

Good afternoon St. John School,

We are down to just nine and a half days left in the 2021-2022 school year. It has been a blessing being able to reflect on this past year and look ahead to next year. This week we celebrated our Kindergarten Graduation as well as our 8<sup>th</sup> graders last day at SJS. This was a nice bookend. My favorite part of the week was when we brought our 8<sup>th</sup> graders into Kindergarten graduation as a surprise. You should have seen their faces light up! This is what SJS is all about.

We were able to bring in two great student events. We have not done many of these with COVID restrictions, so they were special. Our grade 2 through grade 7 students attended assemblies on character building and anti-bullying. The presenter did a great job mixing good information and strategies with fun (who doesn't like magic!). We also had Farm Visits in and for preschool through grade 3 students who were able to experience some bunnies, chicks, a goat and a potbellied pig.

We also just announced that 20 students made our Club 99 this spring. Club 99 celebrates our scholars who score in the 99th percentile on our standardized test. We celebrate both achievement and growth in math, ELA, and Language Usage. Congratulations to these students and check out Facebook for pictures. We will have a special announcement next week as two of our grades also made Club 99 as a whole.

We hope to see many parents tonight at our SJS Parent Group End of the Year Cookout. Come hang out, have some good food and bid on some silent auction items.

### **SJS Calendar**

Friday, June 3 (6:30 – 10:30 pm) – SJS Parent Group End of Year Cook Out

Sunday, June 5 – Fill a Truck

Tuesday, June 7 (6:30 pm) – Band Concert

Wednesday, June 8 (6:00 pm) – Grade 8 Class Night

Thursday, June 9 (6:00 pm) – Grade 8 Graduation

Friday, June 10 (7:00) – SJS Drama Presents 101 Dalmatians

Tuesday, June 14 – Step Up Day

Wednesday, June 15 – Field Day

Thursday, June 16 – LAST DAY OF SCHOOL (HALF DAY), MASS at 9:00 am

### *Second Notices*

#### *CORI and VIRTUS*

Please send in your CORI forms for the 2022-2023 school year. Also, if you want to volunteer you must have completed VIRTUS ([www.virtusonline.org](http://www.virtusonline.org)).

#### *2022-2023 Tuition Set Up in FACTS*

2022-23 tuition has been set up in FACTS and FACTS will process their enrollment fees within the next 2 weeks. If you want to change your payment schedules, please reach out to Anne Guerini at [aguerini@cantoncatholic.org](mailto:aguerini@cantoncatholic.org).

#### *Helpful Links*

*Ebackpack* - <https://www.sjscanton.org/e-backpack>

*Service Hours Tracker* - [Click here](#)

*2021-2022 School Calendar* - [Click here](#)

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