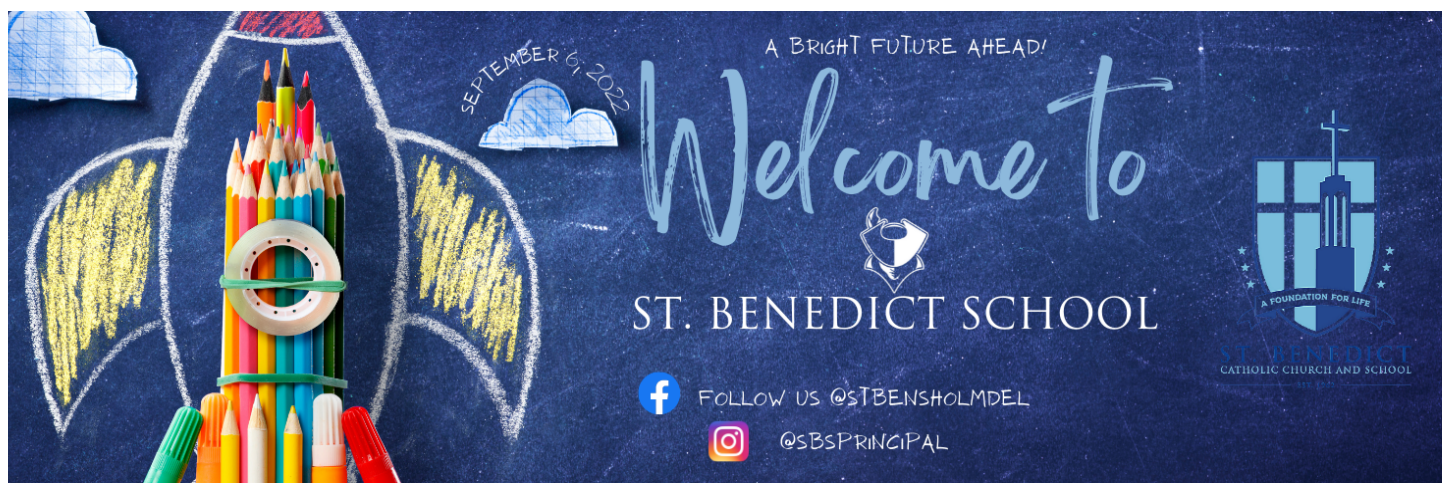


# SBS NEWSLETTER

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## 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>Monday, 9/11</b>	First Day of Hot Lunch
<b>Friday, 9/15</b>	Half Day - 12:15 pm Dismissal

- ★ **NEW FAMILIES** All parent information can be found on our website under Parents/FYI at: <https://school.stbenedictholmdel.org/fyi>
- ★ **DROP-OFF BEGINS AT 7:35AM** Students will not be permitted to enter the building before then. Please remember to drop your child(ren) off at their designated drop off location.
- ★ **PARENT EMAILS** Please remember to set up your P1 and P2 Google email accounts!
- ★ **EARLY PICK-UP** If you are picking up your child/children early from school, they **must be picked up by 1:45pm**. Please send in a note so we can have them ready.
- ★ **EDP (BEFORE/AFTER CARE)** Registration is ongoing for our Extended Day Program, but you **must** register prior to using the service. Forms are available on the school website under Forms / EDP or click [here](#). The \$25

Registration fee MUST accompany the registration form. Please contact Pat Tobino with any registration or billing questions at [tobino@stbenedictnj.org](mailto:tobino@stbenedictnj.org).

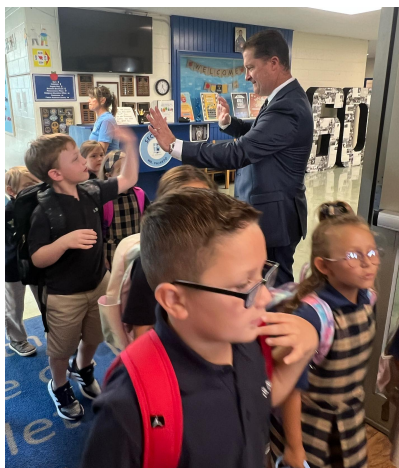
- ★ **CHANGE OF TRANSPORTATION** ALL students are designated a daily default dismissal as car, bus, or EDP. If at any time, a student has a change in their default dismissal, you MUST inform the school. The preferred method for ALL students is a note to the homeroom teacher the morning of the change. You may also use our online form, please click [here](#). It can be accessed through our website. Submissions **must** be done by 1:30pm on a full day and 11:30am on a half day. A text message to your child is NOT permitted for a transportation change. It is crucial parents follow the proper protocols to avoid confusion at dismissal. We appreciate your cooperation.
- ★ **SBS GYM UNIFORMS** The ordering link has reopened, gym uniforms can be ordered online [here](#). All orders placed over the summer were sent home this week. The Fall gym uniform is the SBS T-shirt and shorts. More info can be found on the Gym Uniform Ordering page on our website [here](#).
- ★ **FMI - Fundamental Music Instruction is available to St Benedict School students.** [Please click here](#) to see the flyer for more information.
- ★ **FAMILY FUN WEEKEND Friday, September 22 - Sunday, September 24**  
You can now purchase tickets online for Family Fun Weekend [here](#). All details can be found online at: <https://school.stbenedictholmdel.org/familyfun>



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# CLASS NEWS

WELCOME BACK, STUDENTS!



