



**From the Desk of Mrs. McDermott**  
**11/09/11**

**Dear Parents/guardians,**

Illegal parking is still an issue. Please inform all the family members who pick up your children that they cannot park outside the school building on 49<sup>th</sup> and Harding during dismissal. Both sides have street signs which clearly say it is illegal to park there – this includes “waiting”. Please do not park on the west side of Harding or in between the cones. No cars can be driving outside the school on Harding between 2:20 p.m. & 2:45p.m. Your children’s safety is our number one priority. ☺

**Glass Bottles**

Glass bottles of any kind are not permitted in school. They are hazardous!

**Parent/Teacher Conferences**

Conference slips with your allocated time are going home in today’s envelope. If you receive the weekly packet electronically, your child will have it.

**Book Fair**

St. Bruno will host a book fair on Wednesday, November 16 through Friday, November 18. To make this a success, we are in need of volunteers to help us run the book fair through the school day hours and on Wednesday evening. Please look for, complete, and return the volunteer sheet in today’s envelope.

**FSA News**

- **Candle Fundraiser**  
Reminder: all orders for Candles need to be returned to the office by tomorrow, Thursday, November 10. Thank you for supporting this fundraiser.
- **Brunch with Santa Saturday, December 10**  
FSA are still in need of a co-chair to help organize this event. If you are able to help out, please email [FSA@stbruno.com](mailto:FSA@stbruno.com) a.s.a.p.
- **November Meeting**  
FSA will hold a meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 15 in the Lunchroom at 6:30p.m. All are welcome to attend.

**Box Tops**

Last week we launched a project based fundraiser involving Box Top labels. Some students have already returned a complete Turkey sheet. Well done!! If you purchase food or products by Betty Crocker or Pillsbury, please cut out and save the Box Top label for our project and return them to school.

**Lunch program**

If you were approved for Free and/or reduced lunch, you still need to submit an order form each month. They are due the first of each month. If no order is sent in, the FSP ladies will order all Menu A. Your child/ren will not be able to trade his/her lunch. To prevent wastage and unhappy children, please take the time to go over the choices offered monthly and return the form on time.

**Reminder:** All parent volunteers and coaches must complete an online CBC (criminal background check), attend a Virtus workshop. A current Cants form, Code of Conduct Acknowledgement form, and a copy of the Virtus certificate must also be on file in the office.

### **Upcoming Virtus Classes**

#### **Spanish Sessions**

Saturday, Nov 12 3:00PM  
OL Fatima (Chicago) 2751 W. 38TH PL.

Saturday, Nov 19 12:00PM  
St. Francis Assisi-Roosevelt (Chicago) 813 W. Roosevelt

Tuesday, Nov 29 6:00PM  
Pope John Paul II (Chicago) 4325 S. Richmond St.

#### **English Session**

Monday, Nov 14 7:00PM  
Ascension School (Oak Park) 601 Van Buren Street

Wednesday Nov 30 6:00PM  
St. Therese School (Chicago) 247 W. 23<sup>rd</sup> St.

**Regards,**

**Katrina McDermott**

#### **Upcoming Dates:**

Nov 10 – 2<sup>nd</sup> -7<sup>th</sup> Field Trip

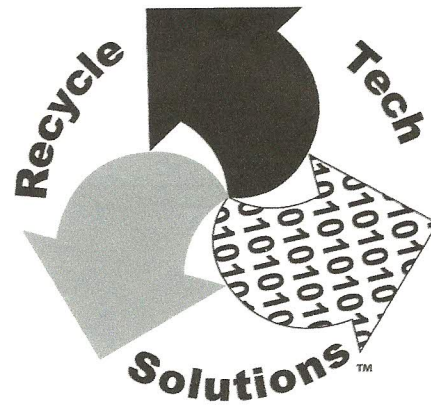
Nov 11 – Trimester Ends

Nov 14 - \$1 dress down for National Diabetes Day

Nov 15 – FSA meeting 6:30pm. Lunchroom

Nov 15 – School Board 6:30pm Faculty Room (changed date)

Nov 16 – Story Teller Night Prek – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade



## Donate Your Used Electronics

**Proceeds will benefit St. Bruno School New Technology Fund!!!**

In coordination with America Recycles Day, St. Bruno School and Recycle Tech Solutions are hosting a recycling drive from November 15<sup>th</sup> through November 22<sup>nd</sup> from 7am – 3pm. The drop off area will be the school office. This will be the first of four recycling events this school year. We are accepting personal and corporate electronic recycling donations from all areas and we appreciate you spreading the word about this important school and environmental event. Please see the list below to see which items we are recycling and diverting away from our nation's landfills. Thank you for your efforts in recycling and in helping St. Bruno School.

### Acceptable Devices:

- Cellular Phones
- Laptop Computers / PC's
- Computer Parts
- LCD Monitors (Non CRT)
- Printer Cartridges
- MP3 Players / iPods
- Navigation Systems
- Digital Cameras
- Digital Video Cameras
- Smart Phones / PDA's
- External Hard Drives
- USBs
- DVD / VCR / CD Players
- Wireless Internet Cards
- Computer Wire
- Keyboards / Mice

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