reffett at creffett@sjeagles.com.

## ENROLLMENT FOR NEW FAMILIES

Enrollment for new families is open starting January 10th! We know that word of mouth is our best way for families to learn more about St. John. Please encourage families to reach out to take a tour and learn more about St. John. To set up a school tour, contact Mr. Reffett at creffett@sjeagles.com or call 785-843-9511.

## CASEY'S REWARDS PROGRAM

Another way to help support the school is to sign up for the Casey's Rewards program. Once you create your account, you can designate St. John to receive points that you earn.

## AMAZON SMILE PROGRAM

For every purchase you make, Amazon will donate a percentage directly to the school at no extra cost to you! You can shop smile.amazon.com or activate Smile on your Amazon app. Let us know if you have any questions on how to do this!

## CYO Director

St. John Parish is looking for a CYO Director for the 2022-2023 school year. The responsibilities of this position include organizing practice and game schedules, preparing for home games, and managing paperwork for participating athletes. If interested, please email Chris Reffett at [creffett@sjeagles.com](mailto:creffett@sjeagles.com)

## KAP Assessment

The window to begin the state KAP testing will begin on March 21st. Students in Grades 3-8 will be taking tests during this time.

## March Spirit Day

On March 21st we will be celebrating World Down syndrome day with our Funky Sock day. Join in celebrating 3/21 by wearing your funkiest socks!

## PTO Carnival

The date for our PTO Carnival will be May 13th this school year. We hope to have a fun day for our students on the 13th then a great night for our parents on the 14th.

## St. John Spring Fling - Save the Date

The 2nd Annual Spring Fling will be held on **May 14th**. Be sure to put it on your calendar. More details will be shared in the future.

## CYO Track & Field

Track & Field registration is now open!

<https://cyojwa.org/current-programs>

Regular Registration: January 28, 2022 – March 30, 2022

Late Registration: (\$25 Price increase): March 31, 2022 – April 6, 2022

Program Duration: March 7, 2022 – May 14, 2022

Track Meets: 4.9, 4.23, 4.30 and 5.7 (City Meet 5-8 Grade only)

## WAYS TO HELP THE SCHOOL

The school office has gift cards for Checkers, HyVee, and Merc if you would like to purchase. The school receives a percentage for each card purchased. Please call the school office at 785-843-9511 to purchase.

Do you shop at Dillons or HyVee? Both grocery stores have a rewards program that can help benefit our school. If you have one of their Shoppers cards, go to the Customer Service department to learn more about signing up for their school rewards program.

We are also continuing to sell trash bags if you are interested in purchasing through the office.

## BOOKENDS HELP NEEDED

Our Bookends (Before/ After School Care) program is up and running. We are still looking for a few more staff members to fill out the group. If you know of anyone that would like to apply, please have them email Chris Reffett at [creffett@sjeagles.com](mailto:creffett@sjeagles.com)

## Prayers & Thank Yous

- We pray for the students and staff of Olathe East High School as they return to school.
- Thank you to all the parents that helped out with our Make a Difference Saturday! We greatly appreciate your help in helping to freshen up our school.
- Thank you to all the parents that have donated and will be donating snacks to the teachers. It is greatly appreciated.

As always, please send us any prayers or messages or gratitude that you would like for me to include in the weekly newsletter.

## ST. JOHN BENEFIT AUCTION

The Annual St. John Auction will be held on November 12th, 2022. Be sure to put it on your calendar so you can join us for another wonderful event!

## Calendar: March

7	8	9	10	11	12
7th Grade Band/Orchestra Concert		Parent Conferences - No School	Parent Conferences - No School	No School	13
14	15	16	17	18	19
SPRING BREAK					20
21	22	23	24	25	26
Spirit Day Funky Sock Day					27

# PARISH NEWS



## Mass Celebrations

**Daily Masses:** Mon-Fri 7:30 a.m., Friday 12:10 p.m.  
Saturday - 8:00 a.m.

**Weekend Masses:** 4:30 p.m.  
Sunday - 7:00, 9:00 and 11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m. Spanish,  
5:00 p.m.

**Reconciliation:** Wednesday - 11:00 a.m. - Noon;  
Saturday - 3-4 p.m.; By appt only

## Bulletin

Here is the latest bulletin: <http://sjevangelist.com/bulletin>

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

### Confession Times during Lent

**Every Tuesday** from 7:00pm-8:00pm  
except April 12th, see below

**Every Wednesday** from 11:00am-noon  
6:15p-7:15pm  
no confessions April 16th

**Every Saturday** from 2:30pm-4:00pm

**March 28, 29, 30, 31** from 7:00pm-8:00pm

**April 12** from 6:00pm-8:00pm

## Now Hiring: Parish Coordinator

St. John Parish and School seeks a part-time parish coordinator. The parish coordinator will be responsible for the efficient use of parish facilities and managing supportive services. Candidates with 1-3 years work experience and bilingual (English/Spanish) are preferred. Please see full job description and requirements at: [www.sjevangelist.com/jobs](http://www.sjevangelist.com/jobs). Position will be open until filled. Please send cover letter and resume to Fr. John Cousins at: [frjohn@sjevangelist.com](mailto:frjohn@sjevangelist.com) or mail to: 1229 Vermont St., Lawrence, KS 66044

## Lenten Suggestions

Confession times, reflections, resources, and more!

Click banner above to view suggestions