

FOLLOW-UP FRIDAY: AUGUST 27, 2021

UPCOMING EVENTS:

September 2: St. Bernard Pool Night at Keystone Klub from 5pm-8pm

September 3-7: **No School** for Labor/Teacher Professional Development

September 16: Dine Out DAY at Scooters on 72nd and Military

UPDATES AND REMINDERS:

Power Update: Full power came back on this morning and the internet was back on this afternoon. Thank you to OPPD and Andrew Barnes for all the help. School will be back in session on Monday. Thank you for your flexibility today, and I hope you have a great weekend. Also thank you to everyone who joined our Remind App, which is the fastest way to get emergency or time sensitive information. If you haven't please do so following the instructions in the graphic. When signing up please use your real name, that way I can guarantee that the people receiving the notifications are only from our community.

Facebook Group: Another form of communication we use is the Facebook group. When the power went out I used the Remind App, email, and the Facebook group. You can join here. Please answer the security questions so I know that we are only accepting people from our community. If your Facebook name is not the one that I have on file via Sycamore and you do not answer the security questions, I will not accept your request to join.

UPDATED Survey for Returning Families: If you are a returning family, please [fill out this survey about last year](#), so we can continue to improve our school. It came to my attention that this was not accessible to many. I believe the issue is fixed, please fill out our survey!

VNA Health Form: You should have received a health form to fill out for our Visiting Nurses Aid. The class who brings back all of their forms first will win a prize!

St. Bernard Swim Night: Thank you to Shy Meckna for organizing a St. Bernard swim night at Keystone Klub, next Thursday, September 2nd from 5pm-8pm. Swimmers are \$5 each and adults not swimming are free. If you are unfamiliar with Keystone Klub, it is located at 8354 Templeton Dr. They have a snack shack, but you are welcome to bring your own food and drinks. They also have grills you can use. Adults are allowed to bring alcohol, however, no glass is allowed, and please be careful if you decide to drink.

Spirit Wear: Mrs. Sorensen is picking up Spirit Wear this weekend. It will be available for pick-up on Monday. We typically send it home with your child, but you are free to come pick it up, as well.

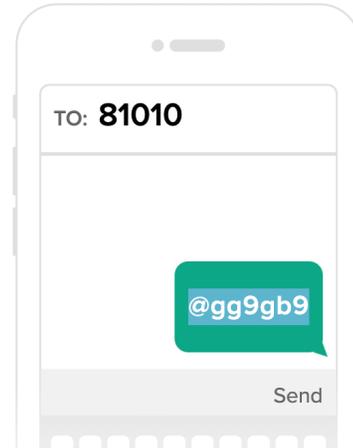
Dine-Out DAY: September 16th we will have Dine-Out day at Scooters on 72nd and Military. We receive a portion of the purchases from the day of individuals that mention St. Bernard. Also, their pumpkin spice is back, so get yourself a nice fall treat!

Open positions at St. Bernard: Right now St. Bernard has an opening for a STEAM teacher/IT Specialist as well as a part time Resource teacher. Please reach out to anyone you know that has a teaching degree or a special education degree. You can see both position postings here: <https://lovemyschool.com/careers/>

Tell people to text @gg9gb9 to the number 81010

They'll receive a welcome text from Remind.

If anyone has trouble with 81010, they can try texting @gg9gb9 to (412) 662-0018.



Lunch: Hot lunch is FREE for ALL students. If your child brings a cold lunch to school and orders milk, the milk is an extra charge. Students ordering extras will be charged, and if they have a negative balance will not be allowed to order extras. All students are encouraged to bring a water bottle to school every day.

Paperwork to Turn in: There has been a lot of paperwork going home in the last few days. Here is a checklist of what we need from you:

1. Immunization records (new families)
2. Birth certificate
3. OPS Nonpublic Enrollment Form (new families)
4. Financial Form
5. Handbook/Photo Release Agreement
6. Free and Reduced Lunch Form
7. Baptismal Certificate (if Catholic)
8. Medication authorization form (if your child will need over the counter or prescription meds)
9. Kindergarten and 7th Grade physicals