



VIKING VOICE

Volume 8 Issue 14

Friday, May 11, 2018

2018-2019

Open Enrollment



St. John's Lutheran School

4231 West 183rd Street
Country Club Hills, IL 60478
708.799.7491 p
708.798.4193 f

info@sjcch.com

[@ST JOHN'S CCH IL](https://www.facebook.com/pages/@ST_JOHNS_CCH_IL)

[https://www.facebook.com/pages/](https://www.facebook.com/pages/St_Johns_CCH/160557288867)

[St_Johns_CCH/160557288867](https://www.facebook.com/pages/St_Johns_CCH/160557288867)

Inside this issue:

Announcements	2
Golf Outing	3
Consulting Service	4
Prayer Calendar	5
School Calendar	6

Re-enrollment fee:

\$150 per student March 1, 2018-June 6, 2018

\$200 per student June 7, 2018 and after.

*** Re-enrollment forms are available in the office.**

We Pray that God will bless St. John's Lutheran school and the 2018-2019 school year

March-June Chapel Offerings

Special points of interest:

- Shopping with Amazon Smile and Good Shop earns money for St. John's smile.amazon.com
- Don't forget to collect and turn in your Box tops for Education
- Searching and shopping through Goodsearch.com also earns money for the School

Chapel offerings for the months of March-June will go towards St. John's Lutheran Church and School.

We have collected \$246.81 for chapel offerings. We truly appreciate your generosity.

St. John's Lutheran Church and School have served the south suburbs of Chicago since 1849. We are a church and school serving multiple generations from various cultural backgrounds with the love of Jesus Christ. We are committed to serving the children in our community and their families.



ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL **FLOWER & PLANT SALE**

MAY 11TH-MAY 20TH

Weekdays 10 am—6 pm

Weekends 9am-4pm

Perennials, annuals,

Vegetables, herbs

Geraniums, hanging baskets

Hanging pots make a great
Mother's day gift!

Ways to help with plant sale

- ♦ Buy plants, buy food or water for workers
- ♦ Help during plant sale
- ♦ Contribute toward reward for winning class



**THE CLASS WITH THE MOST SALES PER STUDENT WILL WIN A
MOVIE PARTY/W ICECREAM AND POPCORN!!!**



Family Luncheon and Award Assembly—Save the Date

Our Family Luncheon and Awards Assembly will take place on

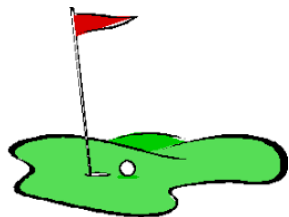
Friday, May 25, 2018

Parents, Grandparents, Aunts and Uncles are all invited to join us as

we have lunch (**BYOL**) and recognize the accomplishments our children have made this school year. While we recognize that for those that are using their lunch time to join us, we do ask that all attendees

please make every effort to stay for the entire assembly so that all grades have an audience.





GOLF OUTING EVENT

Earn a month of tuition

The Golf outing committee would like to invite the family members of St. John's to help make the golf outing a successful event. The golf outing will be held Saturday October 6, 2018 at the Glenwoodie Golf Course located at 19301 State Street in Glenwood Illinois. The Committee would like to offer one month of tuition (\$500) to any family that is able to secure a Presenting Sponsor (option 1) or a Donor (option 2).

A Presenting Sponsor (option 1) package provides for 16 golfers (four foursomes) and 16 dinners, 2 reserved tables at the awards dinner, full color front or back page of the ad-book, exclusive sponsorship of holes 1 or 18 and special recognition at the awards dinner for the cost of \$5000.

A Donor (option 2) package provides for 8 golfers (2 foursomes), a reserved table at the awards dinner, 8 dinners, a full color page in the ad-book, exclusive sponsorship of golf holes 9 or 10 and special recognition at the awards dinner for the cost of \$2500.

However, if you are unable to secure an option 1 sponsor or an option 2 donor for a month of free tuition, maybe ***you can support the golf outing in one or more of the following ways:***

- A) with a Platinum sponsor, 6 golfers and dinners, hole sponsor 1 page in ad-book cost \$1000
 - B) with a Gold sponsor, 4 golfers and dinners, hole sponsor 1 page in ad-book cost \$750
 - C) with a Silver sponsor, 2 golfers and dinners, hole sponsor ½ page in ad-book cost \$500
 - D) with Bronze sponsor, hole sponsor, 1 dinner and ½ page in ad-book cost \$250
 - E) with a foursome, 4 golfers and 4 dinners cost \$400
 - F) with a sponsor for a golf hole cost \$100
 - G) With someone to play and have dinner at the golf outing cost \$110
 - H) with someone to attend the golf outing dinner cost \$60
 - I) with someone to purchase an ad in the golf outing ad-book (full page cost \$100, ½ page cost \$60 or ¼ page cost \$35)
 - J) by having someone to make a donation, which can be cash or a item for the golf auction.
- So as you see, there are many ways to help make this fundraising event a success.

