



Wildcat Weekly January 29, 2024



NWEA MAP TESTING

Students in Kindergarten through 8th grade will be taking their winter NWEA Map test the week of Jan. 29 through Feb. 2. It is important that your child has a healthy breakfast and receives plenty of sleep.

CHAPEL OFFERINGS

Chapel offerings for the month of January and February will support Lutheran Church Charities: K-9 Comfort Dog Ministry. Click [HERE](#) for more details.

ADULT BINGO NIGHT

Join us for a night of fun and games at St. John's 1st Adult Bingo Night! Sponsored by SJL - PTL. Bring your own food and drinks on Friday, February 2nd - doors open at 6:45 p.m. Bingo begins at 7:00 p.m. in the school gym. Click [here](#) for more information and to RSVP or reserve your tables.

VARIABLE TUITION/ FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

To reach students and families who desire a quality Christian education, SJL offers variable tuition for children enrolled in grades K-8th. In our variable tuition model, we establish a maximum and minimum tuition rate to cover educational cost. Any family may apply for variable tuition if they are concerned about affording the full tuition rate at SJL and they think they may qualify for the program. Click [HERE](#) for more information.

NEED A BABYSITTER FOR BINGO?

Are you attending Adult Bingo? Are you in need of a babysitter? The 8th graders and their parents will be babysitting here at St. John's. Parents & 8th graders are CAPP trained. Babysitting is available for children in 4th grade to potty-trained. Parents you need to register your child. Click [HERE](#).

IMPORTANT DATES

- Jan. 17 - Feb. 2 - Kids Heart Challenge
- Jan. 29 - Feb. 2 - NWEA Map Testing (K-8)
- Wed., Jan. 31 - Chapel - 8:30 a.m.
- Fri., Feb. 2 - Adult Bingo 7:00 p.m.
- Fri., Feb. 9 - Father/ Daughter Dance 6:30 p.m.
- Feb. 16 & 19 - No School

2024 - 2025 SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Open application for LESA Scholarships are NOW available: Click [HERE](#) - deadline is April 10, 2024

For students entering into Kindergarten & 1st grade or that has a IEP/ ISP check out MO Scholars. Click [HERE!](#)

2024 - 2025 ENROLLMENT

Jan. & Feb. are busy months for our office staff as we enter the re-enrollment and new enrollment season. We are excited for the opportunity to work together with you and our new school families. Thanks for your commitment to our school and for our partnership in education.

- New Student Enrollment - begins Feb. 1st! Click [HERE](#).
- Continuous Enrollment - All children currently in Preschool - Grade 7 will be automatically enrolled for next year... and each year at St. John's through 8th grade graduation.
- Email us at school@sjlarnold.org if you are not planning to return next year to avoid enrollment billing by February 1st.



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SJL WILDCAT SPIRIT WEAR

Get your new designed Wildcat Spirit Wear. Click [HERE](#) and order through the website. New sweatshirt designs and even tumblers!

LUTHERAN SOUTH ACTIVITIES

Lutheran High School South will be hosting many activities for students and their families. Check out the links below:

- Do you want to join the Lancer hockey team?
 - Click [HERE](#) for more information - especially for 7th & 8th graders.
- Join Lutheran South's Make - A - Wish Double Header basketball games on Fri., Feb. 16. No charge for middle school students. Click [HERE](#) for more information.

MIDDLE SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Practices are held on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, & Fridays from 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.

- Girls "A" team game City Tournament this week

JEFFERSON COUNTY BBALL CAMP

Jefferson county parks and recreation department is hosting a basketball camp for grades 1st - 3rd and 4th - 6th. Camp fee is \$45 and will start on Saturday, February 10. Click [HERE](#) for more information.

LUTHERAN CHURCH TRANSFER

Membership opportunity for those transferring from another LCMS church will take place on Tues., Feb. 27 from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. For questions or to register by Feb. 19, please contact Nicole "Coley" Kaylor at nkaylor@sjlarnold.org.

P.A.L.M.S

PALMS will be starting their spring semester on February 1st. Parents please email the school office to join at school@sjlarnold.org. Cost for the spring semester will be \$40 per student. Payments will be due on Feb. 15th. K-3rd gr. will meet on Mondays & 4-8th gr. will meet on Thursdays.

ACADEMIC TEAM

Have you heard - our 7th & 8th grade Academic Team is heading to the Missouri Lutheran School State Tournament! Way to go! Good luck Wildcats!

IMPORTANT LINKS

- [2023 - 2024 School Calendar](#)
- [Scrip Program](#)
- [Right Now Media](#)
- [January Lunch Menu](#)
- [CAPP Training](#)
- [February Lunch Menu](#)

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST

All men are welcome to gather on Saturday, February 10 from 8:30-11 am at the Oak Valley Golf Course in Pevely for a Men's Prayer Breakfast. The keynote speaker is Pastor Brandon Metcalf. Doors open at 8 am. Registration fee is \$20, and breakfast is included. Register [here](#) by Friday, February 2.

KIDS HEART CHALLENGE

Kids Heart Challenge had its BIG kickoff on Wed., Jan. 17. It will run through Fri., Feb. 2. Check your child's backpack for more details! Our school goal is to raise \$8,000 for the American Heart Association. We have already raised \$4,000! Way to go!

FATHER DAUGHTER DANCE

All fathers and daughters are welcome Friday, February 9 from 6:30-8:30 pm in the school gym for a Father Daughter Dance, where they'll enjoy a DJ, photos, snacks, and drinks. The cost is \$15 per couple and \$5 for each additional daughter. Register [here](#)!

LOVING AND LEADING ALL TO JESUS

[Join us in worship](#)

St. John's Lutheran Church:

- Sat. - 5 p.m.
- Sun. - 8:00, 9:30, 10:50

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