

# St. Stanislaus Kostka School

"Do not walk through time without leaving worthy evidence of your passage." Saint John XXIII

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**Mrs. Lori Hodder**  
Principal

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"We can do hard things."

September 9, 2021

Dear St. Stanislaus Kostka Families,

Well, we are well into our second week of school and it seems like all the students are settling in nicely! All of the faculty and staff are excited to see what the year will bring.

Our Back-To-School Night is scheduled for next Wednesday, **September 15** starting at 7:00 PM. We are excited that this will be in-person, which means there will be a few changes due to COVID restrictions. They are as follows:

- \*Anyone coming into the building must wear a mask. If you are not feeling well, we encourage you to stay home and make arrangements to speak with your child's teacher at a later date.
- \*When you enter the building please proceed to the cafeteria, and maintain social distance.
- \*We will begin at 7:00 PM with a few words from myself and the HSA. After that, there will be two twenty-minute Information sessions where you can visit with your child's teacher(s).
- \***Only 1 parent per child is allowed in the classroom for each session.** This is maintain social distance. We ask that you sanitize your hands before entering any classroom.

We will also be running our first Book Fair of the year next week, and it will be open during Back-To-School Night. Our Harvest Mum Sale has also begun and runs until **September 20**. Thank you in advance for helping with all of our school's fundraising efforts.

May God continue to bless all of you and your families. You are always in my prayers.

Warmest Regards,



Lori Hodder  
Principal

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**221 MacArthur Avenue ♦ Sayreville, NJ 08872-1041**

# Donation Drive for the



**The Blessing Bag Brigade NJ is a registered 501(c)(3) non-profit organization dedicated to showing compassion in humanitarianism to "those in need." The fact of the matter is, there are homeless that can't afford basic necessities.**

**Their mission is to help them find some comfort.**

The following is a list of requested donations for each grade.

Grade 8: toiletry size body wash or regular size soap (or toiletry size)

Grade 7: bottled water (small bottles)

Grade 6: toiletry size shampoo

Grade 5: men's socks

Grade 4: disposable razors

Grade 3: deodorant

Grade 2: snack foods including soft breakfast bars

Grade 1: toiletry size lotion

Grade K: toiletry size toothpaste

Pre-K: toothbrushes

Also needed are gallon storage bags (to pack the supplies in)

*(Any items from this list are appreciated, even if it was not assigned to the grade level).*

If you would like to make a monetary donation, please send it to the attention of Lisa Grover. Items will be purchased with the money collected. **Donations will be accepted until Friday, September 17th.** The school children will be packing the blessing bags on September 24th during the school day. On September 13th the founder of the Blessing Bag Brigade, Kevin Garrison, will be speaking to the school children.

If you have any questions, please email Lisa Grover [lgrover@skschool.org](mailto:lgrover@skschool.org).

*Thank you for your support!*

# St. Stanislaus Kostka School

221 MacArthur Avenue, Sayreville, NJ 08872

## Clothing Drive



## and Sneaker Drive Fundraiser

September 10th - 12th

Please place donations in a bag. Sneaker drive is separate from the clothing drive. Please label the bag "sneakers."

Friday, September 10th 7:30 am – 2:00 pm donations can be left outside the front doors of the school

Saturday, September 11th and September 12th donations can be left in the lobby of the church before and after all masses

Sunday, September 12th 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm drop off in the school parking lot

### HELP SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL!

**We will be collecting new or gently used men, women and children's clothing, shoes, purses, belts, bed and bath linens and stuffed animals.**

**Every piece helps!**

***Sneakers should be in a separate bag from the items listed above.***

**NO Pillows, Books, Toys, Furniture, Appliances, or Household items.**

**Thank you for your support!**

*If you have donations but are unable to make the above listed dates/times, contact Lisa Grover [lgrover@sskschool.org](mailto:lgrover@sskschool.org) 732.379.1279 to schedule a pick up.*



# ST. STAN'S HSA

## 8<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL COACH BINGO & TRICKY TRAY

**Where:** St. Stanislaus Kostka School

221 MacArthur Ave. Sayreville

**When:** Friday, October 15<sup>th</sup> (doors open at 5:30PM,  
calling begins at 7:30PM)

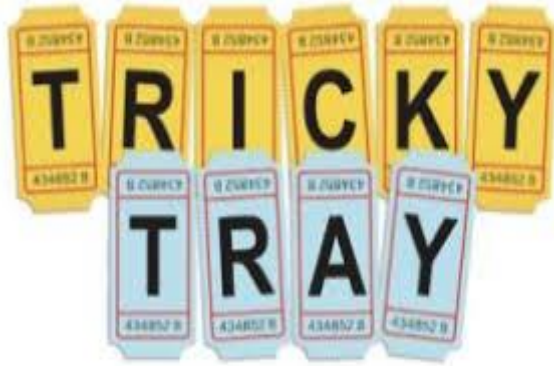
**Cost:** \$30 per person includes 12 games of bingo  
(3 boards per game), coffee, tea, & dessert

- The event will also feature a 50/50, door prizes and a variety of Tricky Tray raffles. Extra bingo boards can also be purchased.
- All guests are invited to bring their own food & refreshments

**For tickets please contact Gina...**

**call/text 732-277-2552**

**\*\*You must be 18 to enter and participate\*\***



We need your help to make our  
COACH BINGO & TRICKY  
TRAY  
outstanding this year!

If you would like to sponsor a Coach Bag Prize please call/text Gina Rispoli at 732-277-2552.

If you own a business or your place of work is willing to donate a prize, please let us know. We are always looking for donations for our small, medium, and large Tricky Tray raffles.

With so many attendees it's a great place to advertise!

Coach Bingo is our largest fundraiser.  
All proceeds benefit the students and St. Stan's School.  
Thank you for your generosity!



## ST. STAN'S HSA

### COACH BINGO/TRICKY TRAY

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15TH

We are already planning our first major fundraiser of the school year...  
our 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Coach Bingo/Tricky Tray!

We are asking for \$5.00 per child (\$10 per family max.) to be used to help offset the cost of the prizes for this event. This is not mandatory but would greatly help our fundraising efforts.

Please send back the bottom portion of this form along with your donation to the attention of Gina Rispoli, HSA  
or Venmo your donation to Beth Poulsen @elizabeth-poulsen-5

Please kindly return your donation to the school by Friday, October 8th.

As always, thank you in advance for your contribution and continued support. We truly appreciate your help in making this event a success.

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Please print family name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Grade(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Donation: \_\_\_\_\_



Join us on

# Saturday, October 23

10:00 – 12:30

for a

# Beach Cleanup

\*Each family must register separately on the Clean Ocean Action website - South Amboy location, Group: St. Stan's School, 10:00 Arrival Time

<https://cleanoceanaction.org/beach-sweeps/beach-sweep-registration-form>

\*Parents are responsible for supervising their child(ren) and transportation.

\*After registering, please email Mrs. Pagnotta, [kpagnotta@sskschool.org](mailto:kpagnotta@sskschool.org), to let her know you will be coming!

