



ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL
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WILDCATS WEEKLY

March 12, 2020

Principally Speaking Spring Break: March 16-20

Hey ... let's take a break. We've worked diligently at school since January 6 ... we've had a lot of activities, sports and music events, lots of fun and lots of homework. Let's take some time to simply rest and relax. Let's take spring break!

Spring break is a great opportunity for our children to spend a week relaxing, laughing, playing and spending time with their friends and family. My prayer is that our entire school community will have a restful, relaxing, and enjoyable week away from school. I also pray that we will come back on Mon, Mar 23 with a refreshed and renewed energy to accomplish the many tasks in front of us in the last quarter of the school year ... we still have lots of teaching and learning to do before the end of this year. May God bless our travels, our rest, and our family time in the next week.



K-8 Grandparents Day

Friday, March 13

- 8:00am. Meet in gym for coffee and donuts.
- 8:30am. Program begins (gym).
- 9:00am. Visit classrooms for special project or activity.
- 10:15am. Meet in church for special activities and skit show.
- Student dismissal at 12:00noon.

We value your partnership and we want to "thank you" for the support and encouragement that grandparents show their grandchildren. Pray that this day will be a blessing to our grandparents and our school.



School Newsletter Info

Submit newsletter info to the school office by Tuesday to be included in the next publication.

Flu Season



We are in the "flu season". To help us reduce the flu transmission in our school, please impress the importance of good personal health and hygiene habits such as: not touching your eyes, nose or mouth; frequent hand washing (with soap and water); covering coughs and sneezes; avoiding close contact with sick people; and staying home if you are sick.

For more info on the flu and flu shots, contact your family physician.

Upcoming Dates

Mar 29	5-8 Choir @ 10:50am
Apr 2	School Spring Picture Day
Apr 3	TJ's Pizza Orders Due
Apr 10	NO SCHOOL: Good Friday
Apr 11	Easter Egg Hunt
Apr 13	NO SCHOOL: Easter Monday

Severe Weather



As part of our emergency preparedness plan, we practice our weather emergency procedures to safeguard our students and staff. Pray that God will protect us and keep us safe at school and at home.

Report Cards: March 12



Report cards will be sent home with K-8 students on Thu, March 12. A parent's attitude at report card time can set the tone for a

child's success in school. Consider this:

- Praise your child. Find the good things on the report card: grades, behavior, attendance, etc.
- If you have a concern, contact the teacher after talking with your child about any poor grades or comments.
- Work together with the teacher and your child to solve "problems" ... identify the issues and offer possible solutions.

2020-2021 Tuition

Tuition rates and school fees for the 2020-2021 school year are posted at stjohnsarnold.org/info. Questions? Contact the school office.

New family and student enrollment.

Go to stjohnsarnold.org/enroll for info or contact the school office to begin the enrollment process.

ST. JOHN'S FINANCIAL AID. Go to your TADS account, select the Financial Aid tab to submit your application (due by April 1).

LESA SCHOLARSHIP applications are due by April 1. For info, go to lesastl.org/tuition-aid/



All volunteers who work directly with children at St. John's Lutheran Church and School must follow the CAPP certification guidelines. **You must pre-register online for the CAPP training at www.surveymonkey.com/r/SJL-CAPP**

www.sjlsarnold.org

We want our school website to be a resource tool for parents. Keep us informed ... let us know if we should add info to our site.



SCHOOL CALENDAR and ACTIVITIES

Thu	Mar 12	Grades 5-8 Skit Show	6:30pm
Fri	Mar 13	K-8 Grandparents Day	
		Grades 5-8 Skit Show	10:30am
Fri	Mar 13	Dismissal	12:00noon
Mon-Fri	Mar 16-20	NO SCHOOL: Spring Break	
Tue	Mar 24	School Board	7:00pm
Wed	Mar 25	Chapel: Lent	8:30am
		March Baptism Celebration	
Thu	Mar 26	CAPP Training	6:30pm
Fri	Mar 27	Grade 4 Trip	
Sun	Mar 29	Grades 5-8 Choir	10:50am



Orders Due: Fri, Apr 3

Support our school with our spring TJ's Pizza fundraiser:

- Order forms were distributed to children this week.
- Orders are due Fri, Apr 3.
- Checks payable to: St. John's PTL.
- Pickup orders on Thu, Apr 23.

Summer Camp 2020

Enroll Today! St. John's hosts a summer camp for children age 3 (by July 31) through entering Fourth Grade (Fall 2020). Camp begins on Mon, Jun 1. Enrollment info available at: stjohnsarnold.org/summercamp.



School Attendance

As an accredited school, we monitor student attendance:

- Call the office @ 636-464-7303 (select option 1) or send a message to the teacher on days when your child is absent from school.
- K-8 students are expected to be in the classroom and ready for school by 8:15am each school day.

