

# Weekly NEWSLETTER



St. John the Baptist Catholic School - [www.stjohnb.com](http://www.stjohnb.com)

February 12, 2025

## Upcoming Events

**Feb 13: Accepting Gala Donations from 7am-8:30am**

**Happi Pappi Beignets & Coffee Truck will be here!**

Feb 13: OUT of UNIFORM PTO FUNDRAISER, See Below

Feb 14: No School, Teacher Inservice Day

Feb 17: No School, Presidents' Day

Feb 19: School Mass at 8:30am

**Feb 20: St. John's School OPEN HOUSE from 5pm-6:30pm. The Public is Welcome to Attend!**

Feb 21: Middle School Social - See Flyer Below

Feb 26: School Mass at 8:30am



Tell friends and family that there is an **OPEN HOUSE** on **Thursday, February 20th from 5:00pm-6:30pm** for anyone who is interested in attending St. John's School for the 2025-2026 School Year. Come visit and see what Catholic Education has to offer!



## PTO VALENTINE FUNDRAISER

Being out of uniform is as sweet as candy! Support the PTO by bringing \$2.00 and a canned good for an out of uniform day on February 13th.

**02. 13.25**

Turn in money and the non-perishable items to their teachers tomorrow, February 13.

## We NEED Your Donations!

ANY Gala Basket items such as: bottles of wine; tickets to sporting events, plays, orchestra, electronics, vacations, books, household items. Be creative! Remember every dollar raised goes back to our kids!

**THURSDAY, February 13th** drop off donations and enjoy **Happi Pappi Beignets & Coffee Truck** from 7:15am-8:15am in the K4 Parking Lot.



Go to [www.benefitgala.info](http://www.benefitgala.info) or scan the qr code. Come join the fun!

TICKETS ON SALE!



**REGISTRATION IS OPEN TO ALL!**  
**CLICK HERE** for the 25-26 Re-Registration form for current SJS Students.

Registration for the 2025-2026 school year is open to **EVERYONE!!** **CLICK HERE** for 25-26 Application.

THANK YOU to all who have Registered :)



**The CHOOSE Act offers Alabama families up to \$7,000 for tuition and other qualifying educational expenses.**

**Applications are open NOW!**  
The application window closes April 7, 2025.

See below for more information.

**LANDS' END**

Buy uniforms and raise money for our school!! Lands End gift cards available through Raise Right or eCards on the app.



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Three decorative hearts in light blue, light tan, and light teal are positioned at the bottom of the page, partially cut off by the edge.

February 12, 2025

**PTO**  
*update*



*Tomorrow*

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Upcoming Events

**FEBRUARY**

**Thursday, 13th**  
Out of Uniform  
Valentine Fundraiser

**🌸 SPRING FLING — WE NEED YOU! 🌸**

If you're interested in joining the Spring Fling Committee  
Email us at [stjohnbpto@gmail.com](mailto:stjohnbpto@gmail.com) to get involved! 🌟

**SAVE THE DATE - Saturday, May 3rd**

ST. JOHN'S  
**PTO**

Check out the things PTO has accomplished for the 2024-2025 school year to date. We could not have done this without our amazing St. John's families! We're always looking for volunteers for everything from school events to staff hospitality! Come be a part of the fun!

2024 - 2025 at a Glance

For more information on how to get involved with the PTO, contact us at [stjohnbpto@gmail.com](mailto:stjohnbpto@gmail.com).



Over \$2,000 raised from Spirit Nights that support both the school and local businesses.



Over \$2,000 raised from Merchant Loyalty Programs at Kroger, Publix, and Box Tops for Education.



Used Uniform Sales help clear out your closets and shop for needed items for quickly growing kids at a fraction of the cost of buying new. These sales have raised over \$7,000



PTO helps support technology upgrades, playground maintenance, First Aid supplies, and School Clubs. Approximately \$9,000 has been put towards upgrades this year.