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## PARENT ASSOCIATIONS AND CLUB NEWS

### ARTS ASSOCIATION AND MUSIC GROUPS

Drama Club returns and sign-up is located in the [FYI/Weekly Packet](#). You will also find information on School Choir and Youth Choir registration, along with Girls Jam and Guys Jam. Please refer to the email from Mrs. Remick sent on August 30 regarding the below music groups:

- ★ Grades 2-8 Youth Choir
- ★ Grades 3-8 School Choir
- ★ Grades 6-8 Girls Jam and Guys Jam
- ★ Grades 4-8 Drama Club

### ATHLETICS ASSOCIATION

Please direct all sports inquiries to Meaghan Lewis, Athletics Director, at [athletics@stbenedictnj.org](mailto:athletics@stbenedictnj.org).

### MINI DRAMA CLUB

SBS Mini Drama Club is returning this year! Students in Grades 2 and 3 are welcome to join. The club moderator is Miss Reddan. Mini Drama Club meets on Thursdays after school in the gym until 3:15pm, start date to be announced. A Mini Drama Club Showcase will be at the end of May. Email [reddan@stbenedictnj.org](mailto:reddan@stbenedictnj.org) if interested.

### PTA

#### WELCOME BACK!

The First Open PTA Meeting is on September 11, 2023. As we launch a new school year, the St. Benedict PTA is excited to partner with families and the local community to achieve our annual \$25,000 donation to St. Benedict School. Join



us on Monday, September 11 at 7pm to learn more during our first Open PTA meeting of the 2023-24 school year. The evening will include:

- ★ BYOB
- ★ Meeting and connecting with other SBS parents
- ★ The opportunity to hear about upcoming events and volunteer opportunities
- ★ A Dress Down Day pass as a “Thank You for Attending”

All moms, dads, guardians, grandparents, and supporters of SBS are invited as we partner to keep SBS a thriving school community!

### New Family Ice Cream Social

The PTA is excited to welcome our new students and their families. New families received an email invitation. If you have not done so yet, please RSVP by Friday, September 15. We look forward to seeing you there!



### Welcome Back Faculty Lunch

Teachers returned from summer to find a delicious Livoti's lunch from the PTA. We appreciate our teachers' ongoing commitment to our community and all of their hard work to make this year the best one yet!

### Save the Date to Raise Some Dough!

Thursday, September 14 from 4-8pm at [Panera](#) in Hazlet. Featuring a meet and greet with Mr. Cammarano from 4-5pm!

**RAISE SOME DOUGH**  
*Help support us!*

  
ST. BENEDICT

40% of sales will benefit  
St. Benedict School



September 14, 2023  
4:00 pm to 8:00 pm EDT  
3070 Route 35, Hazlet, NJ  
\*Online Hazlet orders count all day.

In Cafe   Drive-Thru  
Pick-Up   Delivery  
Enter promo code **FUND4U** at online checkout.

**Panera**  
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## MIDDLE SCHOOL CYO

ST. BENEDICT C.Y.O. 2023-2024 "EPIC GAME NIGHT"

- ★ Monday, October 23  
7:00-8:00pm  
SBS GYM

This event is for 6th, 7th, and 8th grade Junior CYO. New members are heartily welcomed. Come for Food, Fun, Drinks, Music, Games. RSVP to Ciro by Friday, October 20 via email to [saverino@stbenedictnj.org](mailto:saverino@stbenedictnj.org). Read more [here](#).

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### 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!

### GYM SWEATPANTS

All YXS sweatpants are on backorder. They are expected in this month! Please refer to your gym uniform orders sent home for IOU notes.

### 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)

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

Rebel Rack orders are also done via paper order [form](#) (sent with cash or check to School Office, Attention: Rebel Rack).

- ★ **ORDERS** for SBS Gym Uniforms will 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.)
- ★ For the Rebel Rack paper order form listing all apparel and spirit items, see paper order form [here](#).  
(NOTE: Gym Uniform items are also included on this form if you prefer to pay with cash or check.)
- ★ For full-zip hooded sweat jackets, please [email Lori Ulrich](#) with your order request.  
**SIZES AVAILABLE: Youth Medium, Youth Large, Youth XL, Adult Small**  
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



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Scan this code to pay

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# 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

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# 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>