Summer Discovery
at SJND

For the summer of 2013, SJND’s Summer Discovery has a new selection of academics, athletics and fun activities for students entering grades 3 through 8. Try chess, a Just Desserts cooking class or historical games, as well as volleyball, basketball and conditioning programs. Think summer. Think SJND.

JUST DESSERTS
Kids will have a blast creating unique pie recipes with chef Mitch Costanza, participating in cupcake batter competitions and staging ice cream flavor wars. This class promises to be a gooey, fun-filled adventure for all, with extra treats to take home each day. Week of July 22, 1 to 4 p.m. and week of Aug. 12, 1 to 4 p.m.

ENGINEERING FUN WITH LEGOS
Young engineers explore concepts in physics, architecture, mechanical and structural engineering, creating everything from gear cars to battletracks. The engineer-designed curriculum challenges students to reach higher levels of engineering comprehension while having fun. Grades 3-6. Week of June 24, 9 a.m. to noon.

PILOTS ALL-DAY HOOPS FOR BOYS
Join Coach Don Lippi, coach of the championship SJND Pilots, and Alex Harris ’04, a professional player and all-time leading scorer for UC Santa Barbara, at this exciting clinic in the Kelly Gym for a week learning and working on advanced fundamentals and skills of basketball. Grades 5 through 8. Week of June 24. 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

LIVE FROM THE IMPROV AT SJND
Learn acting, comedy and drama skills in a group setting. Improvisation stimulates the imagination, strengthens stage presence and communication skills, and students have a great time! The last day will include an improv performance. Week of June 17. 9 a.m. to noon.

HISTORICAL GAMES
History is in the hands of kids, as they’re handed a map and learn that the fate of their nation is in their own hands. Participants learn they can change history in games that come alive for them and their fellow historians. Week of Aug. 5. 9 a.m. to Noon.

CHESS COMES ALIVE
SJND is proud to partner with the well-regarded Berkeley Chess School to help bring chess alive for your child this summer. The program includes chess instruction at multiple levels, with a special emphasis on the joy of the game but with a serious eye toward each student’s progress. Weeks of June 17, 1 to 4 p.m.; July 8, 9 a.m. to noon; or, Aug 5, 1 to 4 p.m.

ART WORKS
Kids experience an array of arts in this great combination course! They discover the masters of modern art-Picasso, Monet and Andy Warhol-then reproduce their styles in various media, like paint and ink. Students also spend time developing their photography skills. Week of June 24, 1 to 4 p.m.

SCIENCE LAB
Kids take science on the road and explore different fields by going on adult-supervised excursions to local scientific institutions, including Lawrence Hall of Science, Angel Island, Chabot Space and Science Center and the Exploratorium. $310, no discount. Week of June 17. 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

SPEECH AND DEBATE
Students learn the art of the tête-à-tête from popular teacher and coach Don Lippi. Develop and deliver powerful and persuasive arguments on a range of topics. Week of July 15. 9 a.m. to noon.

REGISTER TODAY FOR SUMMER DISCOVERY AT SJND!

The fee for each program is $165, unless otherwise noted. Early bird registration is by May 15 and is $145 per session.
COOKING WITH MITCH
Professional chef Mitch Costanza, who loves teaching, spends the summer at SJND showing kids basic culinary skills, based on what the kids want to eat. They'll prepare food, cook it and eat together. This is a very popular class. Each session limited to 10 students. Weeks of June 10, June 24, July 29, 9 a.m. to noon; or, Aug. 12. 1 to 4 p.m.

MASTERPIECE PUBLISHING
Children become published authors, learning the basics of publishing, as well as various writing styles and techniques. At the end of the week, they will be on their way to publishing their first masterpiece. Week of July 29, 1 to 4 p.m.

TOUR OF EUROPE
Students tour a variety of countries through photographs, videos, cooking projects and other fun activities. They’ll gain a familiarity with the culture, cuisine, art, language and geography of Europe in a fun, structured setting. Week of July 8, 1 to 4 p.m.