PTO shows appreciation to our amazing teachers through hospitality activities, providing them with up to \$250 a year for classroom material reimbursement.



By using Raise Right gift cards to do your shopping, you have helped us reach \$32,000 in physical gift card sales and earn over \$3,000 in online/app rebates.



PTO builds connections among parents, students, and school staff through support of events like the Advent Program Reception and Spring Fling.

# Middle School Social

**When:** Friday, February 21, 2025

**Time:** 6:30pm – 8:30pm

**Where:** Gym and Café

**Admission Price:** Donation to support the  
SVdP backpack program



## What Can I Bring?

**6th Grade:** Ramen, Canned Soup

**7th Grade:** Microwave Cups, Mac/Cheese,  
Rice, Pasta, Rice-a-roni

**8th Grade:** Breakfast Oatmeal Packs, Grits Packs,  
Boxed 100% Juice



## COME JOIN THE FUN!!



### Activities in Gym:

Gaga Pit,  
9-Square in the Air  
1/2 Court Basketball

### Activities in Café:

Table Tennis  
Connect 4  
Giant Jenga



The poster features a dark purple background with scattered gold confetti. It is decorated with several ornate masquerade masks in shades of purple and green, some with gold outlines and sparkling details. Green palm fronds and purple feathers are also scattered throughout. Two golden trumpets are positioned on the left and right sides. The text is centered and uses a mix of purple, green, and gold colors.

FRIDAY MORNING  
DONATIONS

# KREWESADER BALL

WHAT WE NEED

SILENT AUCTION BASKETS

WINE WHEEL WINE

PLINKO LIQUOR BOTTLES

THE GALA TEAM WILL BE IN  
THE K4 PARKING LOT EVERY  
FRIDAY MORNING FROM 7:15-8:15

*Two Special Weeks  
Coffee, Hot Cocoa & Beignets*

HAPPI PAPPI FOOD TRUCK WILL BE JOINING US  
ON FRIDAY JANUARY 31ST AND THURSDAY  
FEBRUARY 13TH FROM 7:00AM-8:30AM AND  
YOU WILL BE ABLE TO PURCHASE BEIGNETS,  
COFFEE AND HOT COCOA WHILE WE COLLECT  
DONATIONS. A PORTION OF YOUR PURCHASE  
WILL GO TOWARDS OUR FUNDRAISING EFFORT.

# St. John the Baptist Catholic School

## What is the School Advisory Council?

**The Advisory Council serves an important mission as advisors to the Principal and the Pastor.**

### **The Council:**

- **helps promote the school**
- **builds consensus with the parish**
- **develops strategic plans and goals**

The St. John the Baptist School Advisory Council will be holding an open information session for prospective members on **Monday, March 3rd at 6:00pm** in the school library.

School employees and their spouses, Pastoral Council members, PTO officers, and members of the same household are not eligible to be members. Advisory Council members must be acting members at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, but you are not required to be a parent at the school.

Please prayerfully consider the ministry of the council as a way to give your gift of time.

If you have any questions, please reach out to Kathleen Lavalley, Advisory Council Chair, at [Kathleen.Lavalley456@gmail.com](mailto:Kathleen.Lavalley456@gmail.com).



# Order a Yearbook

Memories are beautiful!

Tier 1: Available now through January 17th

\$45

Tier 2: Orders placed January 18th - March 21st

\$49

Tier 3: Orders placed March 22nd - May 23rd

\$53

Personalization will be an additional \$6 per book.

Please make sure *names* are entered *correctly* as that is how they will appear on the front cover.

To order yearbooks scan the QR code below




or visit the link:

<https://shop.yearbookmarket.com/stjohnthebaptistcatholicschool>



St. John the Baptist  
Catholic School  
Madison, AL





**SAVE THE DATE**

**GRANDPARENT'S**

**TEA**

**Friday,  
April 25, 2025**