

TAKE-HOME TUESDAY: OCTOBER 19, 2021

UPCOMING EVENTS:

October 20th: **Last Day** to Order from the [Spirit Store](#) Until 2nd Semester
October 20th: **Last Day** to Sign Up for Parent/Teacher Conferences
October 20th: Dine Out Night at Panda Express
October 21st: End of 1st Quarter
October 21st: Noon Dismissal/**NO SCHOOL AM OR PM PREK**
October 21st: PreK Parent/Teacher Conferences-8:00 am-8:00 pm.
October 21st: K-8 Parent/Teacher Conferences-1:00 pm-8:00 pm
October 22nd: No School-Teacher Comp Day
October 25th: \$2.00 Dress Down Day
October 25th: Red Ribbon Week
October 29th: Halloween Parties
October 31st: Halloween
November 1st: No School/All Saint's Day/Teacher PD



UPDATES AND REMINDERS

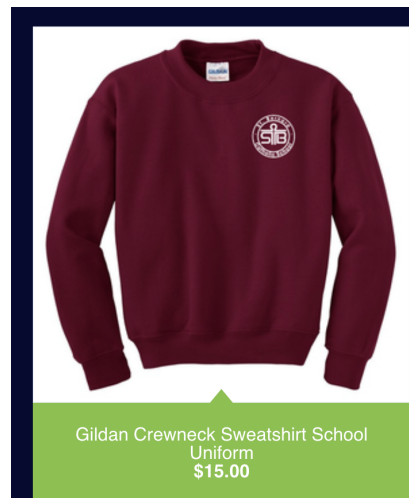
Correction: School Board Community Forum is NEXT Wednesday, October 27th, not tomorrow, October 20th. If there is anything you would like to bring up to the board, please email schoolboard@stbernardomaha.org so we know to put you on the agenda. Please note, if you wish to address the board about an issue, you will have three minutes to do so. We will not discuss your concerns until we go to a closed session.

Covid-19 Updates: We have not had a Covid case nor a single exposed student/teacher for two weeks now. Because of this, we will go back to optional masks starting November 2nd. This is a very fluid date, and if at any point we start to see cases, we will have mandatory masks again. In the future, we will not wait until that 15% threshold to implement masks. I would like to avoid any students from having to go remote. Speaking of, our 4th graders did a fantastic job of remote learning when they were quarantined, and I am very proud of how they and Mrs. Dunning handled it with grace, understanding, and resilience. Great work!

Parent/Teacher Conference Sign-Ups for October 21: **Last day to sign up is tomorrow, October 20th.**

- PK: 8 am-8 pm, sign up via Sycamore.
- 1-5: 1 pm-8 pm, sign up via Sycamore.
- 6-8: 1 pm-8 pm, sign up via [Sign Up Genius](#).
 - Middle school parents, please be aware that all the middle school. and specials teachers will be in the gym for conferences.
- All teachers will have dinner from 5-5:30. We will have a strict cut-off of conference time at 5 and open them back up at 5:30. Please be respectful of this and any other breaks our teachers may need to take during conferences. We will also have a strict stop time of 8 pm.
- If you have questions about logging into Sycamore, please let us know. The Sycamore app on your phone is incredibly hard to navigate, so we do recommend signing up through a desktop.
- Our Sycamore school ID is 1700.

Last Day to Order from the Spirit Store: Tomorrow is the last day to order from the spirit store. Once these orders are in, students may not wear a non-uniform sweatshirt when they are cold. If students do not have a sweatshirt and wear a non-uniform sweatshirt at school on uniform days, they will be considered out of uniform and will earn a demerit or a color change. Our building gets cold, so please consider ordering a sweatshirt now to avoid your student from being out of uniform. After today, the store will not be open again until next semester. Store: https://stbernard2.itemorder.com/sale?read_message=true



Uniforms: Again, we are seeing many students out of uniform, daily. Navy skirts/jumpers are not uniform. [Dennis uniform](#) carries our plaid for skirts and jumpers. Any uniform shorts or pants that are not [twill](#), are not uniform. This includes leggings, stretchy pants, spandex, joggers, capri pants, jeans, cotton shorts, etc. The only time it is appropriate to wear leggings or tights is underneath the girls' plaid uniform skirt. Students who are out of uniform will have to call you and you will need to drop off their correct uniform. If the correct uniform is not dropped off, the student may earn a demerit or color change because being out of uniform is against school rules. Now that families have had a couple of months to get the uniform, we will begin enforcing it more strictly. If you are still in need of the correct uniform you can go to [Dennis uniform](#) or see what we have in stock in our used uniform closet. If you have questions about it, please give us a call. See the below photo for the accepted uniform.

After Daylight Savings Time ends on November 7th PK-5 graders may not wear shorts and skirts/jumpers must be worn with leggings or tights underneath until March 14th. In the winter, our students will still go outside for recess (depending on wind chill), we will still walk to the church, and have fire drills. Consider buying pants or leggings now.



