

# The Cardinal Flyer

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## BJ's Corner

Dear Families,

"The happiest and most contented people are those who each day, perform to the best of their ability." *Nightingale*

Every young cardinal at St. Charles is on the road to happiness and success! We are off to a calm, happy and productive start. Our students have been introduced or re-introduced to classroom and hallway procedures, basic manners when speaking to adults, plus being taught various organizational skills.

I have been in and out of all the classrooms numerous times and see nothing but happy (sometimes sleepy) students working hard to do their best.

This Friday, August 27<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., we will host a short Open House and free Picnic in our backyard. Enjoy a dinner of hot dogs, chips, beans and drinks. I look forward to seeing you Friday night.

Thank you families for your support during orientation and committing to help on our various fundraisers.

I continue to enjoy what I do, and look forward to our future together working for the best for each child.

GOOO Cardinals!!!!

B.J.

## New Finance Office Hours

Monday-Wednesday-Friday 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.  
Tuesday and Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

## Short Stops

"When your child shows respect, let her/him know you appreciate it. For example, if she/he speaks politely to you even though she/he disagrees with what you say, you might say, "Thank you for talking to me respectfully!" I've found this works with all ages.

B.J.

## Calendar Update

**August 27<sup>th</sup> – Picnic  
in the backyard  
6:00p.m.-8:00p.m.**

**September 3<sup>rd</sup> -  
Early Dismissal  
12:30**

**September 6<sup>th</sup> –  
Labor Day  
No School**

## **Amazing, but true facts about life you might not know.**

Butterflies taste with their feet.

## **Summer At St. Charles**

Over 50 gallons of paint were used throughout the facilities.

Approximately 20,000 lbs. of books were delivered to classes.

60 hours plus were spent upgrading CPUs. A special Thank you to Tristan Vigil, a freshman at St. Pius and Mrs. Menicucci.

Martin, Ron and Jens Brakenhoff, a freshman at St. Pius, spent many hours moving furniture, enabling rooms to be cleaned.

Thanks guys, the school looks great!!

## **Faculty and Staff News:**

Donna Gallegos will return to her Art position upon recovery from surgery on or about September 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Mrs. Melissa Garcia, our former Kinder teacher delivered two healthy twins on June 30<sup>th</sup>. They are very cute!

Mrs. Evan's brother-in-law, Wes, is doing well after a liver transplant.

Mrs. Bridger's oldest son was married in July and her sister is recovering from Breast Cancer. Her brother-in-law is recovering from a liver transplant.

Mrs. McBride's son Alastair is at home after surgery. All is going well.

Mrs. Haley had surgery, and is in full recovery.-Amen.

Mrs. Castillo lost her mom recently to heart failure – Our prayers to the family.

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