

# WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL

## A WELCOME MESSAGE

What a joy it has been to have your student(s) back on campus this week. There has been a palpable energy and sense of joy as we start this school year.

Thank you for your patience as we get our students and our new faculty settled into the new year. There are already exciting things happening on campus.

Grades K-8: Thank you to all the parents for joining us at Back to School Night last night as well as to all the families for an excellent Mass. One last congratulations to our soccer team as well!

## HIGH SCHOOL

1. Textbooks: Please be sure your students has copies of the textbooks they need for each class. Please check [www.sgps.org](http://www.sgps.org) for a complete list

2. Pick up: The bell rings at 3pm, but it takes students a few minutes to go to their locker and pack up. Please come @ 3:05 -3:10. All students should be picked up by 3:20 unless they have an activity afterschool.

## ELEMENTARY

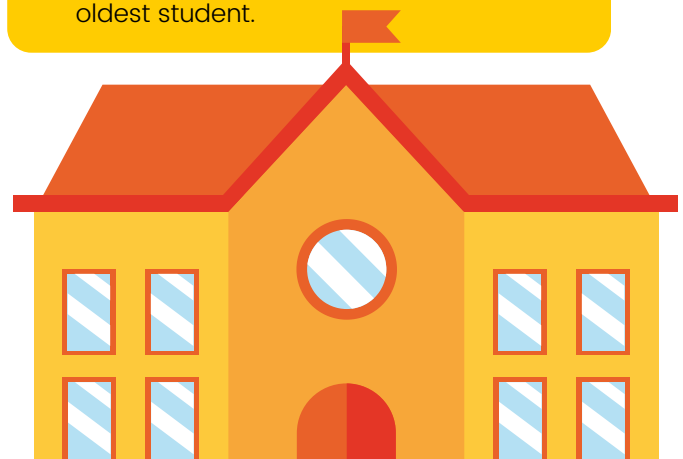
- Please see the after school activities order forms. Activities vary by grade level and days. Actual Daycare enrollment is separate.
- Some but not all activities require tryouts. These programs are designed to help your child grow outside the classroom in the arts & athletics.
- Contact the office with questions!

## LUNCH QUESTIONS

- The food is fresh & made in house by Chef Hike and his team.
- High School students bring money daily.
- Elementary, please order ahead of time - see the order form.

## FRIENDLY REMINDERS

- Please add or update your emergency card information through School Admin or Gradelink. If you are having trouble with Gradelink - make sure you are using the parent login (not student login). Please return all beginning of the year forms.
- Attached is a welcome back to school letter from our superintendent.
- Please come at the pick up time of your oldest student.



# MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN'S DESK HIGH SCHOOL

HELLO, PARENTS

THIS IS MR. ROE, YOUR DIRECTOR OF CHARACTER AT ST. GENEVIEVE. I'VE ENJOYED BEING AROUND YOUR CHILDREN DURING THESE FIRST COUPLE OF WEEKS OF SCHOOL. WE ARE BUILDING POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS AND WORKING ON DEVELOPING GREAT HABITS. I DO, HOWEVER, NEED YOUR HELP AND PARTNERSHIP IN SPEAKING WITH YOUR KIDS ABOUT WEARING THEIR AIR PODS IN THE BUILDING.

WE HAVE ASKED STUDENTS MULTIPLE TIMES TO TAKE THEIR AIR PODS OUT OF THEIR EARS WHEN THEY ARE IN THE BUILDING. I WANTED YOU TO BE AWARE, IF YOUR CHILD IS ASKED TO TAKE THEIR AIR PODS OUT OF THEIR EARS WHILE THEY ARE IN THE BUILDING, MOVING FORWARD, THEY WILL BE ASKED TO GO HOME FOR THE DAY.

PLEASE, HAVE A CONVERSATION WITH THEM REGARDING THEIR AIR PODS. I REALLY APPRECIATE YOUR PARTNERSHIP IN HELPING MOLD OUR STUDENTS INTO DISCIPLINE YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN! I HOPE YOU HAVE A BLESSED AND RELAXING WEEKEND.

RESPECTFULLY,  
DELVON ROE



## **AN ANGRY NEIGHBOR APOLOGIZED**

ONE OF OUR NEIGHBORS BECAME ANGRY WITH OUR TRAFFIC FLOW THIS WEEK DURING PICK-UP.

HE USED VULGAR LANGUAGE DIRECTED AT ONE OF OUR PARENTS AND AT ONE OF OUR STAFF MEMBERS.

THE REACTION WAS SO OUTRAGEOUS WE REPORTED THE MATTER TO LAPD AND PROVIDED HIS ADDRESS.

TO HIS CREDIT, THE NEIGHBOR HAS APPROACHED OUR HEAD OF SECURITY AND OFFERED AN APOLOGY AND REQUESTED THAT HIS APOLOGY BE CONVEYED TO THOSE HE OFFENDED.

FROM OUR PRESIDENT-PRINCIPAL

**OFF TO A GREAT START!**

AT BOTH SCHOOLS WE ARE OFF TO A TERRIFIC START. ENROLLMENT HAS GROWN AT BOTH SCHOOLS SINCE LAST TERM AND THE DAILY REALITY HAS BEEN POSITIVE. STUDENTS ARE, BY AND LARGE, HAPPY TO BE BACK AT SCHOOL AND THE ENERGY IS PALPABLE.

