



CLASS OF 2023



SENIOR GRAD GUIDE

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Dear Parents and Class of 2023 Students,

Welcome to your senior year! I am sure you will agree that time has flown by. But, before you know it, you will be a graduate and off to college.

Senior year will undoubtedly be an exciting year for you both as parents of a senior and seniors themselves. In preparation for all the unique activities the school has planned for you this year, we have created this booklet to answer questions and give you an idea as to what you can expect. I ask that you read it this week and keep it as a reference for all activities that will take place over the next nine months.

My one personal piece of advice this senior year is to create a schedule for all your college application processes and then stick to it. A significant source of anxiety for many seniors is waiting until the last minute to work on applications, letters of recommendation, personal statements, and the like. A well-planned schedule for applications can mitigate a lot of undue stress!

Also, make sure to attend our College Fair, which takes place on Tuesday, October 11, 2022. It's a fantastic way to get the "inside scoop" on scores of great colleges and universities.

I wish you the best this most special year!

Siempre Adelante!

Eric Stroupe
Principal

HELLO SENIORS!

This Graduation Guide has key dates, and important information about your senior year.

Don't hesitate to reach out with **ANY** questions!



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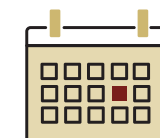
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ALCOHOL/DRUGS

As students look forward to the many events during senior year (particularly the graduation events at the end of the year), please remember the school rules concerning the use of alcohol/drugs before, during, and after any school function remain in effect and will be enforced. Do not risk the opportunity to participate in graduation exercises with the rest of the senior class.

JSerra would also like to remind parents that serving alcoholic beverages (even a glass of champagne for a toast) to minor children is contrary to the school's philosophy and is against the law. Likewise, hosting parties where minors consume alcohol is also outlawed. Family cooperation in this regard is appreciated.


ALUMNI DATABASE

Distinguished alumni are a meaningful part of JSerra's history and share a vital role in JSerra Catholic High School's future. When students first walk through JSerra, they become Lions for life. In addition to the great accomplishment of graduation, students become members of the JSerra Alumni Association.

The indelible mark students leave pave the way for more exceptional minds to continue down the path to greatness. As graduated Lions, alumni serve as mentors to JSerra's current students and are advisors for the school's growth.

To stay connected, graduates should update their mailing and email addresses on the school website at jserra.org/alumni-database. Administration and teachers love to hear about the accomplishments of alumni.

 [instagram.com/jserra_alumni](https://www.instagram.com/jserra_alumni)  [facebook.com/JSerraAlumni](https://www.facebook.com/JSerraAlumni)  [linkedin.com/in/jserraalumni](https://www.linkedin.com/in/jserraalumni)

 For more details and to receive information regarding class reunions and various alumni events, please check jserra.org/alumni.

BACCALAUREATE MASS

JSerra Catholic High School would like to cordially invite all class of 2023 graduates and their families to join on the eve of Commencement for what has been traditionally known in Catholic schools as the "kick-off" event for graduates. The celebration of Mass will be held on Friday, May 26, 2023.


Baccalaureate Mass is a long-standing custom in Catholic schools whose purpose is to give thanks to

God for students' gifts, talents, and accomplishments as they end their high school careers and ask the Lord for His grace and blessing in the next season of their lives. For information regarding handicapped seating, please see Tickets on page xx. If guests are unable to attend Baccalaureate Mass, there will be a live Internet feed via the JSerra website. On the day of Baccalaureate Mass, all seniors should report wearing their graduation gowns and JSerra-approved cords (no caps or tassels).

ATTIRE FOR STUDENTS: Graduation gowns (zipped up)

- **BOYS:**
Collared shirt, slacks, dress shoes, and tie (must follow JSerra guidelines for facial hair and hair length)
- **GIRLS:**
Dress, dress shoes (must follow JSerra guidelines for length and modesty)

ATTIRE FOR GUESTS: Business Casual


 For more details and up-to-date information regarding this event, please check jserra.org/seniorgradinfo.

CALIFORNIA SCHOLARSHIP FEDERATION (CSF)

CSF Life Members, also know as Seal-bearers, have a gold seal affixed to their diplomas and are awarded a lamp pin indicating life membership in CSF. Seal-bearer status is awarded to students who earn membership for a minimum of four semesters of the six semesters from sophomore through senior year, with at least one semester from their senior year with qualifying grades.

Membership in CSF is neither automatic nor compulsory. It is the student's responsibility to apply for membership before the announced deadline each semester (which is typically three-four weeks into the semester). Late applications are not accepted per CSF by-laws. Semester applications are automatically rejected with a D or F in any course.

CSF Life Members who have achieved the Seal-bearer status and who have shown Active membership for all qualifying semesters for the Seal-bearer status, are awarded gold stoles that are worn on graduation day.

 Please review the strict standards for membership, award status, and the guidelines for Active CSF membership at jserra.org/csf. Specific questions may be directed to the CSF moderator at csf@jserra.org

CAP AND GOWN

The cost of the cap, gown, and tassel is covered in the graduation fee. Jostens will email order forms for additional graduation memorabilia during the first semester. **Caps, gowns, and tassels will be issued to seniors on Thursday, May 26, 2022, at graduation rehearsal.** Males wear crimson gowns while females wear white gowns. Caps, gowns, and tassels are the property of the graduate and do not need to be returned.


CATALINA TRIP (SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, MAY 16, 2023)

The Catalina Flyer will leave from Newport Beach for Avalon promptly at 8:00 a.m. and return at 6:00 p.m. Permission slips are required for each student to attend. The permission slip can be found in the Permission section at the end of this book.

The event is only open to JSerra seniors and takes place on Catalina Island. The student’s Catalina Flyer ticket is included in the graduation fee. Please bring money for lunch and souvenirs as well as sunscreen and a sweatshirt. Full coverage swimwear only. Nothing “cheeky” allowed. Boardshorts for modesty will be available if a bathing suit is deemed inappropriate. All drink containers must be empty.

Students must arrive no later than 7:30 a.m. and find transportation to Balboa Pavilion and are responsible for the cost of parking: **Balboa Pavilion, 400 Main Street, Newport Beach, CA 92661.**

Parking is available in the Municipal Parking Lot on Palm Street. To enter the parking lot, make a right turn into the oceanfront parking lot at the entrance located at the ticket booth. The daily rate is approximately \$27.00 per day, payable at various self-serve pay stations found at the parking lot’s perimeter or via the ParkMobile app. A license plate number and a credit card or the correct amount of cash are required when paying at the pay stations. The pay stations do not provide change and do not give refunds.

