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Do not be conformed to this world,
but be transformed by the renewal of your mind

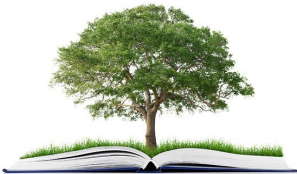
St. John's Lutheran School News April 27, 2018

If at times, you feel overwhelmed with dealing with the challenges of parenting today, please take a few minutes and refer to the following blog post by Tim Elmore to get some good food for thought:

<https://growingleaders.com/blog/new-unwritten-rule-for-parents/>

Upcoming Calendar Events

- May 1 Spring Instrumental Concert, 6:00 p.m.
- May 2 Staff Meeting – early dismissal at 2:00 p.m. (grades K-3) and 2:15 p.m. (grades 4-8)
- May 3 Grades 3-8 Spring Choral and Handbell Concert, 6:00 p.m.
- May 10 Grades K-2 Spring Concert, 6:00 p.m.



Summer School Registration is still open for grades 1-5 any week of the summer. Students in grades 6-8 can still register for Weeks 1 and 2. Packets are available on the school [website](#). Classes vary by grade level and will take place weekly June 4-29. Don't miss out! If you have any questions, please ask Ms. Howard, the Summer School Director.

SJLS is so thankful for the generous support and donations that were given to the **Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (JDRF)** campaign. The final total collected was over \$20,000! Great job St. John's!. Special thanks to Mrs. Wilbur, Mrs. Paulden and Mrs. Ellis for their leadership in this fundraiser!

Golf Tournament – Many thanks to the 28 foursomes who spent a warm Monday afternoon chasing golf balls around Seven Oaks Golf Course. It was a great day to celebrate our kids! Thanks to our sponsors who help make this event such a success! Our Committee team of Co-Chairs Danny Greene and Dustin Pudiwitr, Event Chairs Pattie Yee and Amanda Mojibi and committee members Dan Spiva, Marvin Laurente, Jason Weiss and Spencer Perego. To God be the Glory for a great day!

Science Fair – Congratulations to Connor Ashton, Harjaisal Brar, and Alex Puga as they competed in the State Science Fair on Tuesday at the California Science Center in Los Angeles! Alex Puga won first place in the Physics category!

Search Committee Update – We look forward to welcoming Mr. Evan Anwyl, his wife Rebecca, children Timothy and Riley who will be visiting our ministry and community this weekend. We continue to pray for discernment for him as he listens to where God is leading him.

MathCounts and Science Bowl Informational Meeting – Parents of incoming 6-8 grade students, please join us for an informational meeting about Mathcounts and Science Bowl for the 2018-2019 school year on Tuesday, May 8 at 6:00 p.m. in the Kidz Connection Auditorium. If you or your student is interested in participating in either or both of these programs next year, please plan on attending. Coach Rabi Sahoo and some student alumni will provide valuable information so that students can utilize their time in the summer to get a head start with preparation.

Lunch Program 2018-19 Announcement! After careful review of potential vendors to provide SJLS with a quality school lunch program, we are very pleased to announce that **NV Catering** will coordinate our lunch program next year. They operate a successful catering business located at 3305 Pegasus Dr. They are open daily for breakfast and lunch. Stop by and say hello to them. You will learn more about them as we fire up the fall schedule.

THANK YOU, GENEROUS ST. JOHN'S SUPPORTERS!

Our 24th Annual SJL Schools Golf Tournament was an overwhelming success!

We would like to extend our deep appreciation to everyone who sponsored, contributed to, and participated in our **DAY ON THE GREENS *fore* A PURPOSE...**

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In all, we raised more than \$57,000 to benefit the financial assistance program at St. John's Lutheran School and Children's Center. As a result of this incredible outpouring of community support, SJL Schools is able to offer reasonable tuition costs, financial aid to those in need, and greater access to a quality, Christian education which firmly roots and prepares our students for meaningful, fruitful futures.

Kern County Track Meet – Congratulations to Quinn (High Jump) and Grant Buckey (Shot Put and Discus) who will be representing St. John's in the Kern County Track meet at Liberty High School this weekend. Go Saints.

Private Tutor – Emphasis on St. John's curriculum. Please call (661)589-1988.



There is a **Prayer Box** located on the counter in the school office for prayer requests. A team will take requests and pray throughout the week. All requests are kept confidential. "Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God which surpasses all understanding, will keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus." Philippians 4: 6-7.



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St. John's Lutheran Church has a number of ministries and studies available to suit your needs and schedules. Please take a moment to view the website, www.sjlchurch.org/ministries, as we invite you to join us in worship, study, and community.

