

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT
ARCHBISHOP BERGAN
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Bergan



WELCOME TO ARCHBISHOP BERGAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

WE ARE...

THREE BUILDINGS

ONE SCHOOL

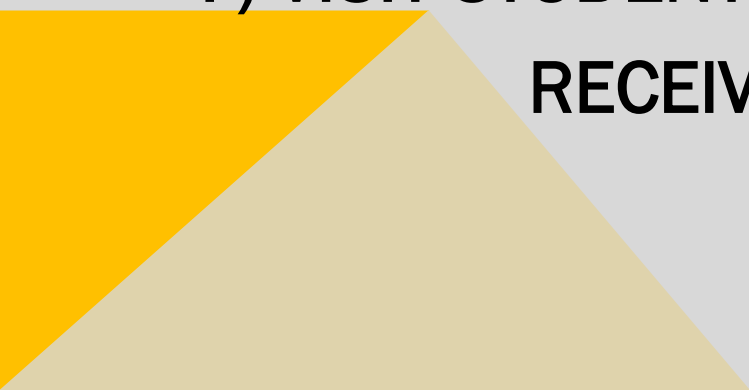
ONE FAMILY

*****A MINISTRY OF SAINT PATRICK'S PARISH**

**THIS SCHOOL YEAR WE ONCE AGAIN WILL BE
EXPERIENCING A RECORD ENROLLMENT OF OVER
500 STUDENTS IN GRADES PRESCHOOL THROUGH
TWELFTH GRADE.**



AGENDA

- 1) WELCOME
 - 2) INTRODUCE THE STAFF
 - 3) INTRODUCE...BOARD OF EDUCATION,
PARENT KNIGHTS, BOOSTER CLUB
 - 4) HANDBOOK CHANGES
 - 5) DRESS CODE REMINDERS
 - 6) HOW TO STAY CONNECTED AT BERGAN
 - 7) VISIT STUDENTS CLASSROOMS or
RECEIVE YOUR SCHEDULE
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STAFF INTRODUCTIONS

-ADMINISTRATION

-TEACHERS

-STAFF

HOW TO GET INVOLVED?

-BOARD OF EDUCATION

-PARENT KNIGHTS or WATCHDOGS

-BOOSTER CLUB

The logo for the Knights team, featuring the word "Knights" in a stylized, green, gothic-style font with a yellow outline. A black cross is positioned to the right of the text, partially overlapping the letter 't'.

HANDBOOK CHANGES

Homecoming & Prom Attire Guidelines

Homecoming and Prom are formal events. Attire for these events includes a dress for young ladies. Young men should wear appropriate neckwear i.e. tie or bowtie and the option of a dress suit or tuxedo. We expect the attire of our young men and women to reflect the mission of Archbishop Bergan Catholic School. Therefore, we reserve the right to refuse admittance to anyone who is not properly dressed for the occasion. Students are expected to be clean and neat in their appearance for our formal events. All dress should be modest and in good taste. The administration reserves the right to determine acceptability of clothing or appearance.

Parents are asked to assist their sons & daughters in the choice of a modest homecoming & prom attire, i.e. no plunging necklines, no bare midriff, no strapless gowns, etc. Most current fashions do not incorporate these guidelines. It may take a little extra time and effort to find the right attire. Your cooperation will be appreciated.

Illness at School

Students that state that they are ill or are sent to the office for symptoms of illness **may have** their temperature taken by a staff member at school. If the device **indicates** that the student has a fever of 100.5 or higher the student will be sent home. If a student vomits at school or has a confirmed case of diarrhea they will be sent home and will need to be fever, vomit and diarrhea free for twenty four hours before returning to school.

HANDBOOK CHANGES

Lice Policy

Head lice are a common problem for children in a school setting. Every year, millions of children get head lice. It can happen to any child, so as a parent being proactive about head lice is important. Please understand that we have a no NIT/lice policy at Archbishop Bergan Catholic School. This policy is in order to keep confirmed cases of lice as isolated incidents that are contained and we need the help of parents to be constantly vigilant. The school asks and encourages parents to check their children regularly for head lice. If you do find any nits or live lice please let the school know as soon as possible. Students may be randomly or systematically checked for lice by a staff member throughout the school year. Students that are confirmed to have nits or lice will be sent home immediately and the student must be nit and lice free upon admittance back into school which can happen not sooner than the next school day. Any student sent home for nits or lice will be evaluated by a school staff member upon arrival at school. The school administration holds the right to admit a student that is under a treatment plan by a medical professional.

Lunch at Elementary

Parents/Grandparents are allowed to eat lunch at the elementary school with their student. In order to provide less of a disruption to the school operation we ask that families limit their lunch visits to one day per month. If you plan on eating lunch with your student we ask that you contact the school office prior to 9:00am on the day of your visit to ensure you are included in our lunch count. Please refer to the section on Visitors for further guidelines. We ask that parents and grandparents do not visit their child for lunch before Labor Day and after May 1st to ensure the smooth transition of the beginning and end of the school year.

FAMILY MASS

We are trying to provide opportunities for our families at Bergen to connect. That is, for parents to have community time together as a group and talk with their kids and vice versa, especially about their faith.

Sunday August 20 we are having a special 5:00pm MASS

Family mass will be at St. Patrick's Catholic Church with a potluck dinner to follow.

Once again our celebration will be on Sunday, August 20 at 5:00pm. Regardless of your faith or place that you are in your own spiritual journey, we welcome you to come celebrate and make a positive connection with the Bergen Family.

HOW TO STAY CONNECTED AT BERGAN

In addition to our website, www.berganknights.org, there are other ways to stay connected to Bergan.

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/berganknights>

Alumni Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/stpatsberganalumni>

Twitter: <https://www.twitter.com/bergancatholic>

LinkedIn: <http://www.linkedin.com/company/archbishop-bergan-catholic-school>

Sycamore Education: (Sycamore is easily accessible from www.berganknights.org)

Quarterly Bergan Forever Newsletter

Parish Bulletin has Principal Notes

Elementary Building 402-721-9766

Middle School/High School Building 402-721-9683

For weekly updates, by radio, from Principal, Mr. Dan Koenig, tune into KFMT 105.5 every Tuesday morning at 7:50 a.m.

You can always follow news features and sports updates on www.fremonttribune.com



SCHOOL BEACON

Inclement Weather:

Parents & students be sure that you are signed up for SCHOOL BEACON. This service will alert you via phone, email or text message of unplanned school closings, school delays/early dismissals, or adjustments in activities schedules.

If you have signed up for School Beacon in the past, please go to the website <http://www.schoolbeacon.com>

and attempt to log in. Double check to be sure that your information is correct by reviewing your phone

number and email contact information.

If you have not yet signed up for School Beacon the process is simple. Go to the website <http://www.schoolbeacon.com> and click on “register new account.” The next step is to select Archbishop Bergan from the list of schools and then type in your contact information.



FIRST WEEK REMINDERS

MONDAY 8/14/17- 1:00 dismissal

**MONDAY 8/14/17- MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL
PICTURE DAY**

**TUESDAY 8/15/17- ALL SCHOOL MASS
HOLY DAY FOR THE ASSUMPTION**

FRIDAY 8/18/17- ELEMENTARY PICTURE DAY



**THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING BERGAN
MAY GOD BLESS YOU AND YOUR FAMILY
& MAY GOD BLESS ARCHBISHOP BERGAN CATHOLIC**



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