 Students who plan to attend the Catalina Trip must turn in a completed permission slip and waiver form to the Assistant to Administration **Maggie DeLain by Friday, April 28, 2022.**


CHRISTIAN SERVICE HOURS

JSerra Catholic High School students are expected to serve their neighbors through acts of charity. JSerra’s service program seeks to develop the virtues of magnanimity, compassion, and generosity in each student through the practice of the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy, especially as it relates to the underprivileged and those in greatest need. The Christian Service Program is an essential part of the JSerra experience.

JSerra Christian Service is a requirement for graduation, and a minimum of 80 hours must be


completed over a student’s four year career. Transfer students will have an adjusted goal of 10 hours per semester enrolled at JSerra. All hours must be submitted to x2VOL.com, verified by an Activity Contact (other than a parent), and approved by the Christian Service Coordinator. Seniors that do not submit their hours by April 30th will not be approved to walk at Graduation. The deadlines are:

- **SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2023**
Service hours from the previous summer or first semester must be entered into x2VOL. Hours entered after January 15 will not be approved.
- **SUNDAY, APRIL 30, 2023**
Service hours from the second semester must be entered into x2VOL.

 For more details and up to-to-date information regarding approved service project work, please check jserra.org/christianservice. Specific questions about this event may be emailed to Campus Minister Sarah Abdulla at sabdulla@jserra.org.

COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Commencement will take place on Saturday, May 27, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. on the JSerra football field. Further details will be provided at a later date.

 For more details and up-to-date information regarding this event, please check jserra.org/seniorgradinfo.

CORDS AND STOLES

Cords and stoles are awarded to graduating seniors for academic accomplishments only — whether it is the successful completion of one of JSerra’s esteemed Magnet Programs and/or membership in NHS or CSF.

Cords and stoles will be issued to seniors on Thursday, May 25, 2023, at graduation rehearsal.

Arts Magnet	Light Blue Cord
Business Magnet	Blue & Gold Braided Cord
California Scholarship Federation	Gold Stole
Engineering Magnet	Navy & Silver Braided Cord
Law Magnet	Purple & White Braided Cord
Medical Magnet	Hunter Green Cord
Mu Alpha Theta	Light Blue & Gold Cord
National Honor Society	White Stole


COUNSELING

Senior year can be a whirlwind with college applications, but the student’s Academic and College Counselor is here to help them through the process. In addition, an essential tool at a student’s disposal is Naviance, which is available at jserra.org/naviance.

The following dates are important for a successful senior year:

- **SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2022**
Required Individual College Meetings with Counselor
TIME: Varies; Counselors will set up appointments
LOCATION: Counseling Offices
Seniors will meet with their counselor to ensure their college application plans are on track. Students will receive an email to sign up for this mandatory meeting. The meetings typically last about 45 minutes and are for students only.
- **SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER 2022**
College Admission Counselor Visits
TIME: Varies; See Naviance
LOCATION: Varies; See Naviance
College Representatives meet with students to answer questions regarding their colleges and provide requirements on admission
- **PRIOR TO COLLEGE APP**
Request Teacher Recommendations and Transcripts via Naviance
TIME: At least two weeks prior to the first college application deadline
LOCATION: Naviance (See detailed instructions in Naviance)
- **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2022**
College Fair
TIME: 6:00-7:30 p.m.
LOCATION: St. Pierre Baseball Field at JSerra
Approximately 200 college representatives will be available to provide information regarding their colleges.
- **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2022**
College Application Assistance Day
TIME: 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. (by appointment only)
LOCATION: Busch Hall Center Room
All seniors will have the opportunity to receive assistance with their college applications and essays. Although seniors are not required to come to school that day, they are highly encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity.

- **OCTOBER 2022-MAY 2023**
Ring the College Gong and College Acceptance and Scholarship Notification
LOCATION: CounselingCenter
Seniors celebrate their achievements by ringing our “I’m Gong-ing to College” Gong. As you receive college acceptances and scholarship awards, please email your counselor.
- **SPRING 2023**
Final Meeting with Counselor and Mandatory Senior Survey
TIME: Spring 2022 (before graduation)
LOCATION: Counseling Center
Seniors will meet with their counselor to go over their college decisions and any scholarships that were awarded. Students will need to bring their scholarship awards and acceptance letters to the meeting in order to document all of their accomplishments. In addition, a mandatory senior survey will be required for graduation.

 For more details and questions regarding approved College Counseling services, please check jserra.org/counselingportal.

Specific questions about college and senior year may be directed to the student’s Academic and College Counselor.

DIPLOMAS

Diplomas are issued to all graduating seniors who have successfully met all academic, service, and financial requirements.
Diplomas will be available for graduates approximately two weeks after graduation.

DITCH DAY

Any senior “ditch day” not authorized by the school.
If seniors participate in a “ditch day,” the school will remove senior privileges, starting with, but not limited to, the ability of seniors to be exempt from final exams in the second semester as this is a revocable senior privilege.

FINAL EXAMS (Second Semester)

Seniors who receive a “B” or better in the 3rd and 4th quarters are exempt from finals in that class. Seniors enrolled in an online course must take the proctored online final, regardless of the grade in the course. The second-semester final exam schedule for seniors is:

- **THURSDAY, MAY 18, 2023** Finals: Day 1
- **MONDAY, MAY 22, 2023** Finals: Day 2
- **TUESDAY, MAY 23, 2023** Finals: Day 3
- **WEDNESDAY, MAY 24, 2023** Finals: Day 4
- **THURSDAY, MAY 25, 2023** Finals: MAKE-UPS

GRADUATION ANNOUNCEMENTS

Families often use graduation announcements to announce their student’s upcoming graduation. These items may be ordered directly from Jostens. Josten’s order forms will be emailed to families in the fall, and orders will be collected until February 3, 2023. Take advantage of Jostens senior week October 16-23. If an order form is not turned in by December, families may purchase through the Jostens website, and prices will increase. Orders may be placed online at tinyurl.com/jostensjserra. Orders will be mailed in the order they are received, with announcements arriving in Spring 2023. It is suggested that announcements are sent to family and friends three weeks before graduation.

GRADUATION COMMITTEE

As the senior year progresses, there will undoubtedly be many questions. For specific questions, please refer to the contact person listed throughout this booklet. For generic questions, the graduation committee (consisting of JSerra parents) is happy to help families through the process.

GRADUATION CHAIR:
Mrs. Charity Hauke chauke@jserra.org

PARENT VOLUNTEERS:
Coco Peate jspa@jserra.org

GRADUATION FEE

Senior year is full of events designed to mark and celebrate the rite of passage when a student moves from being a high school senior to entering the new challenge of college.

The senior graduation fee of \$1,000.00 will be billed to the FACTS tuition account of each 2022 graduate on Wednesday, November 2, 2022, and the final payment is due by Thursday, February 2, 2023. Remember the items listed below are not available on an a la carte basis. If your student does not participate in one or more of the following, there are no partial refunds of the fee.

