

Parent Bulletin

Connecting with our Principal

Tonight is the night that our 5th-8th graders will show off their God-given talents as they perform *The Sound of Music: Youth Edition* at 7:00pm. If you are unable to enjoy the show this evening, please join us for the Saturday, March 16 show at 2:00pm. Mrs. Jurica and the students have been working so hard to put on one spectacular show! (Tickets may be purchased at the door).



On Monday, March 18, **St. John's students may wear green** in celebration of St. Patrick's Day (uniform pants must be worn).

There is **NO SCHOOL** on Tuesday, March 19 because we are a polling place for Chicago's spring elections.



NED's Mindset Mission will host an assembly for us on Thursday, March 21. The show is filled with storytelling, humor, illusions and amazing yo-yo tricks where our kids learn to find their positive mindset. After the assembly, Ned's



Yo-Yo's will be available to purchase if desired. Please see the attached flyer for more information and a chance to purchase a yo-yo on Friday like the ones they will use in their assembly.

Friday, March 22 marks the end of the 3rd Quarter. Please make sure that your child(ren) have all of their work completed and turned in for this quarter by Friday the absolute latest. Report cards for the 3rd Quarter will be released on Thursday, March 28.

Calendar Connection

Sound of Music @ 7pm	3/15
Sound of Music @ 2pm	3/16
NO SCHOOL —Election Day	3/19
Ned's Mindset Mission	3/21
Cyber Safety Parent Zoom	3/21

All St. John's students are invited to sing in church on Palm Sunday, March 24 at 9:00am.

Connecting with Prayer

Jenna Tran, 2nd; Ana Karteczka, 5th;
Genevieve Cortecero, 8th; Violeta Penate, 8th

I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. John 15:5

Admissions & Marketing

ENROLLMENT for the 2024-25 school year is open and classrooms are filling up! When you enroll your child sooner, rather than later, not only are you securing your child's spot, but you are helping St. John's plan and budget for the new school year. If your child will not be returning next school year, please log onto TADS and "Withdraw" your child for the 24/25 school year.

We are excited to offer a 7-week **SUMMER CAMP** program this summer and are even more excited that Summer Camp is at capacity! If you missed the opportunity to sign up, please join our waitlist that is located on the school website.

Finally, we are so grateful for all of our First Responders that serve in and around our community! If you are a **FIRST RESPONDER**, please join us on the school playground on Friday, April 12th from 9:30am—11am. We will have complimentary coffee and donuts for all first responders who attend! Our students will be outside ready to greet you and thank you for your dedication!

marketing@stjohnschicago.org



Chapel Connection

Please join us on Wednesday, March 20th for our chapel service at 8:45am. Our Kindergarten class will be leading the worship service.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Easter Flowers
2. Cyber Safety Parent Zoom—3.21.24
3. Ned's Mindset Mission Assembly

Connecting with Sports

- 3/18 Boys 2nd-4th BB practice 3:15 to 4:30pm
- 3/20 Girls 2nd-4th BB practice 3:15 to 4:30pm
- 3/21 Boys 2nd-4th BB practice 3:15 to 4:30pm
- 3/22 Girls 2nd-4th BB practice 3:15 to 4:30pm
- 3/23 2nd-4th David Kennedy BB Tournament

St. John's Spiritwear Sale ends March 26!

- ⇒ 25% of all merchandise
- ⇒ Free shipping over \$60 order
- ⇒ \$5 shipping under \$60 order

https://1stplacespiritwear.com/schools/IL/Chicago/St.+John's+Lutheran+School/collection_detail.html

Brand new items and designs!

Parents' Night Out! @Brudders

Friday, 3/22, 8-10pm

3600 N. Pulaski Rd,
\$10 Cover
includes a free drink

Featuring music from
a St. John's parent

The Gospel According to Blues

A portion of the proceeds
will be donated to
St. John's School
Playground Fund



Connecting with Ex Care

Mar 18-Mar 22

<https://forms.gle/GAW2zk6XB1v8FbdK8>

Easter Flowers

In order to enhance the beauty of the chancel for Easter, orders are now being taken for Lily, Hyacinth and Tulip plants. These plants will be placed in the chancel and may be picked up after the last service of Easter Sunday (plants may also be picked up the following week in the office.) Plants not picked up will be planted around the building.

