

St. John the Baptist Catholic School
Newsletter



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CANS FOR CANDY - school wide service project

Thank you to all who sent in items for SVdP. We collected 312 cans last week. Congratulations to the students in the Home of Peace, who collected the most amount of cans during the first week! They were followed closely by the Home of Faith and Love. On Tuesday, we will find out which Home will win the out-of-uniform pass for Friday, 5/19. Please continue to send in items from the list below. While our school's competition will end on May 25th, you may continue to donate throughout the summer when attending the Sunday mass.

NJHS

Regular Pantry Items:

- Family size cereal boxes
- Pancake mix
- Peanut Butter (plastic container)
- Jelly strawberry or grape (plastic container)
- Fruit Cocktail
- Baked Beans
- Hamburger Helper
- Diapers (larger sizes)

Backpack Program Items:

- Bag/pouch chicken
- Bag/pouch tuna
- Condensed soup 10.75 oz any flavor
- Poplid single serve beanee weenees
- Single serve boxed raisins or yogurt raisins



Reminders from the Business Office:

All current families:

- Please make sure outstanding balances are paid by the end of the school year as a financial hold will cause a delay in delivery of final report cards and/or transcripts.
- If you participate in the lunch/BASC draft, the financial draft will occur May 31st unless you make arrangements for a different date with the Business Office by May 24th.

Returning Families for school year 2023-2024:

- Draft forms for the school year 2023-2024 were due to the Business Office by May 1st. Please return them as soon as possible if they are still outstanding.

New Families for the school year 2023-2024:

- The Business Office will be emailing financial documents by May 15th. Please return them by the end of May.

Please contact Annette Stipak with questions.

Thank you.

Upcoming Events:

- 05/22/23—8th Grade Graduation in the church
- 05/23/23—Used Uniform Drop Off
- 05/24/23—Used Uniform Sale
- 05/25/23—School Mass at 8:30 am
- 05/25/23—Kindergarten Graduation at 10:00 am
- 05/25/23—Last Day of School—Noon Dismissal
NO AFTERCARE

Event: Spirit Night at Jeremiah's

When: Monday May 22nd

Where: Jeremiah's Italian Ice,
181 Hughes Rd Madison

Time: All Day



Celebrate the last week of school at Jeremiah's!
Tell them you are with St. John's School and we will received 20% of your purchase!

Used Uniform Consignor Instructions



DETAILS

DROP OFF
Tuesday, May 23
7:30am - 9:30am
Parish Hall

SALE
Wednesday, May 24
7:30am - 12:30pm
2:30pm - 3:30pm
Parish Hall

DONATION

Don't want to mess with all of it?

JUST DONATE!

Donate your items to the PTO. For your convenience, volunteers will be accepting your items on the drop off day. Great way to donate to our PTO!

**NO TAGS,
NO INVENTORY,
NO WORK!**

VOLUNTEER

Want to Help?

Contact
Katie Thompson
katiemaythompson@gmail.com
256-797-4097

The Nitty Gritty

- Items must be in **GOOD CONDITION**. That means, no holes, no stains, and no discoloration. If your item is not in good condition, we will not attempt to sell it.
- Items should be clean.
- Items should be folded.
- If an item has been altered (hemmed or let-out), please make a note of that on the tag.
- We can **ONLY** accept and sell Dennis Uniforms. They **MUST** have a logo on the outside of the garment (pants and shorts only).
- **PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE** ... only attach your tag with a **SAFETY PIN**. No staples or straight pins. This is to protect the garment (and our fingers). If you need safety pins, we have lots and are happy to share. Just ask!

What's Next?

1. Complete the inventory sheet with item numbers, description, size, and price.
2. Attach a tag with a **SAFETY PIN** to the top right side of the garment. Please use the tag template provided.
3. Drop off your items and **CHECK IN**. Items must be dropped off at the Parish Hall on Tuesday, May 23, 2023, between 7:30 am - 9:30 am. If you are consigning, you must come in and check in your items.
- ★ 4. Unless otherwise indicated, PTO will keep your items for the next sale. Tags will remain on the garments and you will receive payment for those items.
5. If you wish to have your items returned, please indicate on your Consignor Info Sheet.

Items Not Accepted

- ★ LaRose Uniforms
- ★ Spirit Shirts
- ★ Socks
- ★ Non-Classroom approved Crusader Wear (ie: hoodies)
- ★ Activity Shirts or Uniforms for extracurricular activities (band, cheer, scouts, soccer, etc.)

Tagging Examples



Item #: 1
NAME: JONES
Item Description:
SHORT SLEEVE GREEN POLO
Size: SMALL 7/8
Price: \$8

PTO Used Uniform Pricing



| UNISEX SHIRTS | |
|---------------------------------------|------|
| Short Sleeve Green/White | \$8 |
| Short Sleeve Green DryFit | \$11 |
| Long Sleeve Green/White | \$9 |
| Short Sleeve Oxford (Grade 5th - 8th) | \$10 |
| Long Sleeve Oxford (Grade 5th - 8th) | \$12 |
| PE | |
| Cotton Shirt | \$3 |
| Cotton Shorts | \$3 |
| DryFit Shirt | \$6 |
| OUTERWEAR | |
| Vest | \$13 |
| Pullover Sweater | \$16 |
| Cardigan Sweater | \$18 |
| Crusader Sweatshirt | \$9 |
| Nylon Jacket | \$12 |

| BOYS | |
|--|------|
| Navy Shorts (Grade K5 - 4th) | \$9 |
| Khaki / Navy Shorts (Grade 5th - 8th) | \$10 |
| Navy Pants (Grade K5 - 4th) | \$12 |
| Khaki / Navy Pants (Grade 5th - 8th) | \$12 |
| GIRLS | |
| Plaid Jumper (Grade K5 - 4th) | \$19 |
| Plaid Skort (Grade K5 - 4th) | \$18 |
| Plaid Skirt (Grade 5th - 8th) | \$17 |
| Plaid Shorts (Grade K5 - 4th) | \$13 |
| Plaid / Khaki Shorts (Grade 5th - 8th) | \$13 |
| Navy Pants (Grade K5 - 4th) | \$11 |
| Navy / Khaki Pants (Grade 5th - 8th) | \$11 |
| Peter Pan Blouse (Grade K5 - 4th) | \$8 |

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From Our IT Department

Recap: What Should I Know About My Kids' Technology?

What kinds of things should parents know about their kids' technology? These are things we try to do during school hours. To present a united front, these are great things for parents to incorporate into their home lives as well:

1. **Monitor their usage:** It's important for parents to keep an eye on their children's technology usage, especially when they are young. Parents should set appropriate limits on the amount of time their kids spend on devices, and ensure that they are using age-appropriate content.
2. **Talk about internet safety:** It's essential to educate children about the dangers of the internet and how to protect themselves from cyberbullying, online predators, and inappropriate content. Parents should also teach their children about responsible online behavior, including the importance of respecting others' privacy.
3. **Understand the technology:** Parents should make an effort to understand the technology their children are using, such as social media platforms and gaming systems. This will help them better understand the potential risks and challenges that come with these platforms and ensure that their children are using them appropriately.
4. **Lead by example:** Children often learn by example, so it's essential for parents to model healthy technology habits themselves. Parents should limit their own screen time and avoid using devices during family time or other important events.
5. **Foster open communication:** Parents should create a safe space for their children to talk about their technology experiences, both positive and negative. This will help parents stay informed and allow them to provide guidance and support when needed.

Overall, it's important for parents to take an active role in their children's technology use and ensure that they are using it safely and responsibly.