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Dear Parents:

If you haven't already done so, it's time to start adjusting summer schedules and preparing students for the start of school on September 1st (or 2nd students in 4K). As a reminder for those who want to meet or visit with our teachers and our new secretary and/or check out classrooms before the first day, **School Supply Drop-off will be on Thursday, August 26th, from noon to 5:45 pm and then again on Friday, August 27th, from 8 am to noon.**

The following is a listing of this year's school staff and administration and a brief listing of grades and/or areas where they may be working with your children:

Miss Kavajecz (4K and 5K)
Miss Heidmann (1st, 3rd, and 4K-8 Physical Education)
Mrs. Werner (1st, 2nd, Math 6)
Mrs. Bergs (3rd, 4th, 4K-8 Music, Math 8)
Mrs. Wozny (5-8 Science, 5-6 Language Arts, 7-8 Religion, Math 7)
Mrs. Hawley (3-8 Social Studies, 7-8 Language Arts, 5-6 Religion, Math 5, 4K-8 Art)
Mrs. Conley (3rd, 4th, 1-8 Spanish, 4K/5K Intro to Spanish--Planned for Spring)
Mrs. Lemmer, School Secretary (All Grades)
Mrs. Wenzel, Principal (All Grades)
Father Alan Wierzba, Pastor (All Grades)

Individual student schedules will be available for pickup at the School Supply Drop-Off along with First Day Folders containing beginning of the year forms and information. We will also have a large number of new backpacks (some filled with supplies and others empty) that you are willing to take as desired. **Please remember to bring your school, work, or hiking backpacks to the weekend Masses on August 28/29 at either St. John's or Holy Family Parishes for the Blessings of the Backpacks!**

Please find the following additional documents with this newsletter: St. John the Baptist Catholic School Operational Plan, Marathon County Health Department's COVID-19 Quarantine Options Timeline, and At-Home COVID-19 Health Screening Instructions for Parents and Guardians. This past Wednesday evening, the Edgar Public School Board met and approved their own Operational Plan and Guidelines in response to COVID-19 for the 2021-22 School Year. Details on how this affects our students who ride the bus or participate in band, sports, or other academic and extra-curricular activities at Edgar Public Schools are included in our school's guidelines. Please reach out and let me know if you have any questions or concerns. Enjoy the last few weeks of summer!

Prayers and Blessings,
Mrs. Wenzel

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. ~ Romans 15:13

The mission of Saint John the Baptist Catholic School is to educate God's children and promote Catholic values through academic excellence and service to others.