



- Fri. 3 Spirit Wear
Scavenger Hunt
Free Pizza Lunch for those that ordered
Minute to Win It!
- Sat. 4 Confirmation Retreat for Grade 8
12:00-6:00 PM
- Tues. 7 7:00-8:30 PM Virtual Parent Club Meeting
- Thurs. 9 Candy Grams Due
- Fri. 10 Throwback Dress Down Day
Knights of Columbus Spelling Bee
- Tues. 14 Red-White-Pink Dress Down Day
Valentine Day room parties in AM
11:30 Dismissal-Teacher Inservice
NO EXTENDED CARE
- Fri. 17 Teacher Institute Day **NO SCHOOL**
- Mon. 20 President's Day **NO SCHOOL**



CANDY GRAMS

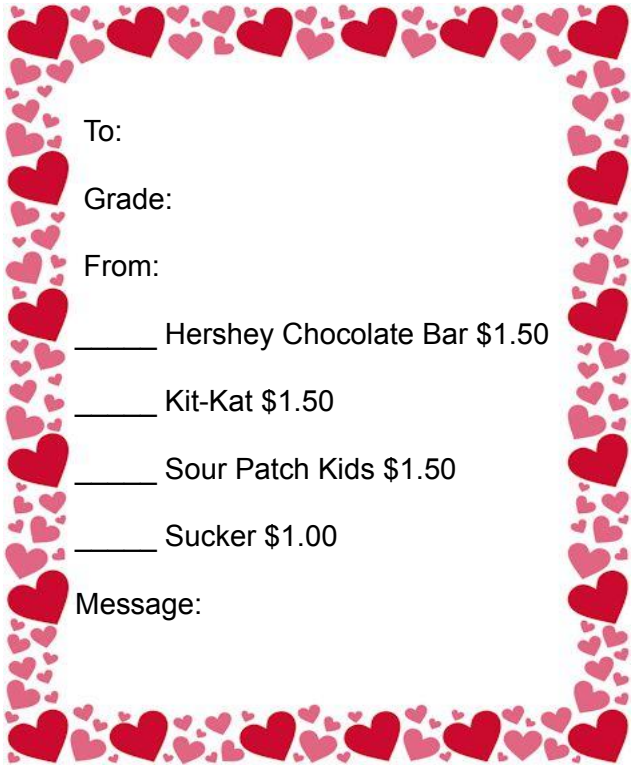
Student Council is once again
Sponsoring Valentine Candy Grams!

Send a sweet treat to your valentine! Student council will be selling **Hershey Chocolate Bar, Kit-Kats, and Sour Patch Kids** for **\$1.50 each**, or **Suckers** for **\$1.00** each. Please send completed candy grams forms and money in an envelope marked "Candy Grams". Checks should be made payable to St. John the Baptist School.

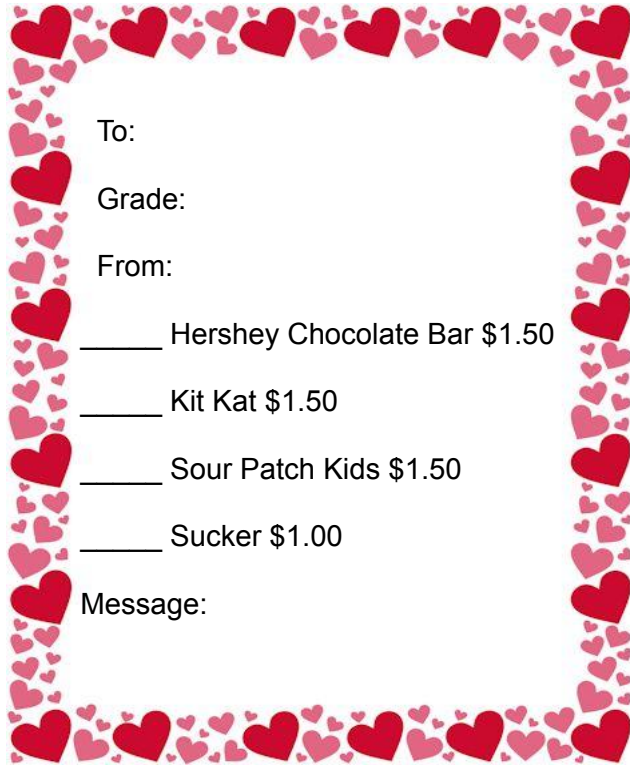
Candy Gram forms MUST BE RETURNED BY:

