


# SBS NEWSLETTER

VOLUME 7, ISSUE 21

February 3, 2023

FAITH  
KNOWLEDGE  
SERVICE



## Weekly Newsletter

### ST. BENEDICT SCHOOL

*Grades Pre Kindergarten 3 to 8*

HOLMDEL, NEW JERSEY 732.264.5578  
SCHOOL.STBENEDICTHOLMDEL.ORG

## PRINCIPAL NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Watch this week's update from the Principal! Click below.



Subscribe to the new **St. Benedict School Holmdel** channel here: [YouTube Channel](#)

## IMPORTANT REMINDERS

### ★ WEEK AHEAD - Key Dates & Reminders

<b>Sunday, 2/5</b>	<b>Polar Plunge</b> - Sea Bright Municipal Beach The plunge happens promptly at 1:00 pm.
<b>Friday, 2/10</b>	<a href="#">Textbook</a> and <a href="#">Transportation</a> Forms are due by Friday, 2/10.

### ★ FILING FOR DIOCESAN TUITION ASSISTANCE FOR 2023-2024

The Tuition Assistance Applications for the 2023-2024 school year opened on November 1, 2022. You will be able to access the application through the link on the SBS website under: PARENTS - FINANCIAL INFORMATION - FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

- The application opened on 11/1/22.
- The Round 1 Deadline is 3/1/23.
- The Round 2 Deadline is 5/12/23.

For additional information, please see the attached [flyer](#).

- ★ **OPEN HOUSE** St. Benedict School Open House will be held on Friday, February 17, 2023 from 1pm to 3pm (which is a half day).
- ★ **ENROLLMENT 2023-2024** Re-enrollment forms will be sent out in the next few weeks for current students.
- ★ **TEXTBOOK AND TRANSPORTATION FORMS NOW DUE** The [Textbook Form](#) and [Transportation Form](#) for the 2023-2024 school year are now due. Please click the links to print and send in with your child..
- ★ **SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION** We are excited to open up registration for our Summer Camp "Campout" this Saturday, January 28th at 10am at the St. Benedict School Open House. A table will be set up in the cafeteria for camp questions and to reserve your spot for the summer. Please see the attached [brochure](#) for additional information. The camp registration form is located [here](#) and can be submitted with payment.
- ★ **FOOD DRIVES** NJHS is running a food drive for the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Please send in canned and boxed foods next week. We re also collecting cans of soup for our annual "SOUPER BOWL" food collection.

# CLASS NEWS

## PEP RALLY 2023

Today was the annual pep rally held in the gym, way to go Rebels! We will be uploading a Pep Rally 2023 album over the next few days, stay tuned.





## EIGHTH GRADE

### Valentine's Day is right around the corner!

SBS Class of 2023 is selling Valentine Grams to the school for Valentine's Day on February 14. Please see attached [order form](#) for details. **ALL ORDERS ARE DUE by Wednesday, February 8!**

All proceeds will go towards the Legacy gift to the school and eighth grade activities. Thank you for your support!

## YEARBOOK

**8TH-GRADE PARENTS ONLY:** The Yearbook Club needs group photos of the class of 2023. Please see the attached [document](#) for instructions on how to upload and what photos to share. If you have any questions, please reach out to Ms. Oswick or Mrs. Mackin. Thank you!

# PARENT ASSOCIATIONS AND CLUB NEWS

## ARTS ASSOCIATION

Please come support the Drama Club Super Bowl weekend (February 11 and 12) in the Gathering Space after Masses, they will be having a bake sale. If you are heading to a party or you just have a sweet tooth, please consider purchasing a delicious treat.

Reminder, please sign up for Remind texts from the Arts Association [here](#) and email alerts [here](#).

## ATHLETICS

Check your P1 email from Athletics regarding Spring Sports.

- ★ [2023 Spring Sports Survey](#)
- ★ [Spring Soccer Survey](#)

The surveys will be closed on February 10 as we will need to finalize everything for the seasons to start. Please do not wait to sign up. Volleyball coaches and softball players wanted.



