

July 2020

Dear SV Parents and Guardians,

We are so excited to “Put on the armor of God” this year at St. Vincent DePaul! Our theme song, by Hillsong Worship, is What a Beautiful Name. It is going to be an extraordinary year for so many reasons – we are happy to be sharing the experience with your family.

1. **ES (K-6) Back to School Night is Thursday, August 13th from 4-7PM.** Students may bring in their school supplies and meet their teacher. Kindergarten – 6th grade students will be able to take school pictures in the cafeteria and pick up their student planner in their classroom. Student planners will include the Student/Parent Handbook for the 2020/2021 school year. There will be a form attached for parents and students to sign and to be returned on the FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL. MASKS ARE REQUIRED BY ALL WHO ENTER THE BUILDING AND MOVING ABOUT IN THE HALLWAYS DURING BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT. We will have a drive through to pick-up your child’s welcome letter from their teacher on Tuesday, August 4th from 7AM-1PM at the elementary.
2. **7th Grade & Jr/Sr High NEW Student Orientation** will be Thursday, August 13th at 6PM in the High School Gym. The student and **AT LEAST** one parent must attend. MASKS ARE REQUIRED BY ALL WHO ENTER THE BUILDING.
3. **9th Grade Coalition Meeting:** If you have not signed up for a virtual meeting, at least one parent must do so. A list of dates has been sent to all 9th grade families. If you need this information sent to you again, please contact Mrs. Wheeler at mwheeler@svdepaul.org.
4. **HS Book Day is August 13th from 2PM-6PM in the Cafeteria.** This includes taking school pictures in the cafeteria. Schedules can be viewed via Jupiter OR we can provide you with a copy of your schedule at Book Day. This will help in your selection of books for the year. This will also be a time that you may bring supplies, cover your books, and assemble your lockers. The Student Planner will be handed out at Book Day. MASKS ARE REQUIRED BY ALL WHO ENTER THE BUILDING AND MOVE ABOUT THE HALLWAYS.
5. The Jr/Sr High School Handbook will be found on the school website at www.svdepaul.org. There is a form that will be handed out at book day that **must** be signed by the parent and student and turned in on the **FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL**.

BOOK DAY SCHEDULE

1:30PM-2PM: Senior Class MTG in Gym

2-3PM: Senior and Junior- Books and Pictures

3-4PM: Sophomore and Freshman- Books and Pictures

4-6PM- 7/8th Grade- Books and Pictures

If the above designated time doesn't work for you, you are welcome to come at one of the other time slots.

- 6. IMMUNIZATIONS for Kindergarten, 8th Grade, and 12th Grade MUST BE TURNED IN BY THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL. These can be brought to Book Day/Back to School Night.** If you have any questions regarding required immunizations, please email Nurse Kelsey at svenurse@svdepaul.org.
- 7. All incoming Kindergarten, 6th Grade, and 9th Grade students MUST have an up-to-date physical TURNED IN BY THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL. These can be brought to Book Day/Back to School Night.** The physical form can be found on the www.svdepaul.org website under "K-12 Parent Forms". Again, if you have any questions regarding the required physical, please email Nurse Kelsey at svenurse@svdepaul.org.
- 8. Book Fee of \$50.00 per child is due at Book Day/Back to School Night as stated on Tuition Commitment Form. If you have not turned in your Tuition Commitment Form and/or registration fee, the form and \$125.00 late fee is also due at Book Day/Back to School Night. Grades K-6: Please turn Book Fee into your child's classroom teacher with your child's name, teacher name and book fee on the outside of the envelope. You may deposit money into your child(ren)'s lunch account and make payments for Before/After School Care at the HS Book Day/ES Back to School Night.**
- 9. Please remember that if you wish to leave medication at the school for your child, the appropriate paperwork must be completed in order for the medication to be at the school.** All medical paperwork can be found on the svdepaul.org website under "K-12 Parent Forms". If you have any questions regarding medical paperwork, please email Nurse Kelsey at svenurse@svdepaul.org
- 10. All Parents: Jupiter Grades-** We will be using www.Jupitered.com for grades and important info for parents. *For those that are NEW to St. Vincent, your access information has already been emailed to you. If you need this information again, please email Mrs. Wheeler at mwheeler@svdepaul.org. Those of you moving from the SV 6th to 7th grade will continue to use your current password.*
Do you want to know when your child gets a grade lower than a 'C' or is absent/tardy? Once you have logged in, go to the left side of the screen and click "settings". Then click on the boxes you wish for notification purposes.
- 11. Parents:** We use Jupiter DAILY, so please make sure we have your correct e-mail address on file. Please check your e-mail daily for updates, info, and announcements.
- 12. SCHOOL BEGINS AUGUST 18th.**

Elementary Bell Times

7:30 First bell – Student drop off begins
7:45 Second bell -- School begins
2:40 Dismissal

High School Bell Times

7:42 First bell -- School begins soon
7:45 Second bell -- School begins
2:45 Dismissal

Lastly, we hope the remainder of the summer is wonderful and full of fun, family, and love. We are looking forward to a great year at St. Vincent DePaul Catholic Schools!

Sincerely,

Jennifer Streiler, Head of Schools
Diane Unterreiner, Elementary School Principal