

St. Stanislaus Kostka School

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For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope. Jeremiah 29:11

September 2, 2014

Dear St. Stan's Families:

Welcome back! I am so very excited to begin this school year journey with each of you. This year holds many exciting and wonderful opportunities for our students. As it states in Jeremiah, God has a plan for each of us full of hope; and we are so fortunate that the Lord has brought us together to take this journey as one school family. Please know my door is always open to you. If I can be of any help to you please do not hesitate calling or setting up a time to speak in person. We have spent the summer planning wonderful things for this school year and preparing a rigorous and challenging academic curriculum for all students.

This year we welcome Ms. Alexandra Burke to our faculty as our art teacher and school counselor. Ms. Burke is a certified art teacher. Please see the counselor permission slip, which shows all her qualifications as a counselor.

The following are some quick bits of information you will find helpful for starting off the school year.

- 1. Friday, September 5, 2014 all summer work is due to the appropriate teacher, this is graded work that will be reflected in the first marking period's grades.
- 2. <u>All school closings, delayed openings and other important information will be relayed ONLY</u> through our Honeywell Alert system. Please be sure to register your family no later than September 12th. Directions on how to do this are attached.
- 3. Picture day is Wednesday September 24th.
- 4. Our Back to School Night will be September 24th at 7pm.
- 5. Book Fair is September 22 through September 26th.
- 6. There will be two security/fire drills each month. These drills are required by law and prepare faculty and students in case of an unlikely emergency. You will receive a quick note home after each of these



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drills so you are aware they took place.

7. I look forward to continuing the program which had our littlest readers come and read to the principal as well as a "Student of the Month" program. I will send information on both of these programs later in the month.

Thank you for entrusting St. Stan's with your most precious possession and allowing us the privilege of being part of their education. As always, you are each in my prayers.

God Bless,

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