All of these options present a win-win scenario for both the families and St John's school, because all of the profits go to support St John's. So, let's work together and make this an event to remember. St. John's School has been in existence for more than 165 years and it has a strong tradition of academic excellence. Let's continue to promote our school.

Please direct all comments and questions to Ben Ramsey 312 914 5539 or logon to our website at www.sjcch.org where you can register to play, make a donation, become a sponsor, create an ad for our ad-book or purchase a dinner ticket.

Be Blessed,
Ben Ramsey
Golf outing Chairperson





In the beginning of February, we had a visitor come in from Lutheran School Consulting Services to provide us with ways to improve our school. We would like to take the following groups for participating in this process: faculty & staff, administration, former administrators, school parents, church members, school board, and church council

The consultant observed the following from the site visit interviews and survey results.

Strengths

The surveys indicated the strengths of the school to be:

- Easy to see that the school's focus is on Jesus Christ
- Obvious to visitors that this is a Christian School
- The pastor is very supportive of and involved in the school
- School's purpose is clear; school is accomplishing mission
- The principal is a leader for change in the school
- School and church staff get along well with each other.
- The school is recognized as an important ministry of the congregation. The congregation provides tremendous financial support for the school.
- The teachers are dedicated to their teaching ministries.

- School parents expressed appreciation for the Christian learning that takes place, the small class sizes, and the family feel of the school.
- Parents appreciate the Before and After Care program.

Concerns

Enrollment & Marketing

Communication

Financial Concerns

School Improvement

Classroom Management

Ministry

School Board

Refresh School

Recommendations for each concern were given in the report.

Since this visit and report, some improvements have been made and are in the process of making more improvements. We recently updated our marketing materials (you might have notice the banner in front) and switched the having Open Houses on Saturday to Sunday. This switch brought in the most tours in the last 5 years! Near the office is an alumni board showing how graduates of St. John's are succeeding. The restrooms in the lower grades building was repainted over spring break, we look forward to refreshing more of school the summer months. We are excited to be providing additional afterschool clubs next year. Drama / Theater club will be returning to St. John and with that will be a spring production in addition to our Christmas program. We are also in the process of introducing a STEM club. Thank you to parents that either volunteered to lead a club or suggested a company.

Please include St. John's Lutheran in your prayers as we look at ways to better our school for the students we serve. Pray for the student body and for our teachers and staff; pray for the church members who give in faith to the school. Please pray also for the continued blessings so many of us receive; that we may share our gifts, our time, our money and our talents with St. John's Lutheran and with the community.

St. John's Prayer Calendar



Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

	1 JOSHUA HARMON	2 DIANNA HORTON	3 ALEXANDRIA JOHNSON	4 ARAMIE LYTE
7 BRIANA STEWART	8 MASON TORRES	9 JAMARIE TRIPLETT	10 JORDAN WEBB	11 MRS. RANSOM
14 JAKIYA BAKER	15 SUNGIE COBB	16 MILES DAVIS	17 IZABELLA GUSMAN	18 COURTNEY WRIGHT
21 KAI CAVITT	22 MAYA DAVIS	23 AARON DORN	24 CHLOE DUNIGAN	25 BRIANNA EDWARDS
28 ANDREW FELDER NO SCHOOL	29 CHRIS FORSON	30 ISAAC GRAHAM	31 RYAN HUDSON	

St. John's Lutheran

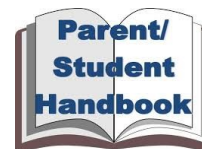
4231 West 183rd Street
Country Club Hills, IL 60478
Facebook/pages/StJohnsCCH

708.799.7491 p
708.798.4193 f
info@sjcch.com e

preparing students for life and souls for eternity since 1849



Are you tech savvy? Are you always on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram? We are looking for a volunteer to help make St. John more visible on social media. Please email the office if you are interested in volunteering. info@sjcch.com



- www.sjcch.com
- @ST_JOHNS_CCH_IL
- https://www.facebook.com/pages/St_Johns_CCH/160557288867

Every year the school looks the handbook and adds and / or amend policies for the upcoming year. As we are working through this process, we would like input from our school families. We ask you to please review our current handbook and email recommendations to **Principal Mr. Kamien**. When providing a recommendation, please state the page number that the policy is on, what the policy is, area of concern, and recommendation for the policy. If you have a recommendation for a new policy, please state what that policy is. Email all recommendations by **Friday, June 1st**

Calendar

- 5/2 ANNUAL WALK-A-THON
- 5/11 6 WEEK PROGRESS REPORT ENDS TODAY
- 5/28 MEMORIAL DAY-NO SCHOOL
- 6/1 PRE-K PROMOTION CEREMONY
- 6/1 KINDERGATEN GRADUATION 7PM IN CHURCH
- 6/2 8TH GRADE GRADUATION AT 10 AM IN THE CHURCH
- 6/4 ALL SCHOOL PICNIC
- 6/5 RECORDS DAY –NO SCHOOL
- 6/6 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL(9:00 AM EARLY DISMISSAL)

MAY 2018						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

JUNE 2018						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30



No School



End of Quarter



Early Dismissal