Left to Right:
-Twill Navy Pants
-STB sweatshirt ([found at the online store here](#). Last day to order is tomorrow)
-This pattern, plaid skirt
-Maroon polo (3 buttons)
-This pattern, plaid jumper
-Twill Navy Shorts

Gray, black, or navy leggings/tights may only be worn underneath the skirt or jumper.

You can find all of these but the sweatshirt at [Dennis Uniform](#)

Fire Lane: Also, we are starting to see people parking, dropping off, and picking up in the fire lane again. You may not drop off in the fire lane or in the middle of the street. Even if you do not put your car in park, you may not stop in the fire lane for drop off or pick up. You may not stop in the fire lane at any time of day. An emergency can happen at any point, and emergencies have happened when people are dropping off and picking up.

Dine Out Night is Tomorrow! Head to the Panda Express on 72nd and Sorenson in the Target plaza from 5:00 pm-9:00 pm, tomorrow October 20th. You can either order online using the promo code 326555 or show the linked flyer in order for St. Bernard to get a 20% kickback.
<https://community.pandaexpress.com/fundraiser/events/promotions/1c9056c0-4f60-eb7c-3e43-148899dc05d9/en/landing>

Halloween:

- Halloween parties will take place on October 29th
- Students arrive in their uniforms and will change later on during the day (besides PK). Any student that arrives in their costume will be asked to change especially since we have Mass on Friday, as well.
- As a Catholic school, costumes need to be appropriate. No fake weapons are allowed. If you are on the fence about whether or not your child's costume is appropriate, it is best to play it safe. Hats and masks are okay, as long as they are appropriate.
- PreK students may show up to school in their costumes, but please make sure they have their uniform in their bag and play shoes just in case.

- Students should bring shoes they are able to walk in/play in.
- Parties will start between 1:30-2:00 in individual classrooms depending on the age of students.
- Room parents will be able to come into the classroom if wearing a mask. Room parents, please communicate with individual teachers about how you would like to go about this. **If you are a room parent and you are not Safe Environment trained, you may NOT go to the classroom**, but you can drop supplies off at the front office.
 - Room parents that are not trained, please watch out for an email from Brenda Davidson about an upcoming training at school.
- Childcare and the school will have an outdoor parade around the school starting at 2:45. Students will start on the west side of the building and walk north around the field ending on the east side of the building. Please try not to park on the sidewalk that students will be walking on so as not to obstruct the view for all parents.
- Room parents who are Safe Environment trained can help with the parade, but room parents who are can only be bystanders. We will start with our PK-PM class followed consecutively by each class until 8th grade. Childcare will follow 8th grade.

ST. BERNARD'S SPORTS SECTION

INFORMATION REQUEST: IF YOU HAVE INFORMATION, PHOTOS, WINS/LOSSES THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE IN THE SPORTS SECTION, PLEASE EMAIL ME WITH WHAT YOU WOULD LIKE ME TO POST.

EFINLEY@STBERNARDOMAHA.ORG

BASKETBALL SIGN-UPS NOW OPEN. SEE THE ATTACHED FLYER FOR DETAILS.

MINI-TIGERS VOLLEYBALL SIGN-UPS ARE NOW OPEN. SEE THE ATTACHED FLYER FOR DETAILS.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM KRISTEN LEBEDA-SVEHLA OF THE ATHLETIC CLUB-

If anyone is looking for service hours I have tons of games that need workers. The ones listed below are the ones I have just myself and Addi. I could use at least one more person for each if not 3. I have workers for the others with our teams but if anyone else would like to volunteer I can gladly have them work as our parents get plenty of hours with what we have.

Please let me, know my number is 402-659-5888 if they need to get a hold of me. Please show up 10 min before game time.

Assignments are:

- Gate-collect money as fans enter building
- Concessions -run the concession stand (some games have hot food served, other have just candy and drinks)
- Clock/scoreboard- volleyball games you just need to press the +1 (score)each time the ball drops according to the refs signal. Games go to 25 points. There is not a time clock to turn on and off.
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I am keeping a volunteer spread sheet I will send at end of season for those who worked games.

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**Mini Tiger Volleyball Registration
Now Open!**

Girls in Grades K-2.

Learn the fundamentals of volleyball and scrimmage against your friends.

Sundays from Noon -1 PM The fee \$25.

Sunday November 7,14,21,28

Located in the St. Bernard GYM

**Register online at,
<https://www.stbernardomaha.org/parish/athletic-registration/>**

**Questions? - Call or email Michele at
402-657-1389 or bernardsathletics@gmail.com**

**MUST REGISTER
BY November 4!!!**



**REGISTER
ONLINE NOW!**

**Basketball Registration Now Open!
Girls and Boys in Grades 4th through 8th.
Games begin in November.
\$60 Fee**

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**MUST REGISTER
BY OCTOBER 22th!!!**