

September 10, 2021



- \* **Emergency Contact Forms:** The green sheet of paper in your family folder. Please review every item on the page, fill it in if it is blank and review it for accuracy if it is printed. Please return the form on Monday.
- \* **Lunch Menu alternates:** The alternate choices for the month of September will be a ham and cheese sandwich or a peanut butter and jelly sandwich.
- \* **Gym uniforms:** Please note the following changes to the gym uniform policy. Due to a substantial increase in prices, we are only requiring a gym uniform t-shirt or crew neck sweatshirt to be purchased and worn on gym days. **Plain** navy blue shorts or sweatpants, no logos, are required for gym days but do not require the school logo. Shorts must be as long as your child's fingertips when his/her arm is hanging down. You may purchase shorts and sweatpants with the logo if you so desire. All orders are due by Monday, September 20<sup>th</sup>.
- \* **Picture Day:** Fall school photos will be taken on Thursday, September 16<sup>th</sup>. Make up day/retakes will be in November. Order forms will come home on Monday. Students may dress up on Thursday.
- \* **Yearbook Club:** Please see the attached information/registration document.
- \* **Physician Volunteer needed:** We are in need of a physician to volunteer one night after school next week to offer PIAA sports physicals on site at St. Columba. The physician will need to bring all necessary equipment. The physicals would be for some of 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders interested in participating in Cross Country. Please contact the school office for details if you are able to help.
- \* **CYO Basketball:** Information and registration are attached.
- \* **Mum fundraiser:** Coupons are in the left side of your family folder. Thank you for making this fundraiser a great success! Enjoy your mums!
- \* **Yellow family folders:** Please remember to return them to the school on Mondays.
- \* **Cafeteria Volunteers Needed:** Volunteers are needed in the cafeteria to help serve and sanitize tables and chairs. If you are able to help, please contact Mary Getz at 570-764-6210.
- \* **Tye Dying in Art Class:** Mrs. VanBuren will be doing tye dye with the students on September 20<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>. Students may dress down on their scheduled art class and will need to bring in something to tye dye. The items should be white and may be any item such as a shirt, socks, pillow case etc. As long as it is white.
- \* **Science Explorers:** This club is for 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> graders. The first session will be the week of October 4<sup>th</sup>. Registration forms are in the family folder and also included as an attachment. 10 students are needed per session for the club to run.
- \* **Box Tops:** As always, we depend on your continued support with box tops, which helps our school in getting the necessary school supplies for our students. Continue to scan your box tops and/or bring your box tops to school. The first submission will be in late October.
- \* **Virtual Learning:** Parents must fill out an application which must be submitted to the Diocese for approval.
- \* **School Website:** [www.saintcolumbaschool.org](http://www.saintcolumbaschool.org).

Please contact me if you have any concerns at [scsprincipal@saintcolumbaschool.org](mailto:scsprincipal@saintcolumbaschool.org). I am always ready to listen and assist in creating a safe and healthy environment for your child.

