

ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE SCHOOL



## Parent Note 10/22/2025

**PowerSchool Parent Portal:** <https://powerschool.cdolinc.net/public/home.html> DISTRICT CODE: **RCS**D (The website for PS seems to be much more reliable than the app, per our tech office.)

**\*\*\*School Messenger:** Opt-In Code: **Optin** or **Yes** or **Subscribe** – TEXT one of these to: **67587** to receive important notifications from school.

**School Website:** <https://stjohnsjets.com>

**St. John the Apostle Catholic School Facebook Page:**

[bit.ly/4gzg3Ad](https://www.facebook.com/stjohninc) **World book:**

<http://www.worldbookonline.com/?subaacct=K5318>

Username: **stjohninc** Password: **jets!**

**School office email:** [St.John's-Office@cdolinc.net](mailto:St.John's-Office@cdolinc.net)

*School FAX number: 402-486-4762*

*Office number: 402-486-1860*

**FACTS Tuition Management Link:** <https://online.factsmtg.com/signin/43MMT>

**Jets Club Sporting Events:** Admission prices for the St. John's athletic events:

Students (K-12): \$1 and PK and under are FREE

Adult: \$3 Family: \$10 max – per family (immediate family

only) [CYSI | Catholic Youth Sports Informer - Diocese of Lincoln, NE](#)

**Volunteer Training:** All volunteers are required to do annual safe environment training with January Renewal and 5-year background checks. [CMG Connect - Catholic Mutual Group](#) - click here to log in or set up your account.

\*\*Save this link to favorites for annual use. <https://lincoln.cmgconnect.org>

**Uniform Shorts/Pants:** K-5 students may wear shorts through October 31 and start again on April 1



**St John The Apostle School**

7601 Vine St Lincoln, NE

Preferred School Number: **900063660**

**Lands End Uniform Ordering:** Click [here](#)

**SCRIP gift cards are now AVAILABLE for Uniforms - \$25 and \$100 or use the RaiseRight app for more e-card options, see [www.raiseright.com](http://www.raiseright.com)**

**Jets Pom Hats** – Jets Beanie hats are available in the school office for \$20 each, one size fits most.

**Jets Signs** - \$10 each, for sale in the school office, cash or check only

**10/24/2025: No SCHOOL; Trunk or Treat**

**11/14/2025: 1:00 PM Dismissal – Extended Care Available**

## Boys Town Skills of the Week

Accepting Criticism or a Consequence

1. Look at the person.
2. Say 'Okay.'
4. Stay calm.

## Thunderbolt Wrestling Club

Looking for a sport that builds strength, discipline, and faith?

Join Thunderbolt Wrestling Club — a supportive, family-centered team where boys and girls grow on and off the mat.

1 Preseason practices start November 3rd at 6:30 p.m.

👤 Boys and girls will have separate practices

📍 Pius X High School Wrestling Room

💰 Preseason registration fee: \$40

All experience levels welcome!

🔗 [www.thunderboltwrestling.info](http://www.thunderboltwrestling.info)

✉ Marg Bohy – [bohyboymom@yahoo.com](mailto:bohyboymom@yahoo.com)

✉ Jerry Clinch – [jer@bccine.com](mailto:jer@bccine.com)

### **Veterans Day Wall of Fame**

Please send a photo of your dad, mom, grandpa, sister, or any favorite family member that was in the military! I think a snapshot of them at work is the best, but I will take whatever shot you like best! You can e-mail it or send it with your kids; I will copy your picture and send it back the original. If you have sent a picture in the past, I still have it and will use it again. Info I need: name of the Vet, who and how they are related to the student or teacher and what branch they served with. Thank you!

**Please have it for Paula, [paula-wagner@cdolinc.net](mailto:paula-wagner@cdolinc.net), in the kitchen by Oct. 31.**

*Rosary Blessing*  
Thursday, October 23, 2025  
during 8:15 Mass  
St. John the Apostle Church



**1ST GRADE PARENTS**

Come join us to celebrate the completion of your child's handmade Rosary with a blessing during school Mass. Please sit in the last few pews. Then enjoy donuts, juice, and coffee with all of the 1st graders after Mass!