The cost of one plant is \$15.00. If you wish to place an order, please fill out the form below and return it to the office, Altar Guild window in the narthex or drop it in the offering plate. Please make checks payable to St. John's Altar Guild.

Given by: _____

In Memory of: _____

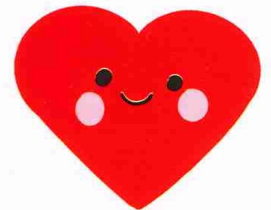
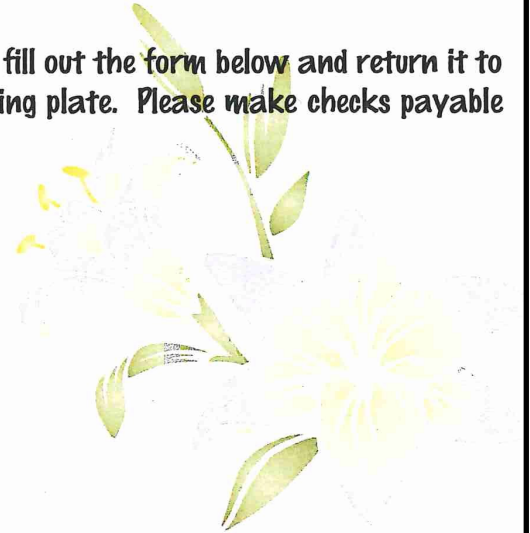
In Honor of: _____

Will pick up _____ yes _____ no

Lily _____ Hyacinth _____ Tulip _____

Phone Number: _____

Paid: Check # _____ or Cash _____



Parent Zoom



March 21st, 6pm

March 21, 2024 @ 6 pm
with Liz Repking
Cyber Safety



Hi,
I'm NED!



Hey KIDS and families!

NED's Mindset Mission Assembly is visiting our school! NED and our students take a journey to find their positive mindset. The show is filled with storytelling, humor, illusions and amazing yo-yo tricks where our kids learn the hidden message in NED's name:

Never give up — understand The Power of YET

Encourage others — spark courage in other people

Do your best® — always be learning and growing

Do you want to learn to yo? A yo-yo is both a mindset tool and a tangible reminder of NED's message. While learning to yo, children will make mistakes, try again and improve.

Our school yo-yo sale

Our school received this assembly at no-cost because another school paid-it-forward to us. We want to help pay-it-forward too, and you can help by purchasing a NED-messaged yo-yo.

SALE DATES: _____ **TIME:** _____

ADDITIONAL DETAILS: _____



Yo-yo designs and colors may vary.

Make checks payable to our school. Prices include tax (where applicable).

STUDENT ORDER FORM:

CLASSIC YOS

Learn the basics of yo-yoing with assorted fixed axel yo-yos.

\$10



SUPER SPINNERS

Great for basic and intermediate tricks. With a strong throw, these auto-return yo-yos 'sleep' at the end of the string & then come back to you automatically.

\$14



SPECIALTY SELECTION

Assorted professional long spin yo-yos for next level tricks!

\$18



REPLACEMENT STRING PACK

Ten assorted strings to change color or replace a worn out yo-yo string.



\$6

YO-YO HOLSTER

Keep track of your yo and have it ready to go. Attach it to your belt loop or backpack (yo-yo not included).



\$8

Name: _____

Teacher: _____

For more yo-yo fun and to learn tricks, check out:
NEDkids.com



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Make checks payable to our school.
Prices include tax (where applicable).

ITEM	PRICE	QTY.	SUBTOTAL
String Pack	\$6		
Holster	\$8		
Classic Yo	\$10		
Super Spinner	\$14		
Specialty Yo	\$18		
TOTAL DUE			