



From the Principal's Desk

Hi Everyone,

I hope you are all enjoying your family time and summer break!! We have been busy preparing for your return in August! To ensure a smooth start to the new school year, please take note of the following reminders:

Summer Work:

- Please ensure your child is keeping up with their summer work. Avoid waiting until the last minute, as this is due during the first week of school and is a requirement for all returning students.

Uniforms and School Supplies:

- Check your child's uniforms to ensure they still fit. If necessary, order new ones in time for the start of school. Don't forget to purchase all necessary supplies in time as well.

Report Cards and Medicine:

- If you did not pick up your child's report card or medicine on the last day of school, please stop by the office Tuesday-Thursday from 8 am to 3 pm. We have several items that still need to be collected.

Communication Subscription:

- Make sure you are subscribed to our new communication system BrightArrow via the recent test text we sent out. This is how we will share important and urgent information with you.

RaiseRight Orders:

- Start earning money off of your tuition by placing a RaiseRight order. Orders will be submitted on 8/11 with pick up for physical gift cards in the Office on Thursday, 8/15 between 8 am and 3pm.

Save these Dates:

- Aug. 16th: Homeroom Lists Sent Out
- Aug. 22nd: Sneak Peek at your Seat from 3:30pm-4:30pm. Bring your larger school supply items, meet your teacher, see your classroom, and pick up your yearbook (advance orders only). HASA will also have snowballs and used uniforms for sale (CASH only).
- Aug. 23rd: [Orioles Game](#) organized by HASA
- Aug. 26th: First Full Day of School for Grades 1-8, Kindergarten 8am-11:45am
- Aug. 27th: PreK Orientation at 7pm in the Parish Center
- Aug. 28th: Gradual entry for PreK begins
- Aug. 30th: **Half Day (11:35 am PreK, 11:45 am K, 12 pm Gr 1-8)**
- Sept. 2nd: **Labor Day- School Closed**
- Sept. 13th: [HASA Crab Feast](#) at Jimmy's Seafood

We look forward to seeing you all soon!

New Announcements



Sneak Peek

Join us on Thursday, August 22nd from 3:30pm-4:30pm to sneak a peek at your seat! Meet your teachers, see your classroom and bring your larger school supply items. Yearbooks from '23-'24 will also be available for pick up (advance order required). HASA will have snowballs and used uniforms for sale (CASH only).



Orioles Game

Check an Orioles Game off of your summer bucket list! Join us at Camden Yards on Friday, August 23rd at 7:05pm for the Orioles vs. Houston Astros game! \$5 from every ticket purchased will be donated back to our school. [Purchase tickets online here](#) using the promo code "SJSHASA".



Spirit Wear Store

Have you visited our Spirit Wear Store lately? Make sure you are prepared for our Spirit Wear Days! See dates below. [Visit the store now!](#)

Spirit Wear Dates:

September 24th- Orders needed by 9/9
October 9th- Orders needed by 9/23
November 27th- Orders needed by 11/12



Back to School Crab Feast

Back by popular demand! The Back to School Crab Feast at Jimmy's Seafood will be Friday, September 13th from 7:00pm-10:00pm. It will include the Famous Crab Buffet – all you can eat crabs, crab soup, corn on the cob, fried chicken, pit beef, ham, and turkey, BBQ Baby Back Ribs, and more. Tickets are \$75/adult and \$30/child. [Purchase tickets here!](#)

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Vote for SJS-F

We have been nominated for "Best Private School (Elementary/Middle)" in the Daily Record's 2024 Reader Rankings Awards AND the "Best of Baltimore Reader's Choice Awards" in Baltimore Style. Now we need your help! You can vote once per day per email



address.

The Daily Record's Reader Rankings is now open through July 31st. Click [HERE](#) to vote. Under "Education", select St. Joseph-Fullerton as "Best Private School (Elementary/Middle)".

The Best of Baltimore Reader's Choice Awards is now open through Sept 22nd. Click [HERE](#) to vote. Under "Kids and Education", select St. Joseph-Fullerton as Best Preschool, Best Private School and Best Private School: Co-Ed. Thank you for your support!

WOLF PACK Rewards

Easy Ways to Support St. Joseph HASA

Save on Tuition with RaiseRight Gift Cards!

1. Go to RaiseRight.com/enroll. Select "Join a Program". Enter the St. Joseph School enrollment code: LD4BL1393L119. Create an account.
2. Set-up your Online Payment Account. Two options to pay, Bank Account or Credit Card.
3. Shop and Checkout. Purchase e-gift cards or physical gift cards, physical cards available in the school office weekly.

RaiseRight

Amazon Smile is Now in the Shopping App!

1. Activate Amazon Smile, visit <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/52-0591426>, and sign into your account or visit smile.amazon.com and select 'St. Joseph Church'
2. Open the Amazon Shopping app on your device. It's available on both Android & the iPhone.
3. Go into the main menu of the shopping app and tap into 'Settings'. Follow the on-screen instructions to complete the process.

Box Tops for Education No Clipping Necessary!

1. Box Tops are now digital only & can be earned in the app. Download the Box Tops for Education App on your device. It's available on both Android and iPhone.
2. Set-up your Log-in information. Click Find a School and enter "St. Joseph School Fullerton." Finish setting-up your account.
3. Scan your receipts & earn dollars for our school.

Final RaiseRight Order of Summer

The final order date for physical RaiseRight gift cards this summer is due by Sunday, August 11th with pick up in the school office on Thursday, August 15th.

Required Medical Forms - Please ensure that all required medical forms for the 2024-2025 school year are completed by August 1, 2024. You can access the necessary forms [here](#) or check the [School Admin Parent Portal](#) for any outstanding requirements.

Important Dates

FRIDAY, 8/16

- Homeroom lists sent out

THURSDAY, 8/22

- Sneak Peek at your Seat 3:30pm-4:30pm

FRIDAY, 8/23

- HASA Orioles Game

MONDAY, 8/26

- First Full Day of School for Grades 1-8, Kindergarten 8am-11:45am

TUESDAY, 8/27

- PreK Orientation at 7pm in the Parish Center

WEDNESDAY, 8/28

- Gradual entry begins for PreK

FRIDAY, 8/30

- **Half Day (11:35 am PreK, 11:45 am K, 12 pm Gr 1-8)**

MONDAY, 9/2

- **Labor Day - School Closed**

Looking Ahead:

September 13th HASA Crab Feast

September 27th HASA Beachmont Night

[FULL YEAR CALENDAR](#)



Spark Service Camp

NEW DATES! August 14th & 15th from 8:30 am - 2:30 pm for those entering 3rd through 5th grade. On and off campus activities are included. Cost is \$75. [Register online here.](#)

Wolfpack Athletics



New Announcements

Zoom Meeting Tonight

Join us for a planning meeting tonight via

Zoom at 8:00pm. [Contact Angie Corno](#) for the link to attend.



Save the Date! Our Annual SJAA Golf Tournament

The 2024 Golf Tournament will be held on Monday, October 7th at Mountain Branch Golf Club. Registration opens at 8:00 am, and tee time starts at 9:00 am. We hope to see you there! Questions can be sent to David Luby at DFLuby@gmail.com.

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