

April 23, 2021

### **LETTER FROM THE PRINCIPAL**

Dear Families,

*It was so wonderful to see all the students back on campus this week. Aside from the fact it is hard to recognize some (due to them growing and having a mask on!) it has been fantastic to have everybody back. Pick-up has been a bit hectic, but please see the article below for ways to help.*

Warm regards,

Patrick Eagle

### **SPIRIT WEEK - NEXT WEEK**

Monday - Spring Color Day

Tuesday - Funky Mask Day

Wednesday - Earth Day

Thursday - Twins Day

(If you want to be my twin, I'll be wearing a pair of blue jeans, a white shirt, and a tie. Anyone is welcome!)

Friday - Pajama Day

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### **TRAFFIC - BE PART OF THE SOLUTION**

Here is some information that went out via messenger over the past couple nights. We won't be able to eliminate traffic completely, but this should help:

- 1) Park on the street and walk in (please meet your child at the curb, **DO NOT WAVE THEM ACROSS THE PARKING LOT**)
- 2) Park in the parking lot and meet your child at the curb
- 3) Park on Firelight Dr. or Carriage Lane and walk to the back of the school. You can meet your child at the gate between rooms 20 and 21
- 4) Use the center entrance (at the marquee) to enter the school. (for quite some time today, the south entrance was completely backed up, and no one was entering the center entrance)
- 5) Consider moving the single child car seat to the passenger side, it will be easier for the staff person to help
- 6) If you would like to walk to school, or park and then meet your child, please meet them at the curb and escort them back to your car. **I DO NOT WANT STUDENTS WALKING ACROSS THE PARKING LOT UNACCOMPANIED.** Our children's safety must be our number one priority.
- 7) You may walk through the back and meet your child at the black gate between rooms 20 and 21. Please do not enter campus. You will have to arrange this with your child, meaning you will have to tell them to meet you in the back after school. There will be a staff member present to supervise those that are waiting.



### **ZOOM BINGO COMING SOON!**

In early May we'll do an all school Zoom bingo game. Fun for the whole family!

### **MORNING DROP OFF AT THE BACK OF THE SCHOOL**

Beginning Monday morning, you can drop your child off at the back of the school. Please check in with the staff member near the swing set for a temperature check. Remember, parents are not allowed on the playground during this time. However, you can walk across the playground after school is out in order to pick up your child at the gate.

### **BELL SCHEDULE**

#### **TK/K**

Drop off time: 8:30(8:25 would be better)

Start Time: 8:30

Dismissal time: 12:05

#### **1st grade & 2nd Grade**

Drop off time: 8:15

Start Time: 8:30

Dismissal time: 12:25

#### **3rd grade & 4th grade**

Drop off time: 8:00

Start Time: 8:15

Dismissal time: 12:35

#### **5th & 6th grade**

Drop off time: 7:45

Start Time: 8:00

Dismissal time: 12:45

For those families that have siblings with staggered drop off times, you may bring them at the earlier time. There will be supervision on the playground. Please drop off close to the oldest child's class start time.

### **UPCOMING DATES**

4/28/21 - Lunch distribution - 11:30-2:30

5/5/21 - Lunch distribution - 11:30-2:30

5/12/21 - Lunch distribution - 11:30-2:30

5/19/21 - Lunch distribution - 11:30-2:30

5/19/21 - PTO meeting

5/26/21 - Lunch distribution - 11:30-2:30

5/31/21 - Memorial Day Holiday

6/2/21 - Lunch distribution - 11:30-2:30

6/4/21 - Last day of school

### **A NOTE FROM COACH BRE**

Last week's challenge winners are-

Calay Kalteich, 1st grade Alcozer; Taylor Magee, 5th grade

Gonsalves. Thank you again to Smile Orthodontics for

sponsoring our challenge and providing water bottles to the entire district! This week's challenge is a TIMED CHALLENGE.

The goal is to time yourself and complete the exercises. Do it a 2nd time and see if you can beat your time. Our sponsor this week is Bravo Restoration and Construction. Two winners will receive a gift card to Cravin's. Stay tuned- We've got a fun jump

rope challenge and unit coming up! Special thanks to the Sobolewski Family & Bravo Restoration and Construction for providing a jump rope for everyone in our district. They will be distributed by the end of next week.

being a part of enriching your child's experience.  
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Thank You, Breanne Bush 'Coach Bre'  
<https://youtu.be/YHKOVJTnurg>

### **YEARBOOK - EVERY STUDENT WILL RECEIVE ONE**

We are doing something different. Because it has been such a crazy year, we are planning to give every San Miguel student a yearbook. We have a generous sponsor who will match donations, so if you would like to donate, or know a business that would like to donate, please email [sanmiguelsitepto@gmail.com](mailto:sanmiguelsitepto@gmail.com)  
We'd also like to thank all of you who sent in photos. The yearbook is sure to look different than it has in the past!

### **A NOTE FROM THE MUSIC TEACHER**

Music classes will continue until the end of April. Final Zoom meetings will occur the week of April 26-30. After April 30, Mrs. Kaufman will begin to collect borrowed instruments and books at each school site. If you have borrowed a school instrument or book, please note the following return dates for each school for students attending school in person.

#### **Return Instruments and Books:**

**Riebli:** Monday, May 3 before school in room 17 (music room)

**San Miguel:** Tuesday, May 4 before school in room 40 (music room)

**Mark West:** Friday, May 7 before school in the music room

If a student is in distance learning or homeschooling or if the student is absent on their return date, please return the instrument/book to your school's office at your earliest convenience in May. Please send Mrs. Kaufman an email to let her know when you've returned it. All violin, viola, trumpet, and clarinet students were issued a book that needs to be returned as well. If the book has been lost, it is \$10 to replace for violin/viola and \$8 for clarinet/trumpet.

A huge thank you to all the brave students who sent in videos for our virtual concert! And thank you all for your patience! Our virtual concert will be released the first week of May. Also, to celebrate after a most unusual and challenging year, Mrs. Kaufman has planned a special virtual field trip for all 4-8th grade music students to see the hip-hop duo Black Violin on Tuesday, May 11th at 2:30 p.m. Save the date and stay tuned for more details! Thank you! Mrs. Kaufman

### **PTO UPDATE**

Our LAST PTO meeting of the year will be on Wednesday, May 19th, via zoom! We are looking to fill the President, Vice President and Secretary roles as our current board members have already served their 2 years. Soooo, if you are interested PLEASE reach out to the PTO! All 3 board members are working moms and were able to do both, so don't let work deter you from