Thursday, February 9, 2023





To:
Grade:
From:
_____ Hershey Chocolate Bar \$1.50
_____ Kit-Kat \$1.50
_____ Sour Patch Kids \$1.50
_____ Sucker \$1.00
Message:



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THE FACTS AND EMPOWER ILLINOIS APPLICATIONS MUST BE COMPLETED.**

Empower Illinois Scholarship

[Empower Illinois](#) The Diocese of Joliet has partnered with [Empower Illinois](#) to offer eligible families a chance to receive a tax credit scholarship towards their tuition.

If you have questions, **please call the Empower Illinois scholarship hotline at 800-616-7606.**

Empower Illinois Application

Empower Illinois' tax credit scholarship application will open on Wednesday, January 18 at 6:30 PM for the 2023-2024 school year. There are two parts to the application process.

Part one of the application is the reservation, which reserves a family's place in line for a scholarship. Per the Invest in Kids Act (the law that makes tax credit scholarships possible), scholarships are awarded on a first-come, first-served basis, which means you want to ensure the earliest timestamp possible. The reservation form will be available at 6:30 PM on reservation night to give families time to enter their information before submitting their form at 7:00 PM. The reservation will have two pages. On page one, you will enter basic information, such as parent or guardian name, student name, and contact information. On page two, you will review this information and click submit. Only after clicking submit on page two will you receive your first-come, first-served timestamp.

Part two of the application will be available a few days after the first part is completed. Families who have completed their reservation will receive an email from Empower Illinois notifying them that the application is live.

Do I Qualify?

Illinois' Tax Credit Scholarship Program is 100% need-based. K-12 students from low-income and working-class families are eligible to receive a tax credit scholarship through Empower Illinois. To find out more about the qualifications and application process, please [visit the Empower Illinois website](#).

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THE FACTS AND EMPOWER ILLINOIS APPLICATIONS MUST BE COMPLETED.

FACTS FINANCIAL AID

FACTS makes quality education affordable for families by assisting schools in awarding financial aid. We work with schools to create a custom application and collect financial data so schools can make accurate award decisions based on financial need.

To apply for financial aid, visit <https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/41LRQ>

After completing the online application, you will need to upload all required supporting documentation. If you are unable to upload, fax the required documents to 866.315.9264.

The following supporting documents are required to complete the application process:

IRS Federal Income Tax Return, including all supporting schedules (the year of the tax return depends on the tax requirements of your school). If applicant and co-applicant file separately, we require both tax returns for the same tax year.

Copies of **all the current year W-2 Wage and Tax Statements** for both the applicant and co-applicant. **NOTE:** If you are applying before you have received all the current year W-2 Wage and Tax Statements, please submit them as soon as they become available.

Copies of all supporting tax documents if you have business income/loss from any of the following: **Business** - send Schedule C or C-EZ and Form 4562 Depreciation and Amortization **Farm** - send Schedule F and Form 4562 Depreciation and Amortization **Rental Property** - send Schedule E (page 1) **S-Corporation** - send Schedule E (page 2), Form 1120S (5 pages), Schedule K-1 and Form 8825 **Partnership** - send Schedule E (page 2), Form 1065 (5 pages), Schedule K-1 and Form 8825 **Estates and Trusts** - send Schedule E (page 2), Form 1041 and Schedule K-1

See Other Side

IMPORTANT: If you file a tax return but do not have W-2 wages because you are self-employed, you will be required to submit a copy of your current year Federal Form 1040 Tax Return.

- Copies of all supporting documentation for household Non-Taxable Income such as: Social Security Income, Welfare, Child Support, Food Stamps, Workers' Compensation, and Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF). If you do not file a tax return, you are required to provide documentation of all income received.

All documentation received is imaged upon receipt and then destroyed.