### **Midwest School Photos – RETAKE DAY Photo Orders**

Photo ORDERS: Whether you return the order form back to school or order online, all photo orders are due by **10/28/2025 to avoid late fees.**

### **Jets SpiritWear Store**

St. John's Spirit Store is OPEN! We plan on having the online store open all year.

Please note that all 'UNIFORM APPROVED' items will be designated as such.

[Home | St Johns Spirit Wear](#)

### **Day of Amazingness**

To celebrate a very successful Raise Them Up fundraiser, the students have earned a **Day of Amazingness**, which is **rescheduled for THURSDAY, October 23rd**. The St. John's HSA board has planned a day of fun including bounce houses, and other inflatable obstacle courses, as well as Kona Ice! **This day is a NU day, and we would encourage comfortable athletic wear clothing in line with the dress code of course, and weather appropriate - the morning is usually chilly - coat/sweatshirt, hat, gloves and to bring an extra pair of dry socks.**

**There are still a few time slots open for parent volunteer hours for the Day of Amazingness. This is a fun way to get your volunteer hours completed, while seeing the kids have a great time! [CLICK HERE](#) to sign up to volunteer.**

### **👻 Trunk or Treat is Back! 👻**

Join us for a spooktacular evening of fun at **St. John's Trunk or Treat on Friday, October 24th** in the south parking lot from **6:00–7:30pm!**

Last year's event was such a blast — families, friends, and neighbors came together for costumes, candy, and community spirit. Let's make this year even better!

🔪 **Admission:** \$5 per treat bag or \$20 per family (sales end at 7:00pm — come early!)

💰 All proceeds benefit the **Home & School Association (HSA)**, which provides year-round support to our school and teachers.

👜 **Back this year by popular request** — HSA will also be selling food, so bring your appetite and enjoy dinner in costume!

🚗 **We need trunks!** Hosting a trunk is a fun way to get creative and join the celebration — and it's one of the easiest ways to meet your family's volunteer requirements.

👍 **St. John School families earn 15 volunteer hours** just for hosting a trunk!

Whether you team up with family, friends, a business, or a church group, your participation makes the event possible. (And yes, there will still be prizes for the most festive trunks!)

Don't want to host at trunk but still want to help? Sign up here to help in other ways.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805044EABAE28A4FB6-58760053-trunk>

📧 **TO SIGN UP** or learn more, contact **Shannon Castillo** at [scastillo@chadnebraska.org](mailto:scastillo@chadnebraska.org)

### **October is the Month of the Holy Rosary!**

To help celebrate, we have a traveling rosary program to encourage families to participate in this devotion together. Starting the week of October 6th, your child's classroom teacher will send home rosary packets with the youngest/only in each family. Please look in your child's backpack to see if this is the week the rosary packet is coming home with them! They will be sent home on the Friday before or the Monday of the week when it is your family's turn. They are to be returned on the last school day of the week (please remember that there is no school on Friday the 10th so you should send the packet back on Thursday the 9th if it is your family's week).

The packets include a rosary, Scriptural Rosary booklet, and a Rosary for Children pamphlet. Please let the classroom teacher know if you would prefer not to participate using the school rosaries. We hope that your family enjoys the beautiful rosaries and makes time to pray this beautiful prayer together throughout the week!

### **Opportunity to Give Back for Thanksgiving**

The St. John's staff will once again be doing a community service project for Catholic Social Services, and we need your help. We will be assembling 150 canvas totes (decorated by the students) full of Thanksgiving dinner groceries for the needy in Lincoln. Students are encouraged to bring money (cash or check made out to St. Johns) in a clearly marked envelope marked **THANKSGIVING**. Each classroom will be in a competition to see who can collect the most money. We need to raise \$1,500 to make these totes full. Any money left over will be given to CSS to add to the totes (Gift cards to grocery stores, turkey, ham). We suggest a \$5 donation per child, but you may send more. If you would prefer to give online, the QR code is below as well as the link to Push Pay for 2 options. If you do give online, please let your child's teacher know so that the student can get credit. The deadline for donations is November 7<sup>th</sup>!