AUCTION 2020 PLANNING COMMITTEE



Our auction planning committee needs your help. We need parent volunteers in these areas:

- Promotion/Ticket Sales
- Solicitation/Donations
- Event Coordination
- Contact Joy Lara at 636-633-5696 or jlara2676@gmail.com for info.

LHSS Scholar Bowl

The LHSS Scholar Bowl is canceled for this year due to the increasing awareness of potential sickness.

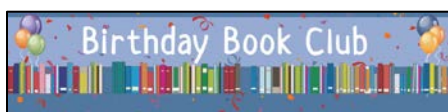
DADDY
Daughter
DANCE

Friday, April 17 • 7-10pm • Gym

Scrip Program

Thanks for supporting our school through the Scrip program. All families (PS-8) must purchase Scrip cards from the school; average \$300 per month (for 10 months). The Scrip cards profits are used to offset school budget expenses. Families may "buy out" of the Scrip card program by paying \$75 per semester.

Scriptips Not sure how much Scrip you need for your shopping trip or to fill the gas tank? Scrip cards can be ordered and refilled online through www.shopwithscrip.com. Some refilled cards can earn our school a higher percent than the cards you purchase at school.



Celebrate your child's special day by donating a book in their honor to the school library. Find the Birthday Book Club form at stjohnsarnold.org/info.



Support Care Connections at a CycleBar Fundraiser on **Sun, April 19 at 1:30pm** at CycleBar (Creve Coeur). Participants will enjoy a 45-minute stationary cycle ride class complete with an instructor followed by a social gathering with light snacks. \$25/per person. Space is limited; register [here](#). For info, call or text Lauren Stone at 636-224-8137.

School Yearbooks



We need pics of sports, field trips, classroom, or school-related pictures for our school yearbook. Upload your pics at www.plicbooks.com/go/ZXtFq



Join us for worship at St. John's on Wednesdays during Lent.



Order tickets at lhsastl.org/cardinals



REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

May 26 - 29

Boys & Girls Golf
Grades 5-8 & 9-12
Boys Basketball
Grade 9
Girls Basketball
Grade 9-12
Girls Soccer
Grade 5-8

June 1 - 5

Girls Softball
Grades 6-8 & 9-12
Boys & Girls Basketball
Grades K-2
Girls Basketball
(Skills & Competition)
Grade 3-8

June 8 - 12

Girls Tennis
Grades 6-8 & 9-12
Boys Soccer
Grades 3-6
Baseball
Grades 3-5, 6-8 & 9-12
Girls Volleyball
Grades 5-6, 7-8, 9-10 & 11-12
Boys Volleyball
Grades 9-12

June 15 - 19

Baseball
Grades 9-12
Boys Basketball
Grades 3-4, 5-6, 7-8
Cheerleading
Grades 2-8
Girls Field Hockey
Grades 6-8

June 22 - 26

Dutch Touch
Boys & Girls Soccer
Grades 7-12
Lancerettes Dance Camp
Grades 1-8

July 27 - 29

Football
Grades 5-8

For more information and to register, visit LSLANCERS.ORG/SUMMER

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The Teachers' Lounge & St. John Lutheran School Summer Bridge Activities Fundraiser

Keep learning alive all summer with *Summer Bridge Activity Books* and *Summer Skills Activity Packs* while raising money for our school!



To all Parents of **St. John Lutheran School**:

The Teachers' Lounge, St. Louis' finest parent/teacher store, is helping our students continue their learning journey throughout the summer months while helping our school earn money through a unique fund-raising program.

The Teachers' Lounge is offering two options to our students this year-- *Summer Bridge Activity Workbooks* and *Summer Skills Activity Packs*. *Summer Bridge Activity Workbooks* are divided into three sections: two of review from the previous year and one of preview for the upcoming year. Each workbook through grade 4 also includes an online component with games and activities. Your cost for each workbook is only **\$14.99** plus tax.

Summer Skills Activity Packs are packed with even more learning fun! Each kit includes a *Summer Bridge Activity Workbook* plus an additional game and workbook to promote even more math and reading review. Each game and workbook has been specially selected to support learning at your child's specific grade level. Your cost for each activity pack is only **\$27.99** plus tax.

Our school will earn **\$3.00** for every book and activity pack that is purchased through this program. Plus, with each book or kit purchased, every parent will receive a coupon for **\$3.00** off any purchase at The Teachers' Lounge this summer!

If you would like to place an order, simply follow the link below. All orders are placed online and paid for with credit card this year. No forms to print or turn in! No more check payments! Online order system shuts down at 11:59 PM **April 24th**. All orders will be delivered to your child through school the week of May 11th.

https://www.the-teachers-lounge.com/summer_bridge.html

What is The Teachers' Lounge?

Located in Ronnies Plaza (across the parking lot from the movie theater), The Teachers' Lounge features educational supplies, games, and toys for all ages. Teachers, as well as parents and grandparents, can find great products that make learning fun.

If you have any questions about this program, please contact

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