

#### **Snacks Crossing Elementary School**

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#### Car Riders

Each day we are getting better and better with car riders, especially in the afternoon. For the safety of all, we need to abide by what is listed below:

- Please pull all the way up to the edge of the circle so that we can fit as many cars as possible in the circle.
- Children should remain in the car until an adult opens the car door.
- All children should enter and exit on the passenger side of the car.
- Parents and children should not be walking between cars as this is not safe.
- We know the line can get long. Parents should not be parking and walking their child to the sidewalk or walking up to the sidewalk to get their child.
- Parents need to remain in their cars.
- In the afternoon our goal is to start dismissing around 2:50pm.
- In the morning if there is no adult outside, please park and bring your child in through the office. Staff comes into the building at 8:10am.



#### **Back to School Night**

We are so excited that Back to School Night will be in person this year! Back to School Night is Tuesday, August 16th. Each teacher will be offering two sessions. The first session is from 5:30pm-6:05pm and the second session is 6:10pm-6:50pm. The information shared will be the same in both sessions.

Parents often want to talk with the teacher following a session and we ask that you please schedule a time to talk with the teacher so that the conversation can be private and there is enough time for the conversation. We want to hear what you have to share and want to make sure we have enough time.

#### Dress Code

As a reminder, uniforms are still required unless it is a special dress day. All special dress days will be announced in advance. Uniforms are required on all other days. The uniform policy is outlined in the student handbook. It says:

The standardized dress code consists of navy, black, gray, or khaki style pants and solid color collared polo shirts for both boys and girls. In addition, girls may wear navy, black, gray or khaki jumpers or skorts. In warmer temperatures, students may wear the same colored walking shorts (knee-length shorts) or capris with their polo shirts.

#### CALENDAR

August 16 Back to School Night August 16 PTO Meeting @ 6:00pm August 26 Vision Screenings August 31 Smile Mobile September 5 Labor Day– No School September 9 Progress Reports in Skyward September 12 Picture Day



### <u>Staying Home</u>

If your child is not feeling well and/or is showing symptoms associated with COVID, please keep them home. If your child tests positive for COVID please let us know. Not only do we have to report positive cases, we also code attendance differently for those that are positive.

#### **Skyward**

We need your help! Please help us by keeping your information current in Skyward. This will ensure we can reach you in the event of an emergency and ensures you get the Sunday calls and other important messages sent out.



# Parents and Guardians

# You can take advantage of our

### **Text Messaging Service**

Our school utilizes the SchoolMessenger system to deliver text messages, straight to your mobile phone with important information about events, school closings, safety alerts and more.

You can participate in this free service\* just by sending a text message of "**Y**" or "**Yes**" to our school's short code number, **67587**.

You can also opt out of these messages at any time by simply replying to one of our messages with "**Stop**".

We recommend saving this short code and Caller ID to the contacts on your phone. This will help prevent any 3rd party call blocking systems from interfering with your receipt of important messages sent by the school or district.



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# Opt-In from your Just send "Y" or mobile phone now! "Yes" to 67587

Information on SMS text messaging and Short Codes:

Our notification provider, SchoolMessenger, uses a true SMS protocol developed by the telecommunications industry specifically for mass text messaging, referred to as "short code" texting. This method is fast, secure and highly reliable because it is strictly regulated by the wireless carriers and only allows access to approved providers. If you've ever sent a text vote for a TV show to a number like 46999, you have used short code texting.

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