

# Newsletter



Saint John the Baptist Middle School (801) 984-7614

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## PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

What a blessing this year has been! Your son/daughter will have memories of joy and sadness, of great achievements and disappointments, but the community of Saint John the Baptist Middle School has pulled through the school year together – praying, studying, laughing, caring about one another and sharing the ups and downs together. It's hard to believe that the end of school is here! May has been a jam-packed month of activities, performances, Sacraments, 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation last night and more!

Please note that Saint John the Baptist Middle School will continue collecting Box Tops next year. Each HomeBase's goal will be 100 Box Tops per month, so keep collecting over the summer.

Please note that reports cards and the 2009-2010 school year information (if applicable) – calendar, uniform sale information and more – will be sent the week of June 1. In addition, please continue checking Saint John the Baptist Middle School's website ([www.sjb-middle.org](http://www.sjb-middle.org)) as it will be updated with the 2009-2010 school year information throughout the summer.

Saint John the Baptist Middle School's Summer Office Hours are as follows:

Tuesday, May 26 – Thursday, June 25: 9:00am – 3:00pm (Closed Friday)

**Closed: Friday, June 26 – Friday, July 31**

Monday, August 3 – Friday, August 7: 9:00am-3:00pm

Monday, August 10: Return to regular office hours (7:45am – 4:00pm)

You are invited to join us tomorrow for the Closing School Mass (9:00am). Please note that Friday's dismissal is 10:30am and the office will be closing at 11:45am for Memorial Day weekend, reopening on Tuesday, May 26.

On behalf of the faculty and staff, I wish the best to Mrs. Mary Arndt, Mrs. Anne Boyer, Miss Chelsea Vawdrey & Mr. Nate Watson, who will not be returning to SJBMS for the 2009-2010 school year. Thank you for sharing your talents!

And thank you to Mrs. Angie Blenkush, who has been Mrs. Arndt's long-term substitute! Your presence has been a blessing!

My best wishes for a safe and beautiful summer! Thank you for partnering with Saint John the Baptist Middle School in educating your child!

Respectfully,

Nikki Ward

## Annual Uniform Bulk Sale

Shop before School starts! Plan your summer now!

SJB Elementary Multipurpose Room:

July 29<sup>th</sup> – July 31<sup>st</sup> ~ 12:00-7:00pm

Sat. Aug. 1<sup>st</sup> ~ 11:00am-3:00pm

August 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> ~ 12:00pm – 5:00pm

August 8<sup>th</sup> ~ 11:00am-2:00pm

St. Paul's Place Uniform Store:

Aug. 13-14<sup>th</sup> 12:00pm-5:00pm; Aug 15<sup>th</sup> 11:00am-3:00pm

If you would like to Volunteer, PLEASE call our Volunteer Hotline 984-7292. Leave your name, number, and times you're available. Remember, hours are applied to school service hours or uniform dollars. (Set-up 7-27 & 7-28, 9-5pm. Tear down 8-8, 1-5pm.)

## Used Uniform Sale

Fri, Jul 31 (4 pm - 7 pm); Sat, Aug 1 (4 pm - 7 pm); and Sun, Aug 2 (9 am - 1 pm) in the parish Conference Room A.I will need volunteers to help run it as well. Hours can count for school hours. The rules will be the same as last year:

1. only approved uniform items can be sold (no Target, Wal-Mart, etc);
2. only items in good condition can be sold or clearly marked with the defect;
3. items must come ready to be laid out (envelope attached labeled with seller's name and number, item description, amount requested);
4. clothing items left after Sunday at 1:00 pm will be considered donations and will be given to a needy school in the Salt Lake area;
5. cash left after Friday (August 7) at 1:00 pm will be considered a donation to the appropriate school;
6. checks left after Friday (August 7) at 1:00 pm will be returned to the maker.

Volunteers for the sale can contact me, Ruth Penderghast, at 801.984.7111 or 801.633.3148 or email [rkpenderghast@hotmail.com](mailto:rkpenderghast@hotmail.com).