TOUR OF ASIA
At this hands-on summer session, kids will learn about a variety of countries in Asia, through photographs, videos, cooking projects and other fun activities. Students will gain a familiarity with the culture, cuisine, art, language and geography of Asia in a fun, structured setting. Week of July 15, 9 a.m. to Noon.

SHAKESPEARE PLAYERS
SJND is happy to welcome back the San Francisco Shakespeare Festival to host one of its fun sessions for kids. The program offers students the opportunity to study Shakespeare in a fun, supportive atmosphere. $489 for two weeks. July 22-Aug. 2. 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Register at www.sfshakes.org/camp

STAGE A DINNER PARTY
Kids have fun planning a three-course meal and cooking it, while they learn the etiquette that accompanies such an event. Chef Mitch Costanza oversees the fun and comes up with an entertaining menu. Week of July 8, 1 to 4 p.m.

PHOTOGRAPHY
Students learn the art of digital photography and explore composition and editing using Adobe Light Room and Adobe Photoshop. They learn to train their artistic eye, taking quality photos. Digital camera required; all other materials provided by SJND. Week of July 8, 9 a.m. to noon.

ENGINEERING CHALLENGE WITH LEGOS
As they learn to build a variety of challenging projects such as elevators, gondolas and skid-steering vehicles, children use the engineering knowledge they’ve gained to build their own creations. Familiarity with Lego building system is desirable and can be obtained by attending Engineering Fun class. Grades 5-8. Week of July 8, 1 to 4 p.m.

NEEDLECRAFT ARTS
At this hands-on summer session, kids will learn a variety of stitchery arts and will construct a basic project for each, including cross stitch, needlepoint, trapunto, applique and basic embroidery. Week of July 22, 9 a.m. to Noon.

SJND SPORTS CLINICS
SJND offers sports clinics that are perfect for elementary and middle school students. In addition to teaching the fundamentals, the clinic staff also put an emphasis on having fun.

PILOTS ALL-DAY HOOPS FOR GIRLS
SJND brings a lot of fun to this week of basketball for girls who want to play basketball. This is a chance to learn from experienced and winning coaches, as well as college and high school players. Work on fundamentals and meet other kids who love the game. Grades 4 through 8. Week of June 17. 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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PILOTS CO-ED HOOPS CLINIC
Join the Pilots championship basketball staff in the Kelly Gymnasium for a week learning the fundamentals of basketball. Have fun, stay active and play lots of basketball! Grades 3 through 5. July 1-3. 9 a.m. to noon.

SPEED, DISTANCE & STRENGTH-TRAINING
Learn strategies for improving your running and endurance with Coach Tony Fong, named cross country “Coach of the Year” and coach of the state champion Pilots. Grades 6-8. Week of July 15. Time: TBA
Girls Volleyball Clinics
For beginning through advanced players, the focus is on fun, fundamentals and skill development. This clinic is a great way to develop volleyball skills and get ready for high school. Grades 5 through 6, week of June 10, 9 a.m. to noon. Grades 7 through 9, week of June 10, 1 to 4 p.m.

Girls Volleyball Leagues
Join this five-week volleyball league, where the focus is on learning volleyball skills and positive team play. Each evening will begin with a skills clinic followed by games. This league fills up quickly, so sign up soon! (No league play the week of July 4.)
Beginning League, Grade 5 to 6 Tuesdays, June 11 through July 16. 7 to 9:30 p.m. $165.
Intermediate League, Grades 7 to 9 Thursdays, June 13 through July 18. 7 to 9:30 p.m. $165.

Boys Volleyball Clinic
High school boys volleyball is played indoors and is a fast-paced and growing sport. This is an awesome opportunity to play a new and popular indoor sport. Grades 5 through 9. Week of July 8. 1 to 4 p.m.

