



Upcoming Events

May 20th—Athletic Banquet

May 23rd—Awards Day—Gym—1:30pm

May 23rd-25th—Used Uniform Setup/Sale

May 26th—Kindergarten Graduation 10:30am

May 26th—LAST DAY OF SCHOOL—NOON DISMISSAL

NO BASC!

Used Uniform Sale

Used Uniform sale is next week. Flyers and inventory sheets are going out today! We need consignors! Please contact Megan Ehemann with questions misstee150@yahoo.com.

HONOR'S DAY PROGRAM

Students: 3-8 grades.

Location: School Gym (enter thru gym doors.)

Time: 1:30pm

Parents are invited.

The following areas will be recognized at Honor's Day on Monday, May 18th:

Diocesan Religion Scholars' Bowl	Geography Bee
Band Awards	Math Team
Newbery Reading Awards	Writing Awards
Woodman of the World	Duke Tip
National Junior Honor Society	Arbor Day
Science Fair	A Honor Roll
Yearbook	Safety Patrol
You be the Chemist	

† Mass Schedule †

Saturday Evening 5:30pm

Sundays 7:00am, 8:30am, 11:30am & 5:30pm

Weekdays

Monday—8:30am

Tuesday—6:15am & 8:30am

Wednesday—8:30am & 6:30pm

Thursday—8:30am & 6:30pm

Friday—8:30am

Holy Days 6:00am, 8:30am & 6:30pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday & Thursday 5:30pm—6:20pm

Saturday 3:30pm—5:00pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday—Thursday 9:00am—6:00pm Friday 9:00am—Noon

First Friday 9:00am-9:00pm First Saturday 9:00am—10:00am



News from the Business Office:

Financial documents are due May 20th.

All accounts must be settled before final report cards are mailed.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

A great big thank you to everyone who help out with Field Day this year. St. John's has a wonderful group of parents who jump at the chance to help make school events a wonderful time for the all the children, and this years Field Day was no exception. Thank you to the PTO and the cafeteria for their help as well. Thank you again to all who helped.



Ordering YEARBOOKS has been extended!

Place your order on-line at ybpay.lifetouch.com

enter code: **1985816**

Regular yearbook: \$35.00

Personalized Yearbook \$6.00 additional fee

FROM THE CLINIC:

Any student that has medication in the clinic needs to have it picked up before the end of school. Parents may begin to pick it up beginning Monday, May 23rd. If you are unsure about medication, please call ahead for verification or email kmurdzek@stjohnb.com.

All students with Epi-Pens are encouraged to wait until their student's last day to take these home.

Crusader Club News:

On-line registration for Fall 2016 Co-ed Soccer (grade K4-8), Volleyball (grades 5-8) and Cheerleading (grades 5-8) is now open. Visit the Crusader Club website, www.stjohnb.com/ccsite/registration to register.

COUNSLOR'S CORNER:

By PAMELA TIPPIT

LIFE WITHOUT BOUNDARIES

We all know that parenting is the most challenging yet rewarding job that you can have. But do you ever feel that it is not only challenging but all consuming, stressful, or anxiety-filled? Surveys show that the most prevalent problem parents' deal with today is NOT the internet, drugs, or even cell phones. It's lack of physical and emotional boundaries between parent and child. Living a life without setting boundaries with your children can leave you stressed, anxiety-ridden, physically and emotionally drained, and disrespected.

Structuring a life for your child that does not include conflict or the word "no" (and not the word "no" with a 100 word explanation around it) is not only creating an unrealistic relationship between parent and child, but an unrealistic and unhealthy relationship between the child and the world around them.

Even if parents do not set boundaries with their children, the world around them will. They will hear the word "no," people will upset them; they will be called upon to make a decision on their own. How will they do when they are met with these challenges? Not only does setting boundaries with your children improve the parent-child bond, but it prepares them for the world that awaits them.

How can you set appropriate, positive and appropriate boundaries? Try these tips:

Get your own "stuff" together so you can be a model for your children: Come to grips with your own feelings about authority, about boundaries and get really clear about it. It is hard to pass these values onto your children if you don't know this about yourself!

Be OK with not pleasing others, especially your children: Do you neglect to set boundaries because you fear conflict or making your child or others upset? Although it may not feel good to see other people unhappy, failing to set boundaries will leave YOU feeling unhappy, taken advantage of, and stressed. How effective can you be as a parent or in life if you are constantly feeling defeated? Setting appropriate boundaries promotes emotional growth for your child but for you personally as well.

Talk and explain LESS: Talking endlessly to a child, especially one under the age of 14, is not conducive to establishing appropriate boundaries. If you set limits, especially the ones that you feel are most important (i.e.-safety, respect) and they are clear and age appropriate. Why give a lengthy explanation as to why they are set (see #4)? If an explanation is needed, make it short, clear, and to the point. This allows for communication, if necessary, yet still allows you to be firm in setting limits.

Have children under the age of 14? Set the tone for the day: Children under 14 need firm boundaries and a lot of guidance. Allowing a very young child to call the shots for the schedule or their daily routine or other things, puts undue stress and pressure on them (and YOU!) because they do not have the experience or full cognitive ability to be efficient decision makers.

Practice setting boundaries daily!

Happy Summer!

SCRIP News:

Can you believe that this is the last full week of school? Thanks to everyone for their support of the SCRIP program this year. With your help, we have purchased over \$208K of SCRIP products earning a hard profit of \$12K. Please continue so we can surpass last year's \$214K total.