Please keep in mind that the graduation fee must be paid before the graduate is eligible to receive his or her diploma.

- Transcripts (unlimited)
- Cap, gown, tassel, and cords
- Kairos Retreat (#49, #50, or #51)
- Live for Others Camino (walk): Monday, May 15, 2023
- Catalina Trip: Tuesday, May 16, 2023
- Senior Mass & Awards Ceremony/ Senior Plunge/Yearbook Luncheon: Wednesday, May 17, 2023
- GradNite: Friday, May 12, 2023
- Graduation Breakfast: Thursday, May 25, 2023
- Baccalaureate Mass: Friday, May 26, 2023
- Commencement: Saturday, May 27, 2023
- Online downloads of Senior Photo Slideshow, Baccalaureate Mass, and Commencement Ceremony videos
- Optional items (not included in the fee) are tickets to Homecoming, Winter Formal, Prom, Senior Parking, and Senior Tribute Ads for the yearbook.

GRADNITE

GradNite is an all-night party organized by the school to ensure a safe drug- and alcohol-free graduation celebration. Students will meet at JSerra on the north side of Campus near the lunch tables at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, May 12, 2023 and return to the JSerra campus around 4:30 a.m. on Saturday, May 13, 2023. The cost of GradNite is included in the graduation fee.

Students should wear comfortable clothing, such as jeans, a t-shirt, a sweatshirt, and tennis shoes. Students’ cars may not be parked overnight, and graduates may not drive themselves home following this event. Upon drop-off, parents will be given detailed information regarding the location of GradNite.



Students who plan to attend GradNite must turn in a completed permission slip to the Assistant to Administration **Maggie DeLain** by **Friday, April 28, 2023**.

GRADUATION POLICY

In order to graduate from JSerra, a student must successfully complete a minimum of 270 credits of course work. In early spring, students are given opportunities to prepare their next year’s schedule and review graduation requirements and proper courses for admission to the colleges of their choice. Included within credits completed satisfactorily are the following course requirements:

Theology	4 years	40 credits
English	4 years	40 credits
Social Studies	3 years	30 credits
Science	3 years	30 credits
Mathematics	3 years	30 credits
World Languages	2 years	20 credits
Fine Arts	1 year	10 credits
Health *+	½ year	5 credits
First Year Seminar +	½ year	5 credits
Electives	4 years	40 credits
Physical Education	2 years	20 credits

TOTAL: 270 CREDITS

* STUDENTS ENROLLED IN THE MEDICAL MAGNET PROGRAM ARE EXEMPT FROM TAKING HEALTH.
+ DUE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC, THE CLASS OF 2024 IS EXEMPT FROM HEALTH AND FIRST YEAR SEMINAR.

In order to receive a diploma, a student must have earned a cumulative total GPA of 2.0 or better, have no “D”/”F” or “Incomplete” grades on their transcript, and have no outstanding financial obligations. Additionally, students must have completed their Christian Service requirements (see Christian Service requirements on page 20 of the Parent Student Handbook).
Should a student receive a “D” or “F” grade in their senior year and the grade can be made up in summer school, the student may participate in graduation exercises, but will not receive a diploma until the “D” or “F” is remediated.

GRADUATION BREAKFAST & REHEARSAL


All seniors must attend a mandatory rehearsal **9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 25, 2023**. Students may wear appropriate casual attire. Students will receive their cap, gown, and cords. They will also receive the appropriate number of graduation tickets, and parking passes (if requested) at the end of rehearsal. Breakfast will be provided and seniors will have the opportunity to enjoy a senior memories video.

KAIROS RETREAT

Kairos, pronounced “Ky-ROS,” is an ancient Greek word that means “the supreme moment.” It is a four-day retreat experience offered to all JSerra seniors that encourages students to reflect on all that has led them to their senior year and is awaiting them in the next chapter of their life. While spending time with friends, students will have the chance to forge new friendships and rekindle old friendships amidst the picturesque backdrop of the Julian countryside at Whispering Winds Camp & Conference Center. The retreat will include large group games, activities, music, peer testimonies, small groups led by JSerra staff – all of which are designed to help students experience a “supreme moment” of thankfulness, joyfulness, and hopeful expectancy.
While the retreat format is shaped around the Catholic Christian tradition, Kairos is open to students from all religious backgrounds. Kairos aims to invite each student to reflect on their own personal journey of life and respond to God’s unique love for them. Days of school missed for Kairos are excused absences.

The following Kairos retreats are scheduled for the Class of 2023:
Kairos #49 NOVEMBER 8-11, 2023
Kairos #50 JANUARY 24-27, 2023
Kairos #51 MARCH 20-23, 2023

- STEPS TO SIGN UP:
1. Payment: The fee for Kairos is covered in the graduation fee. This fee is non-refundable.
 2. Online registration is required at jserra.org/kairos. More details and FAQs can be found here as well (including dates, times, and what to bring).
 3. JSerra encourages all families to consider which Kairos would be the best for their child to attend and register as soon as possible. Spots fill up quickly.

 Specific questions about this retreat may be emailed to the Vice Principal of Student Formation & Leadership, Zach Eckert at zeckert@jserra.org.

LIVE FOR OTHERS SENIOR (L4O) SENIOR CAMINO

JSerra’s annual L4O Senior Camino is a Lion tradition to help graduating seniors reflect on the gifts that God has given them and what He has in store for them as they enter the next phase of their lives. The Camino is named in honor of the late Tim Vorenkamp (’15), who passed away in 2016 from a rare form of cancer. Before his death, Tim founded the Live for Others Foundation, which raises awareness and funds the research to cure Synovial Cell Sarcoma.

The L4O Senior Camino will take place on **Monday, May 15, 2023**. Lunch will be provided at JSerra immediately following the walk. Please remember students are representing JSerra. Please make wise clothing choices (ladies may wear leggings IF their t-shirt covers their bottom!). Sweatshirts are highly recommended. Please don't forget sunscreen and a water bottle.



Students who plan to attend the L4O Senior Camino must turn in a completed permission slip to the Assistant to Administration **Maggie DeLain** by **Friday, April 28, 2023**.

MU ALPHA THETA

MU ALPHA THETA is the leading mathematical national honors society in the United States for high school and two-year college students. Yearly membership is granted with applications with qualifying grades that show excellence in upper-level, full year mathematics courses at JSerra. Graduating seniors, who have met the minimum required yearly memberships and service requirements for **MU ALPHA THETA**, are awarded a looped yellow and light blue cord to be worn at graduation.