You may log in to your FACTS user account to review the status of your application. Please allow 2 weeks processing time before inquiring further about receipt and/or status of the uploaded or faxed documents. Application deadlines are set by the institution awarding the aid. If you are applying after the deadline, contact your school to ensure that your application will be accepted.

A non-refundable application fee may be required before your application will be submitted.

NOTE: Award decisions are made by the institution providing the financial aid, not FACTS.

KC Fish Fry...Fridays during Lent

"Dine In or Drive By"



***5 pm to 7 pm
Fridays...
Feb. 24, March
3, 10, 17, 24, 31***

Besides the Fish Dinners, menu will also include the following: Shrimp Dinners, Fish & Shrimp Combo, Fish Tacos, Spaghetti Dinners, Pizza, Enchiladas & Salads Includes all the sides, packaged, hot and ready for YOU!

**Fish & Shrimp
Prices:
Adults \$12
Kids \$7
Seniors \$11

Spag. Tacos,
Enchilada
Dinners \$14**

***YOU CAN ORDER ONLINE!
PLACE ONLINE ORDERS BY 6:30 PM ON THE
DAY OF THE FRY! www.stjohnwinfield.org***

- ◇ ***ORDER BY PHONE-CALL SEBAHAR HALL, 630-668-0918, EXT 651, from 3 PM to 6:45 PM***
- ◇ ***CALL SEAN P CONLEY DIRECTLY, 630-835-8225***
- ◇ ***WALK-UP or DINE IN ORDERS welcomed***
- ◇ ***PICK-UP LOCATION: COME INSIDE SEBAHAR HALL OR WE'LL DELIVER YOUR ORDER TO YOUR CAR***



ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PRESENTS:

A NIGHT AT THE OSCARS GALA

FRIDAY, APRIL 28, 2023

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST GYMNASIUM

6:30PM - 11:00PM

DINNER, DRINKS & MUSIC

LIVE & SILENT AUCTIONS

TICKETS: \$75 PER PERSON

FORMAL ATTIRE ENCOURAGED BUT NOT REQUIRED

FOR TICKETS, PLEASE RSVP AT:
[HTTP://TINYURL.COM/YTD4KNS2](http://tinyurl.com/ytd4kns2)



PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT
ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH SCHOOL

TUITION FOR A YEAR RAFFLE

Purchase your raffle ticket for the chance to win FREE tuition for 1 child (valued at over \$5,000) for the 2023-2024 school year*.

Only 100 tickets will be sold for the raffle so don't wait too long to purchase or you'll miss your opportunity to win**.

You do not have to have a child at St. John the Baptist to win but the raffle money must be used on a St. John the Baptist student during the 2023-2024 school year. For example, if you are a grandparent of a child at SJB and you win, you can award the money to your grandchild.

Tickets are priced at \$100 a ticket and available for purchase at <http://tinyurl.com/ytd4kns2>

The drawing will take place Friday, April 28 at 8:00PM during our Annual Gala held in the SJB gym. Winner need not to be present to win.

** Tuition credit excludes registration fee and all activity fees*

*** 100 tickets must be sold for the winner to receive a full tuition credit. If less than 100 tickets are sold the prize will be reduced proportionally.*



TO PURCHASE A RAFFLE TICKET, PLEASE VISIT:
[HTTP://TINYURL.COM/YTD4KNS2](http://tinyurl.com/ytd4kns2)

SPONSORSHIPS

BEST MOTION PICTURE | \$2,000

8 ADMISSION TICKETS
RESERVED VIP TABLE
PREMIER LOGO PLACEMENT ON GALA WEBSITE
SOCIAL MEDIA RECOGNITION
STAR ON THE WALK OF FAME

BEST ACTOR/ACTRESS | \$1,500

6 ADMISSION TICKETS
LOGO PLACEMENT ON GALA WEBSITE
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BEST DIRECTOR | \$750

4 ADMISSION TICKETS
LOGO PLACEMENT ON GALA WEBSITE
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BEST SUPPORTING ACTOR/ACTRESS | \$300

2 ADMISSION TICKETS
LOGO PLACEMENT ON GALA WEBSITE
SOCIAL MEDIA RECOGNITION
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