OnDemand SCRIP and SCRIP Vouchers are usually available in the school office during normal school hours. However, to give the teachers time to redeem their vouchers, please return SCRIP Voucher orders by Friday, May 20 for delivery on Monday, May 23. Thanks!

We still have a limited supply of the following cards - **Amazon \$10; Barnes & Noble \$5; Starbucks \$5 and Target \$10.** Or, you can reserve your order online at shopwithscrip.com for a full selection of gift cards available.

Current bonus rebates include: Albertsons 5%; **Caribou Coffee 7%**; Dave & Busters 15%; Fuddruckers 10%; **Red Robin 11%**; **Shutterfly 11%**; and SuperValu 5%

Colors 4 Kids

For the past several years, St John the Baptist Catholic School has participated in a program called "**Colors 4 Kids**". It is a local program that gives new and gently used school supplies to the less fortunate through organizations like the Boys & Girls Club of Madison County and local missions. Every year, over 15 boxes of school supplies have been delivered.

A week before school gets out for the summer, boxes will be placed in the school hallways for students and teachers to drop off supplies that are not needed - (For example: pencils, markers, erasers, notebooks, art supplies, anything that can be used to help this cause would be appreciated.) Boxes will be picked up the last day of school and sorted over the summer. Supplies will be delivered to the local missions before the beginning of the next school year.

We appreciate your help and donations.

Want to Sell UNIFORMS?

To consign your items and earn 70% of the profit, please do the following:

- Bring in items in **GOOD CONDITION** only. We accept uniforms purchased through Dennis-LaRose, spirit-wear purchased through the Crusader Club, and kindergarten nap mats. Good Condition means, no holes, no stains, no discoloration. If your item is not in Good Condition we will not attempt to sell it. Please take the time to carefully look over items you wish to consign.
- Complete the inventory sheet (posted at www.stjohnclubs.org/PTO) with items numbered, described and priced.
- Attach an index card with a safety pin to the top right side of each garment. The card should include all of the information from the inventory sheet. ***Item number on card must match item number on inventory sheet!***
- Altered items will be accepted, but alterations **must be clearly marked** on the index card.
- Items should be folded - NO HANGERS.
- Items **must** be dropped off in the **K-4 Wing** on Monday, May 23rd before 1:00pm. Carline drop-off is for DONATIONS ONLY.

CHANGES TO ACCEPTED ITEMS! PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!

- All khaki pants, khaki shorts, blue pants and blue shorts **MUST** have a Dennis OR LaRose emblem visible on the **OUTSIDE** of the garment.
- The emblem can be a tag or a button, but must say Dennis or LaRose and must be on the outside of the item.
- Uniforms without this logo will no longer be allowed. If you have questions please contact me.

For more information
or to volunteer,
contact
Megan Ehemann
misstee150@yahoo.com

Item # _____	
_____ (name)	
Item Description:	
Price:	Size:

Used UNIFORM Sale

**NEW LOCATION!!
St. John's K4 Wing**

Shoppers may enter the school from the South entrance at the K4 wing. Please look for signs!

Drop-off items: Monday May 23, 7:30-1:00
Sale dates: Tuesday May 24, 7:30-3:00
& Wednesday May 25, 7:30-9:30

Volunteer!
Work a shift during BOTH drop-off and sale, and you can shop early at the workers' sale on Monday May 23 @ 2:00.

**NOW Accepting
Credit/Debit Cards!**
Please be advised there will be a 3% charge added to your total for this service!

Want to donate UNIFORMS? Here's How:

Take the easy road...

Donate your items to the PTO!

For your convenience, volunteers will take your items from you during morning carline on Monday May 23rd, or you may drop off your items directly in the K-4 wing.

No tags, no inventory sheets, no work!!
Just hand your items to us, and we'll do the rest!

Name:

**** Please Check One of the Following regarding Unsold Items ****

I would like to donate unsold items to PTO

I would like to keep my unsold items and will pick them up by Thursday, May 26th.

(unsold items will be ready for pickup by Noon on Wednesday, May 25th)

****Items MUST be picked by Thursday May 26****

Unclaimed items will be donated to PTO!

Checks will be sent home to the address below.

Family Name, Grade and Class:

Check should be made & mailed to:

Name

Address

Please carefully complete the inventory sheet. This will be used to track your sales and calculate payment.

Total sold = _____

Multiplied by .70 = _____

Total Check amount = _____

Name:

Item #	Description	Size	Price	Sold	Comments
<i>Example</i>	<i>Boy's Navy Pants</i>	<i>5 Slim</i>	<i>\$9.00</i>		
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PTO Used Uniform PRICING GUIDE

~25% of Retail (less for worn items)

GIRLS

Peter Pan Blouse: \$3

Navy pants: \$5

Shorts: \$8

Jumper (grades K-4): \$15

Skorts (grades K-4 style): \$12

Skirts (grades 5-8 style): \$15

BOYS

Boys' Navy Shorts: \$4

Boys Khaki Shorts: \$5

Boys' Navy Pants: \$5

Boys Khaki Pants: \$6

White Button-downs: \$4

GIRLS and BOYS

Polo shirts - short sleeve: \$4

- long sleeve: \$5

Cardigan sweater: \$6

Pullover sweater: \$5

P.E. shorts: \$3

P.E. T-shirts: \$2

Fleece wear: \$5

Nylon jackets: \$10

Larose PE Sweats: \$4

Crusader Club Sweats: \$8