Please review the strict standards for membership and the criteria for the graduation award at jserra.org/mu. Specific questions about **MU ALPHA THETA** may be emailed to your moderator at mualphatheta@jserra.org.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY (NHS)

The NHS Chapter at JSerra Catholic High School serves to honor students who have demonstrated excellence in the areas of Scholarship, Leadership, Service, and Character. These characteristics have been associated with membership since the organization's inception.

It is essential to understand that chapter membership recognizes students for their past accomplishments and challenges them to develop further through active involvement in school activities and community service. In addition, students must remember that membership is an honor and a privilege and is not a right accorded to the academically eligible student.

NHS welcomes all junior and senior students with a CUMULATIVE weighted academic GPA of 4.0 or above to apply. NHS members provide regular tutoring to their JSerra peers and are distinguished by the official NHS white stole worn at graduation.



Please review the strict standards for membership and application guidelines at jserra.org/nhs. Specific questions about NHS may be emailed to your NHS Moderator at nhs@jserra.org.

PARENT VOLUNTEERS

In late April, senior parents will be receiving an email from the school regarding donations and parent volunteers for a variety of senior events including but not limited to:

- Live for Others Camino way stations and lunch
- Senior Luncheon set-up and distribution of yearbooks

PROM

Prom will be held on Thursday, May 18, 2023, and is open to juniors and seniors.

Underclassmen may attend only at the invitation of the upperclassmen. Non-JSerra students are allowed to attend Prom if a guest pass contract is turned in to the Deans' Office two days preceding the dance.

Prom is a formal dance. Please refer to the Parent Student Handbook regarding the dress code for formal dances. Students who violate the dress code will not be permitted to enter the dance, and their parents will be contacted. Students who alter their attire after entering the dance may be asked to leave. No refunds will be issued to students or guests who are denied entry or removed from any dance.

Students will not be admitted after 9:00 p.m. unless prior arrangements have been made with the Deans. The early-out time for dances is 10:30 p.m.

ROSARIES

JSerra's founding is based on the teachings of the gospel of Jesus Christ. Regardless of each family's faith tradition, prayer should be an essential part of each person's daily life. Through the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, one can accomplish things beyond one's wildest imagination.

JSerra has a tradition that a rosary is given to each graduate at the Baccalaureate Mass. It takes about twelve minutes to recite a rosary, and graduates are encouraged to incorporate this into their prayer life.

SENIOR AWARD DESCRIPTIONS

JSerra Catholic High School is privileged to recognize the excellence of its students by presenting the most prestigious awards at the Senior Award Ceremony, Baccalaureate Mass, and Commencement Ceremony.

Valedictorian Award

Presented to the senior who, throughout their high school career, has demonstrated excellence in the most challenging academic courses offered by JSerra and is graduating with the highest academic GPA. For the purpose of this award, Advanced Placement classes will be considered more challenging than Honors courses. To be eligible for this award, a student must have attended JSerra for at least three years and be in good standing with the school. The recipient of this award will deliver the commencement address at the Commencement Ceremony.

Salutatorian Award

Presented to the senior who, throughout their high school career, has demonstrated excellence in the most challenging academic courses offered by JSerra and is graduating with the second-highest academic GPA. For the purpose of this award, Advanced Placement classes will be considered more challenging than Honors courses. To be eligible for this award, a student must have attended JSerra for at least three years and be in good standing with the school. The recipient of this award will address the graduating class at the Senior Awards Ceremony preceding the Baccalaureate Mass and will deliver the invocation at the Commencement Ceremony.

JSerra Award

Presented to the senior who has best exemplified JSerra’s mission and philosophy. The recipient will be a well-rounded student who personifies the goals and values embodied in the school’s mission statement. The Awards Committee will solicit input from faculty, nominate proposed recipients of this award, and make the final selection.

Msgr. Martin Award

Presented to the senior who has most contributed to the well-being of others at JSerra throughout their high school career. The recipients will be distinguished in the furtherance of Catholic social justice and devotion to the Gospel message of love, service, and kindness. The Campus Ministry Department will select the recipient of this award.

Reese Imhoff Faith Over Fear Award

Presented to the senior, who throughout their high school career, has demonstrated choosing their faith over difficult circumstances in their lives. The Awards Committee will make the final selection.

Lion Grit Award

is awarded to the senior who has demonstrated the most academic improvement over the past four years through his/her perseverance and passion for long term goals. Academic improvement will be based on the student’s overall GPA. The Awards Committee will make the final selection.

Lion Award

Presented to the senior who has engendered school spirit and contributed most to the extracurricular activities of JSerra. The Awards Committee will solicit input from the senior class and faculty and nominate proposed recipients of this award. The Awards Committee will make the final selection.

Senior Faculty Awards

Presented to the senior boy and girl who are particularly admired and respected by the JSerra faculty for their contributions to school life. The Awards Committee will solicit input from faculty and then nominate proposed recipients for this award. The Awards Committee will make the final selection.

Christian Service Award

Presented to the senior who has best demonstrated one or more of the corporal or spiritual works of mercy during their career at JSerra and is dedicated to serving an underprivileged, disenfranchised, or needy population. The recipient of this award has accumulated the greatest number of Christian service hours during their JSerra career.

Senior Scholar Athlete Awards

Presented to the senior boy and girl who, throughout their careers at JSerra, have demonstrated excellence in both athletics and scholastic courses. To be eligible for this award, a student must have excelled in a JSerra varsity sport during their senior year and have at least a 4.0 scholastic GPA. The Athletic Director will select the recipients of this award.

Departmental Gold Awards

Presented to seniors who have excelled in English, Mathematics, Performing Fine Arts, Science, Social Studies, Theology, Visual Fine Arts, and/or World Languages during their career at JSerra. The academic departments will select the recipients of this award.

SENIOR MASS AND AWARDS CEREMONY

On Wednesday, May 17, 2023, at 8:35 a.m., the seniors will attend their final JSerra weekly Mass. Students must wear their full Mass uniform.

Preceding Mass, the seniors will funnel across the bridge, which will be lined with the underclassmen.

Family and friends are encouraged to attend both the procession and Mass. The Mass and awards presentation will be finished by 12:00 p.m. Seniors will be seated on the floor while family and friends will be seated in the senior section. Following Mass, several senior awards will be presented.

Immediately following, the seniors will take part in the Senior Plunge and Senior Yearbook Luncheon. Please see Senior Plunge (page 21) and Yearbook Luncheon (page 23) for information about the day's festivities.

SENIOR PHOTO SLIDESHOW

Parents and students are asked to send in photos of the graduate and their friends from JSerra events for the senior video. PHOTOS MUST BE FROM JSERRA EVENTS OR TAKEN ON THE JSERRA CAMPUS. Some examples would be photos from freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior year sporting events, school dances, spirit days, and retreats.

