

HSA HAPPENINGS

Saint James School HSA Monthly Newsletter

March 2019
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Hello from the HSA!

The next few months are packed with events. Mark your calendars to attend and please let us know how you might be able to help out.

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR March & April

March 1: Middle School Dance at SJS, 7:00-9:30pm, gym
March 4: HSA Evening Meeting, 7:00pm, library
March 5: HSA Morning Meeting, 8:00am, lower church hall
March 7: Family Night Out at JumpOff, 5:00-9:00pm
March 22: Middle School Bowling at Spare Time, 4:30-6:30pm
March 23: Silver & Gold Soiree, 6:00-11:30pm, Saber's Den
March 29: Family Paint Night, 6:30-8:00pm, cafeteria
March 30: Father/Son Event at Dave & Busters, 11:00am-1:00pm

April 2: HSA Evening Meeting / Munson's Order Sorting, 7:00pm, gym
April 3: Munson's Order Pick-up during morning drop-off and afternoon pick-up, gym
April 5: HSA Morning Meeting, 8:00am, lower church hall
April 5: Family Game Night, 6:30-8:30pm, cafeteria
April 27: Father/Daughter Dance, 6:00-9:00pm, gym
April 28: Yard Goats Game, 1:00pm

WHAT'S HAPPENING NOW Monthly Highlights

March is full of fun!

First up is a school-wide family night out at JumpOff in Manchester. Come on out on March 7 between 5:00 and 9:00pm and have some fun jumping with the SJS community. 25% of your admission charge will be donated back to the school so this is a great way to

have fun and help support our school. There is no sign up required for this event, just mention to the staff that you are with SJS when you arrive.

All Middle School students are invited to come bowling on March 22 at Spare Time in Vernon. This is a great opportunity for students to have some fun together on a Friday afternoon. There will be pizza, drinks and 2 hours of bowling. To sign up, follow [this link](#).

If you have not sent in your RSVP for the Silver & Gold Soiree, make sure you do! You don't want to miss out! The Soiree is a perfect way to celebrate and support our wonderful school in a fun and relaxed environment. There will be delicious food and cocktails, fabulous items for live and silent auction, and the ever-popular themed raffle baskets. RSVPs are due March 8 and forms can be found [here](#).

Family Paint Night has been rescheduled to March 29 at 6:30 in the cafeteria. This will be a really fun night and is open to all SJS families. An artist from Artful Soul will be leading us in painting a fun Easter painting. This is the perfect opportunity to try out a paint night with your family at the very reasonable cost of \$20/canvas. Everyone (children and adults) is welcome to make a painting! For the younger children in your family, there will be an option for a smaller \$5 canvas and also some coloring activities to keep the little ones busy. To sign up, please follow [this link](#).

We wrap up a busy month with the Father/Son event at Dave & Busters. This event has been a great time for SJS boys and dads for the past 2 years! Play games, win prizes and enjoy some special time together. RSVPs are due by March 15. Sign up info has been sent home with all SJS boys.

Even if you are not attending the Father/Son event, you can still purchase Dave & Busters Power Cards. This is a great way to get power cards because 50% of your purchase is donated to our school. Power cards can be used any time, at any location, and make creative Easter and birthday gifts. Follow [this link](#) to order your cards. Thank you!

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WE NEED YOUR HELP
Volunteer Opportunities

The Soiree committee is hard at work planning and there are many areas where your help is needed: soliciting sponsors and finding auction items; decorations; help with invitations, rsvps and thank you notes; set-up the day of; clean-up the morning after; assisting at the event with check-out, organizing auction items or selling raffle tickets. Please consider how you might be able to help out. Contact Erin Daley with questions and more details: erindaley6416@gmail.com.

The Father/Daughter Dance is coming up on April 27. Volunteers will also be needed to set up / clean up the dance and to oversee activities and refreshments at the dance. If you are able to help out, please contact Tammi DeLaire at tdelaire1@cox.net.

Because it's never too early to start thinking about next year...**We are in need of volunteers to co-chair two big events next year.** If you are interested in learning more about playing a central role in organizing the **Book Fair** or the **Christmas Store**, please email hsa@saintjameschool.net. Thank you!!!

SAVE THE DATE
Planning Ahead

We will be having our first-ever **Family Game Night** on April 5 at 6:30 in the cafeteria. The event will feature games by GameWright for all to play.

The Mother/Daughter Tea will be on May 18 from 11am-1pm. Volunteers will be needed to set up the afternoon before and to assist at and clean up at the tea.

The annual **Staff Appreciation Luncheon** will be held on May 24. Volunteers will be needed to help set up, serve and clean up at the luncheon, as well as watch students in the classrooms while teachers are at lunch.

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