



The Bulldog Bugle

St. Bartholomew Catholic School

August 22nd, 2025

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT!

Open House

Wednesday, August 27th

4:00-6:00 pm

Drop off school supplies, meet your teachers, sign up for clubs & PTO and see some new and familiar faces. Parents - please accompany your students - we can't wait to see you!



Upcoming Events

Wednesday, August 27th - BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT

Tuesday, September 2nd - FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL & Parent Coffee @ 8:30

Friday, September 12th - THE GATHERING!

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THE GATHERING!

Get ready for our largest community fundraiser of the year on Friday, September 12th!

How do families participate:

1) Tell a friend! This fun evening is for kids of all ages, from St. Bart's and from the larger community. All are welcome! Alumni encouraged to attend and pick up a FREE t-shirt!

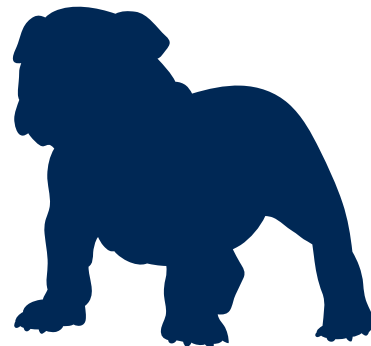
2) Sign up for ONE volunteer spot per family - get a head start and first pick [HERE](#)!

3) Bring a package of cookies and a 6/8 pack of bottled soda or sports drinks for prizes per student (more appreciated but not required!). Drowning in stuffed animals at home? Bring your gently used and clean stuffies for prizes for the lollipop tree!

More info coming soon! Thank you for your partnership in this amazing and fun event.

PICTURE DAY! Wednesday, Sept. 10

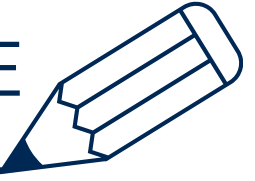
St. Bartholomew is pleased to announce a NEW photography company for this year's school photos - Strawbridge Photography! School individual and group photos will both take place on Wednesday, September 10th. **Mass uniforms required that day!** Look for a paper order sheet in your back-to-school folders. If you want to get a jump start on the ordering process, you can also sign up online [HERE](#). If your preschooler does not normally attend on Wednesdays, reach out to your preschool teacher to find a time to stop by and have their picture taken. We look forward to your feedback on this new company!



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PTO Meeting & Curriculum Night INVITE



Please join us at the school for an all-parent meeting on **Tuesday, September 9th at 6:30** for a brief curriculum presentation by Ginger Vance, followed by our kickoff PTO meeting to discuss our upcoming volunteer needs. Free childcare provided in the gym - no signup required!

Summer Camp Wrap Up

A HUGE thank you to our own Ms. Kara Korton and her wonderful team for another great year of in-house Summer Camps.

8 themed weeks, 8 excursions, 40 children, endless fun.

Looking forward to another awesome Summer in 2026! Signups in January.



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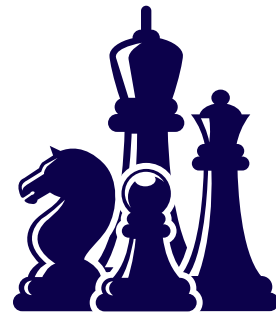
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FALL CLUB SIGN UPS!

Chess Club

For grades K-5! New and returning students invited. Our winter session focuses on advanced beginner and intermediate concepts. The {YEL!} Teach It! Practice It! Play It!® method keeps chess students progressing through 60+ chess lessons and thousands of puzzles as well as guided games and in-class tournaments. Thursdays after school!

Schedule and Sign Up HERE!!



Math Boosters

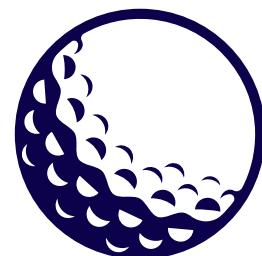
Math Boosters is a fun after school class to help students develop and enhance basic math skills. Small group (max of 10 students) math instruction for grades K-5. Each class will be focused on a particular concept using a variety of manipulatives, games, and activities, including homework help. Classes are on Wednesdays and are attended by Ms. Korton, Ms. Bilski & Ms. Gabel.

Schedule and Sign Up HERE!!

Golf Club

St. Bart's is thrilled to offer Golf instruction in partnership with TGA Junior Golf Twin Cities! 7 sessions on Tuesdays of golf on site - chipping, putting, driving and more - open to all whether you've golfed before or are a beginner. No gear required!

Schedule and Sign Up HERE!!



HOT LUNCH - September orders due!

Hot Lunch orders for September are due no later than FRIDAY, August 22nd. New to Hot Lunch? Order as many or as little as you want! Billed monthly at \$5 per lunch, they come with milk and a rotating assortment of fresh fruit and vegetables.

CLICK HERE TO SUBMIT ONE ORDER PER STUDENT!



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New (& Returning) Family Guide



[CLICK HERE](#) to view the New Family Guide for the 2025/26 school year! Returning families - take a look for refreshers. Events? Carpool line? Mass? FAQ's? All here on the website!

🐾🐾 Welcome Kewanda! 🐾🐾



St. Bart's is thrilled to announce our new Pre-K aide for our growing program - Kewanda Robinson! Kewanda earned her DCA at Ellis University. Prior to joining the Discovery Center in 2014, she taught at KinderCare, as well as several years at St. David's Family and Childcare Services in Plymouth, MN. Kewanda enjoys traveling, event planning, hearing live music and spending time with her family. A favorite pastime is reading books to the kids in her neighborhood in her downstairs lobby. With her decades of experience, we look forward to having Ms. Kewanda on the team! Please say "Hello" when you see her.