To ensure the video and photos align with those of the JSerra Mission, photos including the following may not be included:

- Clothing not adhering to the dress code policy
- Photos with Hand Signals
- Photos with tongues sticking out or "duck lips"
- Students wearing Face Masks

JSerra reserves the right to exclude any photographs not aligned with the JSerra mission.

Please send photos to jserraseniors2023@jserra.org with the student's name in the subject line.

Do not send phone screenshots or files in .heic format as they cannot be opened and included in the slideshow. Once the email is received, there will be an automatic reply stating the images have been received.

The submission deadline is Monday, April 17, 2023. Remember, if photographs are not sent in, the graduate may not be in the video.

SENIOR PARKING

For those who did not purchase a reserved painted parking spot, the standard parking permit fee is \$25.00 for seniors who need a replacement parking permit from the year prior. If students still have the parking permit from last year, no additional fee is required. Permits will be available for pick-up in the Deans' Office and must be purchased online at jserra.org/parking.



Specific questions about parking may be directed to Dean Chris Plaia at cplaia@jserra.org.

SENIOR PLUNGE

Following the Senior Mass and Awards Ceremony on Wednesday, May 17, 2023, the traditional Senior Plunge occurs.

Seniors have the opportunity to jump in the pool in full Mass uniform. Parents are invited to attend. However, only seniors are invited to take part in the plunge. Students will need a change of clothing following the plunge in order to take part in the Yearbook Luncheon. Cell phones and keys will be collected when students arrive at school.

SENIOR PORTRAITS

JSerra has contracted with South Coast Photographic to take the senior portraits for the Class of 2023. The photos will be a one-half body shot from the bust or waist up. The guidelines for senior portraits and the appropriate wear are as follows:

GIRLS:

- Blouse or sweater that does not have a plunging neckline
- No off-shoulder, spaghetti straps, or strapless tops
- No visible undergarments
- Small set of earrings is acceptable (no hoops, nothing that distracts from the face)
- Modest necklace (gold/silver); a small cross, heart or stone is ideal
- No unnatural hair colors or outrageous styles

BOYS:

- Suit coat and tie
- No unnatural hair colors or haircuts
- Hair must be neat and cut above the collar in the back and above the ears on the sides
- Hair should not hang below the eyebrows
- No facial hair is permitted

South Coast Photographic will take portraits with the traditional blue background included in the basic traditional session. If you should want other backdrops, South Coast Photographic can provide extended sessions with multiple backgrounds and changes of clothes. South Coast Photographic will provide additional information.

Please refer to the dates and times requested by South Coast Photographic to ensure that the student's portraits are done on time so that they will be included in the yearbook. Photos taken after October 28, 2022 will not be included in the yearbook or graduation festivities. In addition, the purchase

of the digital image is encouraged to use in senior ads, announcements, etc.

➔ South Coast Photographic / 6237 Enterprise Ct. / Lake Forest, CA 92630 / 949-699-0199

SENIOR YEARBOOK QUOTES

Each senior is provided the option to submit a senior quote for the yearbook. Students should choose a memorable quote that reflects their personality. Be creative and create something original and positive. Consider referencing something specific to JSerra or quote someone such as an author, person, movie, television, book, etc.

Instructions and dates regarding submission will be communicated with seniors at the end of the first semester. Each quote must be cited and may not exceed 20 words.

Students must submit their quotes before the deadline, or they will not have a quote in the yearbook. In addition, seniors will not be given another chance to resubmit a quote if their quote is deemed inappropriate or unacceptable by JSerra Administration.

💬 Specific questions regarding the appropriateness of your senior quote may be emailed to Vice Principal of Student Formation & Leadership Zach Eckert at zeckert@jserra.org before the due date.

TICKETS

Each graduating senior is entitled to eight (8) tickets for their guests. Although tickets are FREE, space is strictly limited, and each guest must have a ticket to attend the Commencement Ceremony. Graduates themselves do not need a ticket.

- **Accessible Seating:** If any of your guests require handicap accessible seating and entry, please email info@jserra.org so we can best accommodate the guest's ADA needs.
- **Accessible Seating Drop Off Pass:** Due to a limited number of handicap accessible parking spots, guests will be able to utilize a drop-off lane, which will allow individuals who require accessible seating and/or entry to be dropped off at a special entrance. The drop-off lane will be available for guests who have difficulty walking so that they can be seated comfortably before the doors open and bypass the need to use any stairs. Accessible seating and the drop-off pass are valid for both the Baccalaureate Mass and Commencement Ceremony.

Graduates will receive the appropriate number of tickets and Accessible Seating Drop-off Passes following graduation rehearsal on **Thursday, May 25, 2023.**

💬 Specific questions regarding graduation tickets and accessible seating may be emailed to the Assistant to Administration Maggie DeLain at mdelain@jserra.org.

TUITION

All financial obligations of graduating seniors must be met before the second-semester finals to be eligible to participate in senior activities and Commencement.

UNIFORM DONATIONS

The JSerra Parent Association will hold a Used Uniform Sale throughout the year. This is a great way to clean out closets and get ready for all new college gear.

💬 Specific questions regarding uniform donations may be emailed to the Assistant to Administration Maggie DeLain at mdelain@jserra.org.

YEARBOOK LUNCHEON

This portion of the day is for senior graduates only. Yearbooks for seniors will be distributed during lunch on Wednesday, May 17, 2023. Seniors will have time to sign and swap yearbooks in the afternoon.

YEARBOOK SENIOR TRIBUTES

A senior yearbook is included in tuition fees and will be ordered for every student. Senior parents are encouraged to purchase senior tributes for the 2022-2023 yearbook.

Please go to theyearbookcompany.com to start uploading photos for the graduate's tribute. The dates listed below are submission dates for online ordering or POSTMARK dates if they are being mailed.

- Computer-generated ads or hand-assembled ads are perfectly acceptable.
- Please be mindful of keeping photos modest and appropriate for a Catholic school.
- Do not send in family heirloom photos as they may be inadvertently lost. Good copies are fine as pictures will take several months to be returned to you. Digital submissions must be JPEG files that are 300 DPI actual size.
- Please be sure to incorporate the graduate's first and last name in the ad, so in years to come, the ad has more meaning.



Specific questions regarding Senior Tributes may be emailed to Yearbook Advisor Jonathan Molvik at jmolvik@jserra.org.

PRICES
AND
DATES

YEARBOOK SENIOR TRIBUTES AD

Due Dates	Early Bird Pricing Nov. 1, 2022	Regular Pricing Dec. 6, 2022	Last Chance Pricing Jan. 17, 2023
Quarter-page ad	\$180.00	\$195.00	\$250.00
Half-page ad	\$250.00	\$295.00	\$360.00
Full page ad	\$450.00	\$495.00	\$550.00

*MAIL-IN DEADLINES ARE POSTMARK BY DATES AND ONLINE DATES ARE MIDNIGHT

CLASS OF 2023 YEARBOOK SENIOR RECOGNITION ADS

MAKE SURE YOUR FAVORITE SENIOR IS FEATURED IN THE 2023 YEARBOOK!