Strength and Conditioning
Back by popular demand! Daily weight lifting and conditioning for middle school and high school athletes. Grades 6 and up. Week of July 15. Time: TBA

Playground Games
This is a great session for kids to stay active and try out all kinds of activities, including dodge ball, capture the flag, whiffle ball, kickball and more! Grades 3 through 5. Week of June 10. 1 to 4 p.m.

Register for the Whole Day
at Summer Discovery at SJND!

- Families are invited to register for same-day morning and afternoon sessions so that kids can spend the whole day at SJND.
- New this year! Kids can buy lunch for $35 per week. Lunch will be provided on SJND’s campus, where campers can spread out on the Quad and at picnic tables.

SJND Academic Enrichment
SJND offers a summer enrichment program that prepares younger students for the school year ahead and gives older students a way to develop successful study habits for a lifetime. In addition to the academic inspiration, students have fun and make friends at SJND.

Back to School Boot Camp
Get ready to go back to school! These three-hour morning sessions will prepare elementary school students, grades 3 to 5, to go back to school and will be led by credentialed elementary school teachers. Reading, writing and math will be emphasized. This program will work on the basics with a twist, because it’s going to be fun with games and group projects, too. This session is timed perfectly to help students head right back to school. Two sessions: Week of Aug. 5, 1 to 4 p.m. Week of Aug. 12, 9 a.m. to noon.

Middle School Success Strategies
This program for rising 6th, 7th and 8th graders will prepare them for middle school and beyond. Students will work on their reading comprehension, study skills, note taking, organization and time management skills for the increasingly demanding world of middle school. This class is limited to 20 students. Two sessions: Weeks of Aug. 5, 1 to 4 p.m., or Aug. 12. 9 a.m. to noon.

For more information on academic enrichment for high school students, please visit SJND.org and go to Summer Discovery or contact Seth Feldman at sfeldman@sjnd.org.

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2013 REGISTRATION FORM (Save! Early bird registration by May 15.)

Student name: ____________________________ School and Grade: ____________________________

Address: ____________________________ Email: ____________________________

City: ____________________________ State: __________ Zip __________

Parent/guardian name: ____________________________ Student DOB: ____________________________

Parent/guardian phone: ____________________________ Emergency phone number: ____________________________

Camps you wish to sign up for:

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Total amount due: ____________________________

Please send a check for total amount with this registration form to: SJND, 1011 Chestnut Street, Alameda CA 94501

Or charge amount due to Visa or Mastercard. (Please circle one.) Form may be sent to SJND fax: 510-523-2181

Card Number ____________________________ Name on Card ____________________________

Expiration Date ____________________________ Signature ____________________________

SJND Summer Discovery Program Medical Release

Parents/Guardians Names: ____________________________

Emergency Phone: ____________________________ Emergency Contact: ____________________________

Physician: ____________________________ Phone: ____________________________

I am aware that participation in this sport/activity has some inherent risks, and that on rare occasion serious injuries can and may occur. In consideration for my son/daughter being allowed to participate in the sport or activity, I assume the risk of all injury, and agree not to sue Saint Joseph Notre Dame High School, Administration, Athletic Department, coaches, agents, teachers, or volunteers for any and all injuries caused by or resulting from any participation in the activity. I understand that students may occasionally leave the campus for supervised field trips.

I authorize the SJND Summer Discovery Program to seek emergency medical care for my son/daughter by my signature below. I agree that in the event my child is injured as a result of her participation in the Summer Discovery program, whether or not caused by the negligence (active or passive) of the school, or any of its agents or employees, recourse for the payment of any resulting hospital, medical, or related costs and expenses will first be had against any accident, hospital or medical, or any available benefit plan of mine or my spouse. I am not aware of any medical condition of my child which would render inappropriate for her to participate in any such activity. I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the school supervisory personnel present to render medical treatment necessary and appropriate by the physician. I have read thoroughly the release form and understand clearly all the details outlined.

Parent/guardian signature: ____________________________ Date ____________________________

Release: I give SJND permission to photograph, video record or interview my child for the purpose of obtaining images and stories that demonstrate the qualities of SJND and its programs.

Signature: ____________________________