

# Principal's Newsletter

Wednesday, September 9, 2021

#### Saint Bruno Feast Day:

Dear Parents.

We are so excited to celebrate 95 years as a Catholic School!

Please save the date; on Wednesday, October 6<sup>th</sup> (St. Bruno's Feast Day), we plan to celebrate the 95<sup>th</sup> year as a St. Bruno school community. Be on the lookout: more details to follow.

Please email me, if you are interested in helping plan our 95<sup>th</sup> anniversary community event.

Best.

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Carla Sever Principal

## St. Bruno Catholic School



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#### Bingo Set-up / Bingo Break-Down:

We are looking for volunteers to help set-up and break-down for Bingo on Fridays.

Volunteers would need to be at the school by 2 PM and would earn 1 service hour for each set-up completed.

Please email Mrs. Sever (<u>csever@stbruno.com</u>) if you are interested in setting up bingo.

We would also need volunteers at 9:45 PM to break-down. Volunteers would earn 1 service hour for each break-down completed.

Please email Aurora (<u>baurora13@gmail.com</u>) if you are interested in breaking-down bingo.

#### Important Dates:

**09/13 -** Picture Day

**09/17** - Dress Down Day for September Birthdays/ Spirit Wear Day

**09/19 -** Family Mass at 9:00 AM @ St. Richards

09/24 - Professional Development: No School

10/06 - Feast of St. Bruno

- St. Bruno School Celebrates 95th Anniversary



St. Bruno Trailblazers...
They don't follow; they lead.

#### Health and Safety Guidelines:

To ensure the protection and the well-being of the St. Bruno School Community in the face of COVID-19 variants, we are following these guidelines:

- ☐ All Students and Staff *must* wear masks indoors regardless of vaccination status.
- No masks are required outdoors, regardless of vaccination status.
- ☐ All students *must* use a reusable water bottle.

#### Traffic Safety and Parking Issues:

I just want to remind you of some traffic and parking guidelines for St. Bruno School.

- Be mindful of your speed when you are dropping off your child(ren).
- Do not park on the east side of Harding Ave during school hours.
- Parking is not allowed on 49<sup>th</sup> Street on the south side of the building (e.g., the playground) at all times. This creates a traffic bottleneck.

Your cooperation in these matters is appreciated.

#### Travel Advisory

We follow the City of Chicago Travel Advisory.

As of Tuesday, September 7, every state in the United States is orange except Vermont.

If it is any other state other than Vermont, travelers must either quarantine for 10-days or receive a negative test result no earlier than 72 hours prior to arrival in Chicago or be fully vaccinated (*i.e.*, being at least two weeks after receipt of the second dose in a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine series or at least two weeks after receipt of one dose of a single-dose COVID-19 vaccine).

To ensure public health measures while traveling:

- Adhere to masking rules: Masks are required on planes, buses, trains, and other forms of public transportation traveling into, within, or out of the United States and in U.S. transportation hubs such as airports and stations.
- Bring a copy of your COVID-19 vaccination records while traveling.
- Monitor for COVID-19 symptoms.
- Isolate and get tested if symptoms develop.

□ All School Masses and assemblies, lunch schedules and opportunities for volunteering will resume.

□ All individuals *must* remain at home when sick, or experiencing any symptoms, to minimize the chance of spreading COVID-19, or other germs and viruses. There will be no temperature checks at the doors upon entry.

### Family Mass:

Please join us on Sunday, September 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM at St. Richard's Church.

We will have our first family Mass where we will honor our amazing staff! Please join to celebrate their mission to serve you and your family.

Students who attend our family Mass will be able to dress out of uniform on Monday, September 20<sup>th</sup>.

#### Picture Day:

Picture day is on Monday, September 13<sup>th.</sup> Picture Day information went home with your child. Please don't forget to send back your order.

We will need a few parents to help with Picture Day. Please email <u>office@stbruno.com</u>, if you are interested in helping. You can earn service hours for helping us with Picture Day.