Congratulate your special graduate in the yearbook in your own words and pictures!

Due date is POSTMARKED by:

Nov 1st
(early bird price)

OR **Dec 6th** (regular deadline) OR the **LAST & FINAL CHANCE**
DATE JAN. 17th



(ad styles and layouts are subject to change from year to year in keeping with the unique design and feel of each year's book)

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Mail **EVERYTHING** together: photos, message, order form and payment in ONE package postmarked by the deadline.

Or order online at: www.TheYearbookCompany.com by midnight on the day of the deadline.

We reserve the right to edit or remove material inappropriate for a school yearbook such as but not limited to: firearms, inappropriate hand gestures, drugs or drug references, alcohol, and nudity (even baby bottoms) without prior notification.

TEXT

(See ad formats online or order form for character count guidelines.)

- Type your message on white paper, typed in a plain font
- OR
- Submit a word doc or .txt file on a CD or jump drive.

PHOTOS

(Photos will be sized to fit.)

HARD COPY PHOTOS:

- Submit the exact number of photos to match your format.
- Write position number and student's name on each photo.
- Do not submit computer printouts on regular paper.
- DO NOT fold or cut photos. Careful of wet ink!

DIGITAL PHOTOS:

- Submit 300 DPI .jpg files on a CD or jump drive.
- File name should be the student's name and photo position number. (ex John Doe 2.jpg)

GENERAL PHOTO GUIDELINES:

- NO photos from websites or screen shots from cell phones, no watermarked photos, no copyrighted photos.
- We cannot fix photos (blurry, creased, fingerprinted, etc.)

CUSTOM ADS

HARD COPY AD:

- Submit a perfect, "camera-ready" ad by mail. The ad looks perfect because you've glued/taped everything in its EXACT place and EXACT size (see specs on order form).

OR

- Submit a photo-quality printout of the ad on glossy photo paper, made to be the EXACT size of the ad (see specs on order form).

DIGITAL AD:

- Must be 300 DPI actual size .jpg files.
- Please DO NOT use Microsoft Word, PowerPoint, or online photo sharing tools to create your ad due to poor resolution. If you use these programs, submit a photo-quality printout of the ad on glossy photo paper, made to be the EXACT size of the ad (see specs on order form).

GENERAL CUSTOM AD GUIDELINES:

- **Include your child's name on your artwork.**
- Do not put any wording or faces on the very edge.
- We cannot create custom ads for you.

SUBMITTING

DO NOT SEND ANYTHING TO THE SCHOOL

Mail all materials and payment to:
JSerra Catholic High School Senior Ads
The Yearbook Company
3900 Market Street, Suite 230
Riverside, CA 92501

OR if you are technology savvy, you can submit **everything** online at www.TheYearbookCompany.com (it's not possible to just pay online- all your photos and message must be submitted at that time as well.)

for more information and for answers to frequently asked questions, please visit

www.theyearbookcompany.com or call 951-274-9561

(Please note that a recognition ad and the pre-order of a yearbook are two separate purchases)

HELLO CLASS OF 2023!

THE FOLLOWING PAGES HAVE YOUR
PERMISSIONS SLIPS &
CALENDAR OF EVENTS.

**PERMISSION SLIPS ARE DUE
FRIDAY, APRIL 28, 2023.**



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San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675
jserra.org
@JSerraLions
JSerraCatholicHighSchool
#LionNation

949.493.9307

LIVE FOR OTHERS SENIOR CAMINO FIELDTRIPPARENT AUTHORIZATIONANDRELEASEFORM

Form must be completed and returned to **Ms. Maggie DeLain** by **April 28, 2023** in order to participate in this event.

Student Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Field trip off JSerra Campus: **Walk from Our Lady of Fatima (OLF) to JSCHS** Date of trip: **Monday: May 15, 2023**

Means of transportation: **Own transportation to (OLF) 105 North La Esperanza, San Clemente, CA 92672**

Responsible/Supervising JSerra Employee: **Mrs. Emily O'Berry, Activities Director**

I hereby request that JSerra Catholic High School ("JSerra") permit my son/daughter identified above to participate in the foregoing activity. I am aware that there are certain risks associated with such participation. I hereby knowingly and voluntarily assume full responsibility for any and all such risks (including risks of bodily injury, personal injury, death or property damage). I acknowledge that my student has no emotional or physical condition which would cause him or her to be a danger to themselves or others and that may impede the success of the trip. My son/daughter is covered by medical health insurance sufficient to provide for any medical costs that may be incurred, and in any event, I agree to be fully responsible for such costs.

Moreover, for valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I, individually and on behalf of my minor child and minor child's heirs, representatives and assigns, hereby knowingly and voluntarily: (i) release, waive, and discharge JSerra, and each of its officers, directors, employees, agents, volunteers, and representatives ("Releasees"), of and from any and all liability, claims, demands, causes of action, losses, damages, costs (including attorney's fees and court costs) and expenses relating to or arising from such participation and sustained as a result of the negligence of JSerra (hereinafter referred to as "Losses"); and (ii) agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees from all Losses. I further expressly agree, individually and on behalf of my minor child and minor child's heirs, representatives and assigns, that this release and waiver, indemnity agreement and assumption of risk are intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by California law.

I hereby authorize JSerra personnel, as agent for the undersigned, to consent to any x-ray, examination, anesthetic, medical or surgical diagnosis or treatment and hospital care which is deemed advisable by, and render under the general or special supervision of any physician and/or surgeon licensed under the provisions of the Medical Provisions Act on the medical staff of any accredited hospital, whether such diagnosis or treatment is rendered at the office of said physician or at said hospital.

It is understood that this authorization is given in advance of any specific diagnosis, treatment or hospital care being required, but is given to provide authority and power on the part of our aforesaid agent to give specific consent to any and all such diagnosis, treatment or hospital care, which the aforementioned physician, in exercise of his best judgment, may deem advisable.

Parent/Guardian initials: _____

STUDENT MEDICAL HISTORY/MEDICATION AUTHORIZATION

Allergies/medical problems/disabilities: _____

I have authorized my son/daughter to be administered the following medications: (check all that apply)

Advil ____ **Tylenol** ____ **Tums** ____ **Claritin** ____ **Benadryl** ____ **Triple Antibiotic Cream** ____ **Eye Wash** ____

I have authorized my student to be administered the following prescription medication(s); (must be in original labeled container): _____

Written authorization must be on file with Nurses Office for your student to take any medication.

