

The Bulldog Bugle

SUMMER EDITION

June 20th, 2025



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...and more!

School just ended... but we are busy at work prepping for an exciting Summer & Fall Kickoff! Back to School will be here before we know it. You will see monthly Bugle Newsletters this Summer with updates and invitations, as well as special communications for new & returning families. Traveling somewhere cool this summer? Send us a family picture and share where our Bulldogs went on break! Speaking of family pictures... check out page 5 for an exciting new way to get to know others in our school community. "H.A.G.S."!



-Mrs. Jude

Communications Director

Upcoming Events

Sunday, June 22nd - Pizza & Wine Night @ Minnetonka Orchards 5-9pm

Tuesday, July 29th - LLAMAPALOOZA! Family Party @ St. Bart's 5-7pm

Wednesday, August 27th - Back to School Open House - 4-6pm

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~ St. Bartholomew Catholic School 2025-2026 Calendar ~

June 19, 2025

No School Days

First/Last Day of School

School Event

Spiritwear

Staff PD Day

NO BUS - Drive Day

July 2025

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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January 2026

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25	26	27	28	29	30	31

19 School Days

1-2 Christmas Break

9 Spiritwear Day

19 No School - MLK Jr Day

23 NO BUS - DRIVE DAY

25 Pancake Breakfast

25-30 Catholic Schools Week

30 Family Event in Evening

27 Back to School Night 4:00-6:00

August 2025

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24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30

February 2026

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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

19 School Days

6 Spiritwear Day

13 NO BUS - Drive Day

16 No School - Presidents' Day

18 MASS - ASH WEDNESDAY

23-27 Eagle Bluff - Grade 5 Tentative Dates

1 No School - Labor Day

2 First Day Of School PS - 6

2 First Day of School Parent Coffee

5 Spiritwear Day

10 School Picture Day (in uniform)

12 The Gathering 5-9pm

September 2025

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21 School Days

March 2026

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20 School Days

6 Spiritwear Day & Last Day of 2nd Trimester

13 NO BUS - Drive Day

17 St. Patrick's Day Colors

24 Parent Teacher Conferences - evening

26 Parent Teacher Conferences - evening

27 NO BUS - Drive Day

30-31 No School - Spring Break

3 Blessing of Pets 3:15pm & Spiritwear Day

14 Picture Retake Day (in uniform)

15 NO BUSES - Drive Day

16-17 No School - Staff PD Day, MEA

30 Rake-a-thon

31 Halloween costumes/Colors

October 2025

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21 School Days

April 2026

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14 School Days

1-3 No School - Spring Break & Good Friday

6 NO SCHOOL - Easter Monday

7-10 No School - NCEA Workshops

6 Parent Teacher Conferences - evening

7 No School - Daytime Conferences, Workshop

12 Veterans Day Mass

14 Spirit Wear

25 End of First Trimester

26-28 No School - Thanksgiving break

30 Advent begins

November 2025

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16 School Days

May 2026

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20 School Days

1 Spiritwear Day

15 Grand Day Mass

19 Spring Performances

25 No School - Memorial Day

29 Field Day

5 Spiritwear Day

8 MASS - Immaculate Conception

16 PS & K-5 Christmas Programs

19 Christmas colors - out of uniform

22-31 Christmas Break

December 2025

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15 School Days

June 2026

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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
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3 School Days

1 Field Trip Day

2 Kindergarten Graduation

2 Graduation Mass 6pm

3 Last Day Mass - dismissal at 11:00

4 & 5 Teacher Workshops

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SAVE THE DATE!



Sunday, June 22nd - Pizza Fundraiser night at Everly Farm Minnetonka Orchards! 5-7 pm Enjoy wood-fired pizzas and wines - rain or shine! Bring a picnic blanket and a friend - wait to see you!

Tuesday, July 29th - Llamas @ St. Bart's! Join us for a fun summer get together with food, meet-and-greet llamas, and more. Get a chance to meet some new classmates and old friends. Open house style from 5-7pm! Bring a picnic basket or order from a fun food truck. Preschool-5th grade - all welcome! Bring a friend!

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USED UNIFORMS

We have plenty of stock ready for you to peruse! In lieu of a formal used uniform market, please stop by the internal school entrance any time and find what you need. If you would like to make a donation, please leave a check with the front desk.



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Office Roundup!

We are happy to (re)introduce you to your fabulous front office and their expanded roles this academic year:



Principal Ginger Vance

gvance@st-barts.org Leading St. Bartholomew Catholic School every day! Always available for students & parents, big issues and small.



Office Manager Devon Kirschner

office@st-barts.org Managing the front office, phones and admittance, attendance, after-school activities, and your first stop for day-to-day needs.



Admissions & TADS Manager Jen Folkens

jfolkens@st-barts.org Enrollment, tours, tuition & billing! Have a question about TADS? She is your gal!

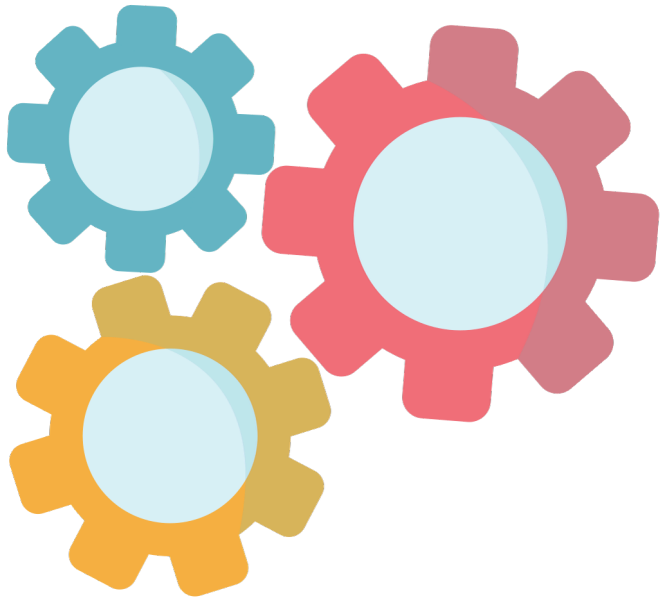


Communications Manager Nicole Jude

njude@st-barts.org Newsletters, communications & marketing, website and things hot lunch in 2025/26.

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STEAM Lab & Robotics Loading!
talk about what we ordered?

2025 All-School Family Picture Directory

We are pleased to announce a new collaborative pictorial directory for current families!

HOW TO: Click this link, add a new slide, pop in a picture ~~and tell us~~ about your family! This is great way to get to know each other & network together, too. Reach out to Mrs. Jude if emailing is easier for you - she can add you manually!



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Summer Camp Spotlight