



Saint Matthew Catholic School

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Dear SMS Warriors and Families:

I hope that you are having a great summer vacation and a wonderful time doing the things that you like to do and spending time reading, writing, and remembering your math facts! Your teachers and I are looking forward to the beginning of another great school year and we hope that you are just as excited.

School will open in about a month and I want to hear all about the exciting times our kids have had over the summer – especially those books that you have read! Don't forget that our Middle School reading list and your class supply list are posted on our website at www.saint-matthew-school.org -- just click on Newsletters/Flyers on the web.

Our Parent-Faculty Association (PFA) is sponsoring a school orientation night on Thursday, August 14, from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. At the orientation, families will need to turn in three forms: Health/Emergency, Personal Information, and Volunteer Hours Commitment forms along with a \$25 per family PFA fee. You will then have an opportunity to pick up your classroom assignment, order sportswear, purchase a 2007-08 yearbook, etc., and meet your teacher and me.

Sixth grade parents and students will meet together at 5:30 p.m. in the Lawless Room. Check our website, too, for the latest 2008-09 school calendar. If you had the opportunity to pre-order your school supplies, your order will be distributed at orientation.

All grades begin on Monday, August 18 with a full-day of school and all students dismissed at 3:00 p.m. Please go directly to your classroom on opening day. Our doors will open at 7:30 a.m. Your teacher will be waiting to greet you at the classroom door.

I sincerely look forward to seeing you and your family at orientation. Have a great remainder of the summer – I know it's going to be another Super Year at SMS.

Faithfully in Christ,

P. Martin Erlenbaugh

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