---

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you,  
Meaghan Lewis  
SBS Athletic Director, [athletics@stbenedictnj.org](mailto:athletics@stbenedictnj.org)

## GRACE

GRACE will be hosting their annual Glow Party on March 24, 2023 from 6:00-8:30 pm. Details to follow!

## PTA

### DANCES

- ★ The Ladies & Young Gentlemen dance was a hit! We had a wonderful night with everyone.

### POLAR PLUNGE

Are you ready to take the plunge? The Polar Plunge is happening in Sea Bright on **Sunday, February 5...** in just 2 days. It's a great way for SBS students, staff, teams, clubs, and alumni to show their support for Catholic education. You can join us at SBS tent near the [Sea Bright Fire House](#) as early as 12 pm. The plunge happens *promptly* at 1pm so please gather no later than 12:45 pm.

If you are unable to plunge, your support is still appreciated. Click this [link](#) to donate.

### Top fundraisers (based on total donations) will receive the following exciting prizes:

- ★ **1st place:** Hovertrax Kart with Hoverboard
- ★ **2nd place:** Jenkinson's Gift Card (\$200)
- ★ **3rd place:** Amazon Gift Card (\$100)
- ★ **1st place Teacher:** \$150 gift card to a spa of choice

Thank you to the Voskoboynikov Family for a generous sponsorship of \$1,000! Mr. Vlad Voskoboynikov is a Sales Consultant at Douglas Volkswagen in Summit, they have been in business over 50 years. Please make sure to check out their business at <https://www.douglasvw.com>. Contact Mr. Voskoboynikov with any inquiries at [vladv@douglasautonet.com](mailto:vladv@douglasautonet.com) or call 646-912-0131.

### POCKETBOOK BINGO

Save the date to try your luck at Pocketbook Bingo on **Friday, March 3**. We will share additional information soon in this **free space** but not **B4**!



## REBEL RACK

If you have general questions about returns, exchanges, sizes and store inventory, please contact Lori Ulrich at 732-264-4712 ext. 39 or email [rebelrack@stbenedictnj.org](mailto:rebelrack@stbenedictnj.org).  
THANK YOU!

### ORDERING FORMS AND LINKS

The SBS Rebel Rack accepts Venmo payments. All purchases made in-person at the shop can accept Venmo as payment. The Rebel Rack can be found at:



---

Venmo @Rebel-Rack  
<https://www.venmo.com/u/Rebel-Rack>

The QR code to scan is available at the shop, also pictured on the right.

- ★ **SBS GYM UNIFORM ORDERS** can be taken via credit card through the online link [here](#).  
(Refer to the [Gym Uniform Ordering page](#) for uniform photos, dress code requirements, and sizing information.)
- ★ Rebel Rack orders are also done via paper order (sent with cash or check to School Office, Attention: Rebel Rack). For the paper order form listing all apparel items, including SBS Gym Uniform items and school spirit items, see paper order form [here](#).
- ★ For full-zip hooded sweat jackets, please [email Lori Ulrich](#) with your order request.  
**SIZES AVAILABLE: Youth Large, Youth XL, Adult Small, Adult Medium, Adult Large**  
Please send cash or check made payable to St. Benedict School for \$25 to the attention of the Rebel Rack.
- ★ For Full-Zip Fleece Jackets, you can purchase at [Flynn O'Hara](#). \*Note: This is the only jacket allowed to be worn throughout the day with the SBS uniform.



SBS Rebel Rack  
@Rebel-Rack



**venmo**

Scan this code to pay

---

## REMINDERS

- ★ **SCHOOL CALENDAR**  
Located on the website in the top left titled "Calendar" or bookmark the page here:  
<https://school.stbenedictholmdel.org/calendar-1>

- ★ **SBS SOCIAL MEDIA CHANNELS**



**SCHOOL FACEBOOK**

The official Facebook page for St. Benedict School is:  
<https://www.facebook.com/SBSprincipal/>



**SCHOOL INSTAGRAM**

@stbensholmdel



**SCHOOL TWITTER**

@stbensholmdel

---

# WEEKLY PACKET

Don't forget to read all of the newsletter attachments for the week; all flyers, upcoming events, and any parent organization or club information is found here. Please see the link below to access all of the newsletter attachments for the week.

<https://school.stbenedictholmdel.org/fyi>