Thank you!!

<https://ppay.co/Rlwl-k5hrDk>

## Let's help families have a **HOPE IN THE GOOD LIFE THANKSGIVING!**



Or use this QR code:

Just in time for Thanksgiving, St. John's Staff will be purchasing food to fill 150 grocery bags to distribute to the needy with the help of Catholic Social Services of Southern Nebraska (CSS).

Each bag will contain such things as green beans, stuffing mix, instant mashed potatoes, and more. In all, we will be purchasing 1,650 items!! Our goal is to raise \$1,500. The canvas grocery bags will also be lovingly decorated by our talented students.

Scan to Make a Donation!



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### WHAT CAN YOU DO?

Please send \$5 or more cash or checks (payable to St. John School)

to school starting the first week of October to help purchase these items. We will have a friendly competition between classes so your generosity will be appreciated by the kids, and especially those in need.

our Jets spirit!!

## **Restaurant Night Information**

The dates for restaurant nights will be in this section with any extra information needed will be posted here.

**\*\*\*All restaurants require that you mention 'St. John's Night' when ordering or we do NOT get credit during the fundraiser hours.\*\*\***

### **October**

Thursday 10/23/2025 Don & Millie's 4:00-9:00 pm

### **November**

Thursday 11-/6/25 **Chick Fil A** 4770 O St. 5:00-8:00 pm

Thursday 11/20/2025 Don & Millie's 4:00-9:00 pm

### **December**

Wednesday 12/3/25 **Honest Abes**- 840 N. 70th St 5:00-8:00

Thursday 12/18/2025 Don & Millie's 4:00-9:00 pm

### **January**

Thursday 1/8/2026 **Raising Cane's** 403 N.48th St. 4:00-8:00 pm

Thursday 1/22/2026 Don & Millie's 4:00-9:00 pm

### **February**

Thursday 2/5/2026 **Panera** 6149 O St. 4:00-8:00 pm

Thursday 2/26/2026 Don & Millie's 4:00-9:00 pm

### **March**

Tuesday 3/3/26 **Slim Chickens** 5805 S 85th St. 4:00-9:00 pm

Thursday 3/26/2026 Don & Millie's 4:00-9:00 pm

### **April**

Tuesday 4/7/26 **Village Inn** 6555 O St. 10:00 am-7:00 pm

Thursday 4/23/2026 Don & Millie's 4:00-9:00 pm

### **May**

Thursday 5/21/2026 **Dairy Queen** 7044 O St. 4:00-7:00 pm Last day of school!

Thursday 5/28/2026 Don & Millie's 4:00-9:00 pm

## **Upcoming Events**

**Youth Choir every Monday, 3:15 pm – 4:15 pm in the Music Room**



Oct 23 Day of Amazingness with NU Day  
1<sup>st</sup> grade – Blessing Rosaries in Mass

Oct 24 NO SCHOOL – Q1 End  
Trunk or Treat!

Oct 31 Halloween Parties

Nov 1 (Sat) All Saints Day

Nov 2 Daylight Savings Time Ends

Nov 7 First Friday Collection

Nov 8 St. John's Church Craft Fair

Nov 11 Veterans Day – THANK YOU Veterans!!

