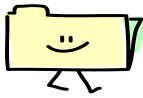


JAGUAR JOURNAL

St. John the Baptist School



January 10, 2020



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A MESSAGE FROM MRS. HERRMANN

Being this is the first Jaguar Journal since Christmas break...Welcome back! I hope you all had a wonderful Christmas and New Year's. Thank you for all the wonderful gifts and homemade treats!

IMPORTANT: In the last several Jaguar Journal's there has been information about applying for financial aid for the 2020-2021 school year through the Catholic Education Foundation. The deadline for this is January 31st. This same application is also used to determine financial aid through the parish. Current families who are interested in seeking financial aid for the 2020-2021 school year for St. John's must apply for through CEF first by January 31st using your 2018 tax documents. Then families have until April 15, 2020 to upload their 2019 tax documents to the application. Please follow the link to apply:

<https://catholicbestchoice.org/tuition-aid/k-8-tuition-information/>

Our Open House is right around the corner on Sunday, January 26th from 12:30-2:30 (please note the time change from previous years.) This is a great opportunity for our current and prospective families to see everything St. John's has to offer your child. In order to make this even run smoothly, we are in need of many volunteers both students and parents. You should have received an email with a sign-up genius to volunteer. Thank you in advance for your help and support!

Our Kindergarten Information evening is Wednesday, January 22nd at 6:30 in the cafeteria. Please spread the word to anyone who is interested in our Kindergarten program for next year!

Do you know word of mouth is by far a school's biggest way of marketing themselves to the community? Please share with friends, neighbors, family, etc about St. John's. Let them know about our Open House on January 26th!

Our next quarterly awards ceremony will be Friday, January 17th after Mass. Students who have been nominated by their teachers will be recognized and have donuts from Dunkin Donuts, and juice afterwards. 2nd quarter report cards will go home Tuesday, the 14th.

Please bundle up your children when you send them to school. We really like to go outside for recess as much as possible, so it is important that each child has a coat, hat, and gloves.

Also, please mark your calendars that school will not be in session on February 3rd. This is a day off school for the reward of meeting our walk-a-thon goal!

For What Matters Most

2020-2021 Tuition Assistance Grants



The Catholic Education Foundation for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati will once again be able to offer over \$2 million in tuition assistance grants for the 2020-2021 school year.

Families of elementary students (K-8) may apply for needs-based assistance between now and January 31, 2020.

Please visit www.CatholicBestChoice.org for more details and instructions on how to apply.



CATHOLIC EDUCATION FOUNDATION TUITION AID GRANTS

The Catholic Education Foundation for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati is currently accepting applications for 2020-2021 elementary school (K-8) tuition assistance grants. All grants are needs-based and can be used at any Catholic elementary school within the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. Typically, awards have ranged from \$250 to \$1,200 per qualified student.

How to apply: www.catholicbestchoice.org

Deadline: January 31, 2020

The Catholic Education Foundation tuition aid program became a reality in 2017-2018 through the One Faith, One Hope, One Love Capital Campaign. Due to the generosity of your parish, the Catholic Education Foundation will again be able to offer over \$2,000,000 in financial aid!

JUNE 26TH - 28TH 2020

ST JOHN FESTIVAL

MUSIC LINEUP

JOURNEY TRIBUTE
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CONCERT

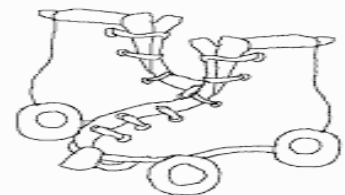
ALSO PERFORMING:

26-28 JUNE THE BILLY ROCK BAND
BLUE CHIP BIG BAND
MIKE DAVIS
AND MANY MORE...

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Roller Skating

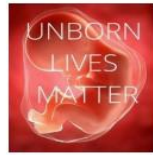
Students in Grade 1 - 4 will be participating in the Skatertime Program which brings roller skating to our school. All students will have a chance to skate during their Physical Education periods and learn this lifetime activity. It will help them with balance, coordination, rhythm, and is a great cardio workout. Please look for a yellow letter to come home with your child for more information. Any questions may be directed to Mrs. Ziegler. Thanks!



Baseball

Baseball sign ups are open until the 13th! Boys 4 and up can register. Please follow the link to register.

<https://sports.bluesombrero.com/Default.aspx?tabid=573884>



IT'S A BABY SHOWER!



Please help Pregnancy Center West (PCW) by dropping off unwrapped baby items in the gathering space the weekend of January 19. There will be a pack and play to set donated items in. Girl Scout Troop 45345 will be collecting the items, as part of their Marian award requirement, to be donated to PCW to help struggling mothers who are choosing life. Most wanted items include:diapers, baby wipes, formula, baby shampoo(wash and lotion), baby blankets(especially for newborns), "Onesies"/Receiving sets, Childrens clothes up to 5T, Etc.
ALL DONATIONS WELCOME!

Youth Group Happenings in January Sunday's 4pm-7pm

Come join us this month! In January we will:

- Explore Matthew 14 and how does fear drives world, national and our own decisions
- Have an Epiphany Party at Harrison Bowl on January 12 (More information to come)
- Guest speakers talking about their RCIA experience
- Continue building our table and tools
- And much more

Contact Eric Barrow for details
@513-349-1629 or
win8514019@gmail.com

Attention all Fathers!
Join the Fathers Team

The Fathers Team is a group of men who work together as they grow as Fathers, husbands and grandfathers. Benefits for joining the group are:

- Catholic topics that will help you grow in your vocation
- Support of other fathers and husbands who understand
- Ideas on handling "dad" issues
- Support of grandfathers who have been fathers themselves
- Flexible attendance policy

For more information contact us:
Email: Fathers.team.SJB@gmail.com
Phone: Nick Vanluit 513-503-5219
or Bill Sirbu 513-404-9057

Where: St. John the Baptist, Community Room New Church
When: Friday mornings from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 a.m.



**FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY**

St. Johns YMCA before and after school care is currently taking enrollment for children grades k-5th.

Site Hours:
6:30 AM – 8:30 AM and 3:30 PM – 6:00 PM

Tuition:
Full time: AM \$35 per week PM \$45 per week Both \$70 per week
Part time: AM \$22 per week PM \$32 per week Both \$45 per week

Full time is 4 or more days a week
Part time is 3 days or less a week.

Scholarships:
We do offer scholarships for our before and after school programs. Families who qualify can receive up to 35% off of our tuition rates.

Applications are made available at the school office.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact our Senior Program Director-Family Life,

Danniel Galbraith, at the YMCA at 513-923-4466 EXT. 2549, dgalbraith@myv.org

5th and 6th Grade Retreat

**Saturday,
January 18, 2020
9:00—11:30 a.m.**

Contact Teresa Palmer
at 513-367-9086 x 218
for more details.