Insurance Company: _____ Policy Number: _____

Doctor's Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____

Parent/Guardian Name (print): _____ Phone: (____) _____

Additional emergency contact: _____ Phone: (____) _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ **Date:** _____

LIVE FOR OTHERS SENIOR CAMINO
STUDENT BEHAVIOR CONTRACT

In order to ensure that this program is a positive experience for all involved, I understand and agree to the following while I am participating in this travel experience:

1.

During this trip, I realize that I am a representative of the school. At all times, I will observe all school rules.
2.

I will cooperate and abide by the rules/guidelines of chaperones, host families, groups and/or designated agencies.
3.

I will satisfactorily complete all study, writing or work assignments associated with this program.
4.

I understand that possession and/or use of alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, or tobacco is forbidden.
5.

I will dress appropriately for all activities.
6.

I will be expected to make restitution for any incurred damage to property or persons, at school or in the home, accidental or otherwise.
7.

For overnight trips, I understand that I will not be in any hotel room with a member(s) of the opposite sex. Inappropriate behavior of a sexual nature is also grounds to be sent home at the expense of parents/guardians.

I understand that if any of the above is jeopardized by my behavior, my parents will be notified, and I will be at risk of being sent home immediately and unaccompanied at my parents/my own expense.

Student Name

Date

Student Signature

Parent Name

Date

Parent Signature

SENIOR TRIP
FIELD TRIP PARENT AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE FORM

Form must be completed and returned to **Ms. Maggie DeLain** by **April 28, 2023** in order to participate in this event.

Student Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Field trip to: **Catalina Island** Purpose: **Senior Class Trip** Date of trip: **Tuesday: May 16, 2023**

Departure Time: **To Be Announced** Return Time: **To Be Announced**

Means of Transportation: **To Be Announced**

Responsible/Supervising JSerra Employee: **Mrs. Emily O'Berry, Activities Director**

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Moreover, for valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I, individually and on behalf of my minor child and minor child’s heirs, representatives and assigns, hereby knowingly and voluntarily: (i) release, waive, and discharge JSerra, and each of its officers, directors, employees, agents, volunteers, and representatives (“Releasees”), of and from any and all liability, claims, demands, causes of action, losses, damages, costs (including attorney’s fees and court costs) and expenses relating to or arising from such participation and sustained as a result of the negligence of JSerra (hereinafter referred to as “Losses”); and (ii) agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees from all Losses. I further expressly agree, individually and on behalf of my minor child and minor child’s heirs, representatives and assigns, that this release and waiver, indemnity agreement and assumption of risk are intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by California law.

I hereby authorize JSerra personnel, as agent for the undersigned, to consent to any x-ray, examination, anesthetic, medical or surgical diagnosis or treatment and hospital care which is deemed advisable by, and render under the general or special supervision of any physician and/or surgeon licensed under the provisions of the Medical Provisions Act on the medical staff of any accredited hospital, whether such diagnosis or treatment is rendered at the office of said physician or at said hospital.

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Parent/Guardian initials: _____
STUDENT MEDICAL HISTORY/MEDICATION AUTHORIZATION

Allergies/medical problems/disabilities: _____

I have authorized my son/daughter to be administered the following medications: (check all that apply)

Advil ____ Benadryl ____ Claritin ____ Eye Wash ____ Motion Sickness Meds ____

Triple Antibiotic Cream ____ Tums ____ Tylenol ____

I have authorized my student to be administered the following prescription medication(s); (must be in original labeled container): _____

Written authorization must be on file with Nurses Office for your student to take any medication.

Insurance Company: _____ Policy Number: _____

Doctor’s Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____

Parent/Guardian Name (print): _____ Phone: (____) _____

Additional emergency contact: _____ Phone: (____) _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date: _____

CATALINA TRIP
STUDENT BEHAVIOR CONTRACT

In order to ensure that this program is a positive experience for all involved, I understand and agree to the following while I am participating in this travel experience:

- 1. During this trip, I realize that I am a representative of the school. At all times, I will observe all school rules.
- 2. I will cooperate and abide by the rules/guidelines of chaperones, host families, groups and/or designated agencies.
- 3. I will satisfactorily complete all study, writing or work assignments associated with this program.
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Student Name

Date

Student Signature

Parent Name

Date

Parent Signature

GRADNITE
FIELD TRIPPARENT AUTHORIZATIONANDRELEASEFORM

Form must be completed and returned to **Ms. Maggie DeLain** by **April 28, 2023** in order to participate in this event.

Student Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Field trip of JSerra campus to: **GradNite** Date(s) of trip: **Friday: May 12, 2023 to Saturday: May 13, 2023**

Means of Transportation: **Bus from JSerra**

Departure Time: **3:00 p.m. on May 12th from JSerra (meet at JSerra Pavilion)**

Return Time: **Approximately 4:00 a.m. on May 13th to JSerra (near lunch tables)**

Responsible/Supervising JSerra Employee: **Mrs. Emily O'Berry, Activities Director**

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It is understood that this authorization is given in advance of any specific diagnosis, treatment or hospital care being required, but is given to provide authority and power on the part of our aforesaid agent to give specific consent to any and all such diagnosis, treatment or hospital care, which the aforementioned physician, in exercise of his best judgment, may deem advisable.

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STUDENT MEDICAL HISTORY/MEDICATION AUTHORIZATION

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Doctor’s Name: _____ Phone: (_____) _____

Parent/Guardian Name (print): _____ Phone: (_____) _____

Additional emergency contact: _____ Phone: (_____) _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date: _____

GRADNITE
STUDENT BEHAVIOR CONTRACT

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Student Name

Date

Student Signature

Parent Name

Date

Parent Signature

SAVE THE DATES!

