

# THE THURSDAY POST:-)

August 24, 2017



# - WELCOME-BACK TO SCHOOL



Saturday, August 26<sup>th</sup>: Car Wash; 9:00AM—3:00PM, Parking Lot

Monday, September 4th: NO SCHOOL, Labor Day

Thursday, September 7<sup>th</sup>: Open House, 7:00PM—8:00PM

Tuesday, September 12<sup>th</sup>: High School Fair, 7:00PM—8:00PM, Activity Center

Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>: NO SCHOOL, Staff Development



NEWS

Welcome to the 17-18 School Year! We look forward to all the exciting events that will take place this year. Please read these weekly newsletters and watch your e-mail to stay up to date on all the latest school news.



4th Grade: Ms. Walinski

## Let us extend a big welcome to all our new teachers that are joining us this year:

6th Grade: Ms. Harper



8th Grade: Mrs. Sumner

Please note, no fast food will be allowed in school this year.

5th Grade: Ms. O'Connor

- Please see the back of this newsletter for the Uniform Policy. Students should be in proper attire at all times.
- ☑ Students are not to have cell phones on them during the day. If they are brought to school, they must remain off and stay in the student's locker.
- Health records are due! Please turn these in as soon as possible to avoid exclusion. Students entering *Kindergarten* needed updated eye, dental, and health exams. Students entering *2nd grade* needed updated dental exams. Students entering *6th grade* needed updated health exams/immunizations, as well as an updated dental exam.
- ☑ Emergency Medical Contact forms are going home today. It is important that we have one for each student. Please return these no later than *Tuesday, August 29th*. Thank you!
- Parents, for the safety of your pets and our students, please do not bring your dogs when picking up / dropping off students. Some people have allergies, and some people are scared of dogs. Thank you for your cooperation!
- ☐ Handbooks were emailed over the summer. Please return the form. If you didn't receive it, please contact the office.
- ☑ If you have not yet paid for lunches and your student is getting hot lunches, please submit your payment now.



Important



#### STUDENT UNIFORM CODE

Our uniform policy was designed to maintain the concept of Christian dignity and personal self-esteem, while reinforcing the idea of a unified team concept. Parents need to help our students fully comply with this policy. Students are expected to report to school and to leave school in a complete uniform each day, beginning with the first day of school. Please note that preschool students are not required to wear a uniform.

Staff members reserve the right to ask students to remove accessories that are deemed inappropriate for school. Please write your child's name especially on our sweaters on the inside label for easy identification.

Due to unusual circumstances, if your child must come to school out of uniform, the parent may submit a note explaining the situation and the child will be admitted to class. Children who consistently or willfully come to school without the proper uniform or a uniform worn inappropriately may be asked to contact parents. The child can be picked up to return home to change, or parents may bring the proper uniform to school. Additionally, children may be subject to a detention.

Shoes should be closed-toe and solid color. Ties should be from School Belles. This year, solid navy ties are allowed, but in the 18-19 School Year, all ties must be the ones purchased from School Belles.

### **DRESS CODE**

BOYS: Grades K-8\*

White long or short sleeve dress shirt with tie (Ties: School Belles or Solid Navy: Next Year School Belles ONLY)

Navy twill trousers and belt

Navy sweater or vest with St. Ferdinand logo

\*Boys grades 5-8 must wear proper tie with uniform and belt, optional for lower grades

GIRLS: Grades K-4
White or light blue blouse
Pleated jumper or drop-waist jumper
Navy sweater or vest with St. Ferdinand logo

GIRLS: Grades 5-8

White or light blue blouse with tie (Ties: School Belles or Solid Navy: *Next Year School Belles ONLY*)

Navy twill trousers and belt

Navy Sweater or vest with St. Ferdinand logo

Students in K-4 may wear polo shirts or dress shirts; students in 5-8 must wear button-down dress shirts.

Makeup, nail polish, and artificial nails are prohibited. Grey, white, or navy tights or socks must be worn.

All grades and groups may wear navy dress walking shorts from the first day of school through September 30, and from May 1 to the end of the school year. Sweaters are not required during these dates.