Nov 14 1:00 PM Dismissal, Ext. Care open; Q2 Midterm

Nov 15 School Fall Play Performance – Gym, 7 pm

Nov 16 School Fall Play Performance – Gym, 3 pm

Nov 21 Junior High Dance (Grades 6-8), 7pm, gym

Nov 25 Grade 5 – Wax Museum, church

Nov 26-30 No SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break

Dec 1 School Resumes

Dec 5 1:00 PM Dismissal, Ext. Care open; First Friday  
Collection

Dec 8 No SCHOOL – Immaculate Conception, Holy Day  
of Obligation

Dec 9 Band Concert @ Blessed Sacrament, 6:30 pm

Dec 12 Spanish Mass – Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

Dec 22 – Jan 5 NO SCHOOL – Christmas Break

Jan 6 Class Resumes

Jan 8 Raising Canes Night out for St. John's

Jan 9 First Friday Collection

**First Friday Collections 2025-2026**

<u>Month</u>	<u>Organization</u>
November	The Knights of the Holy Eucharist
December	Catholic Social Services
January	Villa Marie
February	Matt Talbot
March	St. Gianna's Homes
April	Guiding Grace
May	TBD

**\*\* Restaurant Nights – see below for information**



**St. Johns**

**Caring & Sharing**

**EARN  
20%  
FOR  
OUR  
GROUP!**

**THURSDAY  
October 23rd  
4 pm - 9 pm**

Grab your family and friends and join us at Don & Millie's! 20% of every dollar spent on great food and drinks will go right back to our organization when you mention St. Johns school. See you there!!!

**PLEASE TELL THE CASHIER**

**"O" STREET  
402-904-5097**



**FUNDRAISER  
FOR**

**ST. JOHN'S  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL**




**48th & O Street**

**Thursday, November 6<sup>th</sup>  
5:00-8:00 pm  
4770 O STREET**



**20% OF EVENT SALES GET DONATED TO ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL**



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November 20,  
4 pm - 9 pm**

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**HONEST  
Abe's  
BURGERS & FREEDOM**

**WEDNESDAY  
12/3/25  
5:00-8:00 PM**

**MEADOWLANE 840 N. 70<sup>TH</sup> ST.**



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**THURSDAY  
December 18,  
4 pm - 9 pm**

Grab your family and friends and join us at Don & Millie's! 20% of every dollar spent on great food and drinks will go right back to our organization when you mention St. Johns school. See you there!!!

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**JOIN OUR  
FUNDRAISER** *at* 

**Thursday, January 8th | 4:00PM - 8:00PM**  
Raising Cane's 403 N. 48th St., Lincoln, NE

Mention the fundraiser at the Restaurant or apply code **RCFUND96** to online or app orders at checkout and Cane's will donate **15% of Net Sales** to:  
**St. John's Catholic School**



**ONE LOVE** *Raising Funds with Raising Cane's*

Learn more about how we can support you at [CaneAndCommunity.com](https://CaneAndCommunity.com)

Minimum donation amount will be \$50. Raising Cane's® donated amount is your responsibility. All valid cash orders. \*Not valid for carry out or food and beverage sold during the event to customers who mention your organization when ordering. Raising Cane's® will donate 15% of net sales to the Raising Cane's®. The minimum donation amount is \$50. Raising Cane's® does not have a cash gift card and does not have a purchase.



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**THURSDAY  
January 22,  
4 pm - 9 pm**

Grab your family and friends and join us at Don & Millie's! 20% of every dollar spent on great food and drinks will go right back to our organization when you mention St. Johns school. See you there!!!

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**THURSDAY  
February 26  
4 pm - 9 pm**

Grab your family and friends and join us at Don & Millie's! 20% of every dollar spent on great food and drinks will go right back to our organization when you mention St. Johns school. See you there!!!

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**We're raising dough!**

**ST JOHN'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

**25%  
OF NET SALES  
WILL BE  
DONATED\***

**February 5, 2026  
4:00 pm to 8:00 pm  
6149 O St, Lincoln, NE**

Use code **FUND4U** at [panerabread.com](https://panerabread.com), in the Panera App, or at the kiosk in-cafe.

Online orders placed all day at your event cafe will count toward your total sales.

