

Morning Drop Off

Parents/guardians, please do not park in the cutouts in the mornings during drop off time (7:45-8:05). If you need to exit your vehicle, PLEASE park in the parking lot. If your younger student(s) needs help walking to the front entrance, we will try to have older students outside to help escort them in. Thank you for your cooperation in making drop off more efficient and safe. ***ALSO, students cannot be dropped off before 7:40 am. If they are, they will be sent to breakfast and charged accordingly.***

Late Arrivals

If your child will be arriving late, please call and let the office know. The office will ask if they will be hot or cold lunch and get them signed up. **Taylor NEEDS to know the lunch count by 10:00 am. We may not be able to provide lunch if we do not know before 10:00 am.**

Calendar

No school on Monday, September 2nd – Labor Day.

Yearbook Pictures

Yearbook pictures are coming up – Wednesday, September 11th. Students ***MUST*** wear uniforms for this picture.

St. John's Uniform Store

The hours for August and September are: Saturday, August 31 from 9:00 – 11:00 am, Tuesday, September 3 from 6:30-8:00 pm, Thursday, September 12th & Tuesday, September 24th from 6:30 – 8:00 pm.

Confirmation Information

Bishop Conley is scheduled to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation at Blessed Sacrament on Monday, March 2, 2020 at 7:00 pm. The Confirmation Retreat is scheduled for Saturday, February 29th.

Art Club

Art Club will be split into 2 sessions this year to give more opportunity for students to join. Each session will be limited to 15 students on a first come first serve basis and will cost \$10 for supplies. Fall Art club will begin this Thursday, August 29th right after school until 4:00. Spring Art club will begin after Christmas break on Thursday, January 16th after school until 4:00pm.

If you are interested in joining the FALL Art Club, please bring money to either Miss Schmidt or the office by Wednesday, August 28th. If you have any questions, please email Miss Schmidt at Caitlyn-Schmidt@cdolinc.net.

Girls' Choir

GIRLS' CHOIR sings Saturday, September 7th and again on the 21st: Mark your calendars -- it's time for GIRLS' CHOIR! All 4th through 8th grade girls are invited to sing with the Girls' Choir. We rehearse on Saturday afternoon at 4:15 in the church choir loft and stay to sing for the 5:30 Mass. No experience is necessary, just a willing heart and a desire to sing joy to the Lord! All are welcome....bring a friend! Contact Hannah Jo Smith for further information: hannahjosmith@yahoo.com

SCRIP News

You can now pay for Scrip gift cards with a credit card so you can still earn miles, points, etc on your credit card! In addition to linking a bank account (PrestoPay™), families who have access to online payments can choose to pay for gift cards with credit cards.

Important details about this new payment option:

- *Credit card types:* Visa and Mastercard are accepted.

- *Purchases:* A 2.6% transaction fee is added to the order total each time you pay with a credit card. Credit card payments will be processed immediately.
- *Rebates:* The rebate is not impacted—Blessed Sacrament will still earn the same amount and won't pay an additional fee.

As always, you can still pay for Scrip with cash or a check if you would prefer. *Thank you* for using Scrip to help Blessed Sacrament, it makes a difference!

7th Grade Physicals

The Lincoln Diocesan Schools require a physical examination by a qualified physician within **six months** prior to the entrance of your child into the 7th grade. {cf. School Law 79-444(3) (1979)}. At this time, your physician may update your child's immunizations if it is necessary. Failure to return this physical exam, or schedule an appointment by September 6th may jeopardize your child's enrollment.

T-Shirt/Sweatshirt Order

We are taking orders for Blessed Sacrament t-shirt's/sweatshirts. The order and payment due date is this Friday, August 30th. You can print the attached form or call the office for us to send home a form.

Background Checks

We love when parents can join us on field trips and come help out at school! It makes our students smile! With that said, any parent/guardian that would like to volunteer is required to complete an online training and background check. The instructions are attached to this email. The instructions have been simplified, and compiled by Sr. Mary Kansier. THANK YOU!!

Piano News

We had a great kickoff to the Blessed Sacrament piano year on Tuesday. It was so good to see the returning students and get back into the music groove! There are still a couple of openings for any interested students in Grades 2-8. Call Donna today at 402-890-9664 with any questions or to get enrolled for a semester of fun music making!