

FYI FLICKER
St. John the Apostle School

APRIL 22, 2010

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2008 Nationally Recognized Blue Ribbon School

Apr. 26	Monday	SAC Meeting, 7:00 p.m. (Date Change)
Apr. 27	Tuesday	Red Robin Night
Apr. 30	Friday	No School
May 3	Monday	No School
May 5	Wednesday	Spirit Day
May 7	Friday	May Crowning after Mass Sports Banquet,
May 10	Monday	PK/K Conferences
May 12	Tuesday	Field Day K-8
May 14	Friday	SJS Golf Tournament, 1:00pm

MENU FOR APRIL 26 to APRIL 30

- Mon. Apr. 26 Grilled Ham Sub, Macaroni & Cheese, Green Beans, Applesauce, Milk, Juice or Blt Water**
- Tues. Apr. 27 Baked Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Glazed Carrots, Cornbread, Milk, Juice or Btl Water**
- Wed. Apr. 28 Baked Ravioli, Garden Salad w/Ranch, Garlic Bread, Fruit, Milk, Juice or Blt. Water**
- Thurs. Apr. 29 Pizza, Mixed Veggies, Fruit, Milk, Juice or Btl. Water**
- Fri. Apr. 30 NO SCHOOL**

DID YOU KNOW

- that Abby Martinez donated 12 inches of her hair to the Locks of Love organization which provides hairpieces to financially disadvantaged children suffering from long-term medical hair loss. Awesome job, Abby!
- that SJS alumni and Nolan band students; Taylor Blazi, Brandon Ramos, Khanh Nguyen, and Thuy-Nhu Nguyen made straight superior ratings at the TPSMEA North Region Concert & Sight-Reading Contest held at Bishop Lynch High School in Dallas on Friday, April 9th. Congratulations for a job well done!
- that St. John School had the highest percentage of students attending the Stephen Breen Memorial Spirit Games held at Nolan and won the Spirit Stick for 2010. Way to go students!

HOST FAMILIES NEEDED

We have enrolled 53 new students for the 2010-2011 school year. If you would like to help make a family's adjustment easier, please e-mail April Nottingham at acnott1@sbcglobal.net Part of being a "**Blue Ribbon School**" is making sure we are the BEST at what we do. Please consider helping us welcome one of our new families to SJS.

St. John the Apostle Catholic School provides a high quality Catholic education that promotes the development of the whole child

PRESIDENT'S VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD

St. John School will formally thank all of its volunteers on **May 21 (DATE CHANGE)** at the Volunteer Mass and brunch. Additionally, volunteers who have donated over 100 hours to the school will be recognized with the President's Volunteer Service Award from the President's Council on Service and Civic Participation. In order to receive these awards by May 21, the school needs to turn in all documented service hours, both Educational Support and non-ESP hours, to this organization as soon as possible. If you have not turned in any earned service hours, please do so by contacting Barb Krueger at 817-590-4574 or bmkrueger@sbglobal.net as soon as possible.

Thank you to ALL our volunteers! Our school truly benefits from your generous contribution of time and talent.

ST. JOHN SAFE ENVIRONMENT SCHEDULE

All volunteers working at St. John School must have attended the Safe Environment Class. The class is good for three years. St. John Church is offering the following classes:

May 11	6:00PM to 8:00PM	FLC Meeting Room South	Retraining
May 16	1:00PM to 4:00PM	Resource Center	Training
July 10	9:00AM to Noon	Resource Center	Training
July 20	6:30PM to 8:30PM	Resource Center	Retraining

ART CAMP

Art Camp will be held June 14th-25th. Come join the fun. For more info you may email Mrs. Hernandez @ chernandez@stjs.org or see flyer on RenWeb under Resource Documents.

HOME AND SCHOOL

Golf Tournament, Friday, May 14, 2010 at Iron Horse

The scramble format provides an opportunity for beginner golfers to participate; no experience necessary. Invite your friends, family, and co-workers for a fun-filled Friday afternoon. Dinner and prizes will be provided. Non-players are welcome to attend dinner for \$10 per person. Not a golfer? Be a Sponsor! We need your help to make this year's event the best yet.

Volunteers are also needed throughout the day, starting with the first shift at 10:30 am for set-up, second shift at 1:30 pm once tee-off begins, for dinner set-up around 4:30 pm and clean-up shortly after.

Dinner items are once again being requested such as bread, rolls, salads, and side dishes. More information will be forthcoming.

If you would like to help, please contact Sandra Gonzalez , 817-235-6552, or visit the website, www.stjs.org and click on Giving/Events.

TALENT SHOW

Friday, April 23rd at 7:00PM.

FALL FESTIVAL 2010

Home & School will be sponsoring bounce house and games for next school year's Fall Festival. We are always in need of prizes for our games. Please save all those fast food toys and cereal prizes as well as anything you think would be fun to recycle and use as a prize. It saves us money by reusing these items and the kids love them. When you get a bag full simply drop them into the collection box in the school office.

If you have a great idea for a game and would like to create, build and set it up for us, please let us know.

We're looking for someone with a little bit of artistic ability. We have several games which need to be updated by repainting.

If you can help out, please contact Suzie FitzGibbon suzifitz@mac.com

SPORTS

Upcoming Events – Sports Banquet – Friday, May 7th

Sports banquet is for students in grades 6, 7, and 8 who participated in any sports activities, and their families this year.

Sports fees are past due - If you still owe fees for sports, baseball and softball fees are \$40.00 and track fee is \$20.00.

BOOTS ‘N BOWTIES AUCTION 2010

It’s never too early to start preparing for the Boots ‘N Bowties Auction, which will be held on Saturday, November 6, 2010. With the success of the Auction Home Parties we held last October, we are going to continue this year.

Please, consider hosting a party for your child’s grade. Hosting a party in June, July, August, September or October is a great opportunity. Hosts will receive 5 ESP hours. Hosts may be individuals or families may get together to host a party. This year, we are going to try and not have more than one grade hosting a party during any given date. So, sign up early and get the time you want approved.

Please, send your name and the grade level you would like to host to: auction@sjts.org.

STEWARDSHIP MASS SCHEDULE

SJS students are invited to share their time and talent in parish ministry by participating in a Sunday Mass celebration each month. Sign in at the back of church when you arrive at the Masses listed below. The corresponding “Out of Uniform” days are also listed.

Mass	Out of Uniform Day
▪ Saturday, May 22, 5:00 p.m.	Wednesday, May 26

Students may participate as an altar server, assist with the offertory collection, participate in the procession of the gifts, and hand out bulletins. Students are to dress in **full uniform** in order to receive an OOU day. This includes SJS cardigans, shoes, belts, shirts tucked in, and ties unless kept in teacher’s room. If you are **scheduled** to be a Mass server, please sign in to acknowledge your participation. Others are welcome to serve as long as they do not displace anyone on the schedule. Mass servers are not required to wear their uniforms under the server robes. If you have questions, please call Karen Kallas at 817-284-2727 or Cindy Brewington at 817-496-4995. Otherwise, just show up in your uniform and remember to sign in at the back of church!

TOM THUMB REWARD CARD

We received \$88.85 from Tom Thumb for the first quarter. Thank you for linking your Tom Thumb Reward card to St. John the Apostle Catholic School!

PATZUN STORE

Third grade will have their annual Patzun Store open on Tuesday, April 27th. Proceeds are sent to our sister parish mission in Patzun, Guatemala. The store will be open during all lunch periods in classrooms 23 & 24. Products are handmade by the students. Donations are also accepted.