Bring this flyer or show a digital copy to your cashier when ordering at the cafe to ensure your organization gets a portion of the net sales.



\*20% Fundraiser: Up to 20% of net sales from your designated and registered fundraising event will be donated to your designated organization. Minimum sales of \$500 on the specified date, time and location required to receive 20% donation. 25% Fundraiser: Up to 25% of net sales from your designated and registered fundraising event will be donated to your approved organization. Minimum sales of \$500 on the specified date, time and location required to receive 25% donation. General terms: Details on percentage of net sales to be donated and the minimum sales requirement will be provided during the event registration process. Fundraising events available only at participating US bakery-cafes. Fundraising event details and various date and time for fundraising events will vary by bakery-cafe. Gift card purchases, catering orders, and orders placed on third party delivery sites are excluded and will not count towards the total net sales from your designated fundraising event. This offer will be void if flyer is distributed to or used for participating bakery-cafe on the night of the event. Fundraising events may be cancelled without notice due to abuse, error, fraud, computer error, electronic or technical malfunctions, or other unforeseen or unintended circumstances. Other restrictions may apply. For more information on how our fundraising events work, please visit <https://fundraising.panerabread.com/faq>. © 2024 Panera Bread. All Rights Reserved.



**SLIM CHICKENS**  
**FUNDRAISER Night**


Mention your organization at the register and Slim Chickens will donate 15% of your total.

Use code **SLIMSGIVES** when ordering online or through the Slim Chickens App!

Scan to order 

**ST JOHN'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

Tuesday, March 3rd  
4:00 pm to 9:00 pm  
5805 S 85th St.

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**THURSDAY**  
March 26,  
**4 pm - 9 pm**

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*Fundraiser for*  
**ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

*Address*  
Village Inn  
6555 O St., Lincoln, NE 68510

*Time* 10am - 7pm

*Date* Tuesday April 7, 2026

ORDERS CAN BE PLACED VIA DINE-IN OR STOREFRONT WALK-IN  
PLEASE MENTION TO YOUR SERVER THAT YOU ARE DINING FOR GROUPRAISE FUNDRAISER

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**THURSDAY**  
April 23,  
**4 pm - 9 pm**

Grab your family and friends and join us at Don & Millie's! 20% of every dollar spent on great food and drinks will go right back to our organization when you mention St. Johns school. See you there!!!

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**SHOW YOUR LOVE FOR DQ AND ST JOHN'S SCHOOL**




**May 21, 2026**

**4:00 pm to 7:00 pm**

**7044 O Street  
Lincoln, NE 68510**

**10% OF SALES WILL BE DONATED**

Bring this flyer or show a digital copy to your cashier when ordering in our dining room or drive-thru.

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**THURSDAY**  
May 28,  
**4 pm - 9 pm**

Grab your family and friends and join us at Don & Millie's! 20% of every dollar spent on great food and drinks will go right back to our organization when you mention St. Johns school. See you there!!!

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# JUNIOR HIGH SCHEDULE

2025-2026



## BOATS & FLOATS

Our kickoff for Junior High! Root beer Float Bar and a message on courage. Meet at St. Peter Parish.

**9/14**  
**6:30PM**



## IGNITE CAMPFIRE

Fireside Faith Chats, Pizza, S'mores, and more at Roca Berry Farm!

**10/10**  
**5PM-9PM**



## COZY UP FOR A CAUSE

Hot Chocolate Bar, Blanket Making for the Homeless, and talks from Missionaries. Meet at Newman Center.

**12/7**  
**6:30PM**



## THRILL & CHILL

Ice Skating and Raising Canes!  
Meet at Jon Breslow Rink.

**1/11**  
**6:30 PM**



## JUNIOR HIGH TRIVIA NIGHT

Test your Catholic Trivia!  
Meet at St. Joseph Parish

**4/19**  
**6:30 PM**



Learn more about each event and receive updates by registering for Lincoln Parish Youth Ministry (LNKYM)!