1ST SEMESTER: 2022

DATE	EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
Aug. 6	Senior Parking Paint Day	9 :00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Senior Lot
Aug. 11	First Day of School	8:00 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.	
Aug. 12	First Day of Online Instruction		
Aug. 17 & 18	Student ID Photos	8:00 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.	Theology Class
Aug. 19	Senior Student & Parent Night: Counseling	5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.	Virtual
Aug. 29 & 30	Senior College Application Workshop	8:00 a.m. - 2:45 p.m..	Theology Class
Aug. 30	College Talk: College Essay Workshop	5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.	Virtual
Sept. 5	Labor Day Weekend: NO SCHOOL	All Day	
Sept. 23	NO SCHOOL	All Day	
Oct. 28	Senior Yearbook Photo Deadline		South Coast Photographic
Oct. 22	Homecoming	8:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.	Pavilion
Oct. 10	NO SCHOOL	All Day	
Oct. 12	College Fair	6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	
Nov. 2	Graduation Fee Billed		FACTS Account
Nov. 2	Senior Tribute Ads: Early Bird Pricing Deadline	Must be postmarked	Yearbook Company
Nov. 8-10	Kairos 49		Whispering Winds
Nov. 11	Veteran's Day: NO SCHOOL	All Day	
Nov. 18-27	Thanksgiving Break: NO SCHOOL	All Day	
Dec. 7	Senior Tribute Ads: Regular Pricing Deadline	Must be postmarked	Yearbook Company
Dec. 9-14	1 ST SEMESTER EXAMS		
Dec. 16-Jan. 2	Christmas Break: NO SCHOOL	All Day	

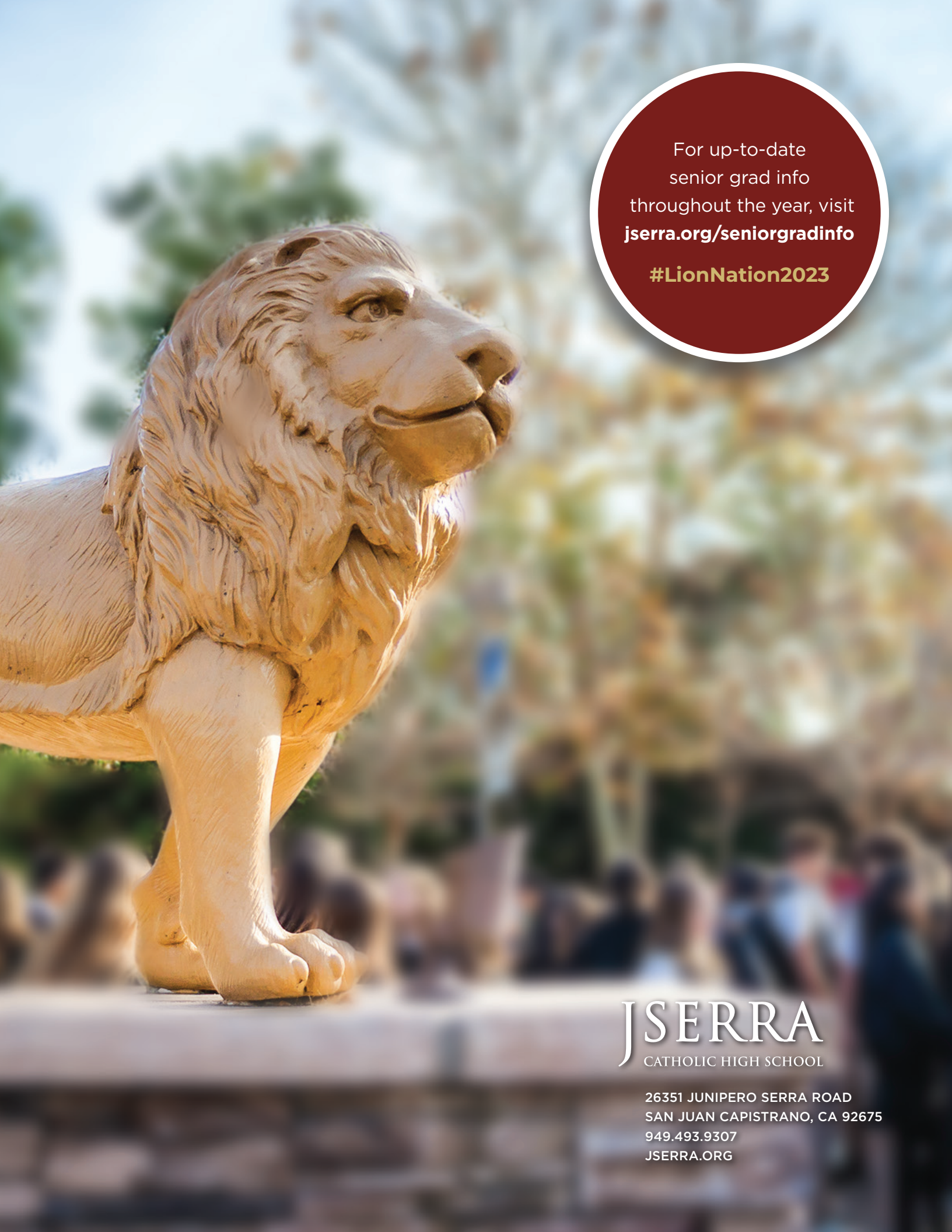
DATES/TIMES/LOCATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. WE APPRECIATE YOUR FLEXIBILITY.

SAVE THE DATES!

2ND SEMESTER: 2023

DATE	EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
Jan. 3	Classes Resume		
Jan. 3	First Day of Online Instruction	8:00 a.m.-2:45 p.m.	
Jan. 15	Christian Service Hours Due (Summer and 1st Semester)	4:00 p.m.	X2Vol.com
Jan. 16	Martin Luther King Jr. Day: NO SCHOOL	All Day	
Jan. 18	Senior Tribute Ads: Last Chance Pricing	Must be postmarked	Yearbook Company
Jan. 24-27	Kairos 50		Whispering Winds
Feb. 2	Graduation Fee Due	4:00 p.m.	FACTS Account
Feb. 4	Winter Formal	8:00 p.m.- 11:00 p.m.	Off Campus
Feb. 17-20	Presidents Day Weekend: NO SCHOOL	All Day	
March 6	NO SCHOOL	All Day	
March 20-23	Kairos 51		Whispering Winds
April 6-16	Easter Break: NO SCHOOL	All Day	
April 17	Classes Resume	8:00 a.m.-2:45 p.m.	
April 17	Senior Memory Video: Photos Due		jserraseniors2022@jserra.org
April 28	Senior Permission Slips Due	4:00 p.m.	Ms. Maggie DeLain
April 30	Christian Service Hours Due (2nd Semester)	4:00 p.m.	x2Vol.com
May 1-12	AP Exams	All Day	Various Locations
May 12	Last Day of Classes for Seniors		
May 12	GradNite		To Be Determined
May 15	Live for Others Camino	7:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	
May 16	Catalina Trip	8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Catalina Island
May 17	Senior Mass		Pavilion
May 17	Senior Awards Ceremony		Pavilion
May 17	Senior Plunge		Pool Deck
May 17	Senior Yearbook Luncheon	12:00 p.m.	
May 18	Prom	8:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.	Off Campus
May 18-24	2 ND SEMESTER EXAMS		
May 25	Graduation Breakfast & Rehearsal	9:00 p.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Pavilion/Football Field
May 25	JESPY Awards	5:30 p.m.	JSerra Football Field
May 26	Baccalaureate Mass	5:30 p.m.	JSerra Football Field
May 27	COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY	4:00 p.m.	JSerra Football Field

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