THANK YOU TO THE VAST MAJORITY OF OUR PARENTS/GUARDIANS WHO ARE READING OUR CORRESPONDENCE AND WATCHING THE TRAFFIC VIDEOS. AS MANY OF YOU HAVE WITNESSED, WHEN DRIVERS ARE FOLLOWING THE DIRECTIVES, THE TRAFFIC FLOW IS EFFICIENT. SO VERY OFTEN, I GIVE THANKS TO GOD FOR THE KINDNESS AND COOPERATION OF OUR COMMUNITY OF PARENTS AND GUARDIANS WHO SUPPORT US.

THE FRUSTRATING PART... TO THOSE MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY WHO SIMPLY REFUSE TO COOPERATE WITH THE DIRECTIVES OR WORSE, VERBALLY ABUSE OUR STAFF, WE ARE NOT WILLING TO TOLERATE THE LACK OF COOPERATION. YOU HAVE CHOSEN TO SEND YOUR CHILD TO A CATHOLIC SCHOOL THAT PRIDES ITSELF ON THE FACT THAT WE ARE ALSO A NATIONAL SCHOOL OF CHARACTER. THE SIX PILLARS OF CHARACTER APPLY TO ALL OF US, INCLUDING OUR PARENTS-GUARDIANS, AND ANYONE DESIGNATED TO ACT ON YOUR BEHALF IN INTERACTING WITH THE SCHOOL. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH FAMILY TO ENSURE THAT ANYONE ACTING ON YOUR BEHALF, INCLUDING PICKING UP OR DROPPING OFF YOUR CHILD, IS AWARE OF OUR PROCEDURES AS WELL AS THE CATHOLIC CODE OF CONDUCT.

**FAIR WARNING: IF ANY PARENT, GUARDIAN OR THEIR DESIGNEE IS UNCOOPERATIVE WITH OUR PROCEDURES OR VIOLATES THE CODE OF CONDUCT, WE ARE SUSPENDING THE PRIVILEGE OF THE STUDENT(S) TO ATTEND SCHOOL. IF NECESSARY, WE WILL ASK A FAMILY TO WITHDRAW IF WE ARE NOT CONVINCED A FAMILY IS WORKING IN HARMONY WITH THE SCHOOL.**

IT SIMPLY IS NOT ACCEPTABLE AND WILL NOT BE TOLERATED FOR MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY TO CONTINUALLY VIOLATE PROCEDURES DUE TO THEIR PERSONAL CONVENIENCE OR SELFISH ATTITUDES. IT BOGGLES MY MIND IN WITNESSING MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY VERBALLY ABUSE THE VERY PEOPLE WHO ARE HERE TO EDUCATE AND PROTECT THEIR CHILDREN.

BE ASSURED IT IS NOT OUR GOAL TO ASK FAMILIES TO WITHDRAW FROM OUR COMMUNITY. HOWEVER, OUR STAFF IS A DEDICATED AND WORKS FAR TOO HARD TO HAVE TO SUFFER VERBAL ABUSE AND UNCOOPERATIVE ATTITUDES.

CITIZENSHIP IS ONE OF THE SIX PILLARS OF CHARACTER. PLEASE COOPERATE AND CONTRIBUTE TO A COMMUNITY OF CHARACTER.

SINCERELY,

DAN HORN, PRESIDENT-PRINCIPAL

# AFTERSCHOOL

## ACTIVITIES

ELEMENTARY: FALL 2023



## DAYCARE & AFTERSCHOOL ACTIVITIES

We recognize parents need to work so we strive to provide a variety of enriching activities after school. If your child is in an after school activity, they report to daycare directly at dismissal. There is no charge for this short waiting period.

At the end of the activity, coaches and moderators for the different activities will walk their students out of the single entry gate for you to pick up your student on Community Street at the time the activity ends.

However, all students must be picked up 15 minutes after the activity ends, or students will be sent to daycare (and there is a fee at this time).

Regular daycare parents should sign in at the single entry and then pick up students directly from their assigned classroom.

## AFTERSCHOOL ENRICHMENT

### GR. K-3

Chess	(K-3)	Fridays
Tae Kwon Do	(K-3)	Tuesdays
Art Club	(1-3)	Thursdays
Spirit Squad	(2 & 3)	Wed/Friday
Kinder/First Spirit Squad	(in the Spring)	
Drumline	(Gr. 3)	Tuesday
Choir	(Gr. 3)	Wednesday

*More info coming re. Choir*

### GR. 4-6

Chess	(4-6)	Fridays
Tae Kwon Do	(4-6)	Tuesday
Art Club	(4-6)	Tuesday
Spirit Squad	(4-6)	Wed/Friday
Volleyball B	(4-6)	Tryouts
Flag Football	(4-6)	Tryouts*
Drumline	(4-6)	Tuesday
Choir	(4-6)	Wednesday*

*More info coming*

### GR. 7-8

Chess	(7-8)	Fridays
Tae Kwon Do	(7-8)	Tuesday
Spirit Squad	(7-8)	Wed/Friday
Volleyball A	(7-8)	Tryouts
Flag Football A	(7-8)	Tryouts
Drumline Varsity	(7-8)	Tryouts

*More info coming re Varsity Drumline*