



ST BRIGID BULLETIN: September 2018

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From the Principal

The St Brigid Bison, small but mighty as ever, return for the 2018-2019 school year! Exciting changes have been made at the school to ensure that Catholic education with a strong commitment to student success and well-being continues in our communities. Our school once again has a full-time, resident principal as well as two teachers and an EA who are all dedicated to engaging, authentic and faith-based learning for our students.

In the coming months, you'll see the Bison Herd serving God, giving back to our community, learning 21st-century skills and technologies and staying rooted to the land and indigenous cultures. We hope that you will join us in the exciting year of collaboration, discovery, faith and adventure ahead!

Mr. Jewiss

SEPTEMBER's Virtue – RESPECT:

the art of treating yourself, other, and the world with kindness, fairness and equality.

We shall be teaching the students of St. Brigid Catholic School the importance of this virtue by emphasizing that God has called us to model the respect shown by Christ. As brothers and sisters who share one Spirit, we are all valuable to God and deserve to be shown courtesy, consideration, sensitivity and thoughtfulness – all ways of showing respect. We shall remind them that through prayer, we improve our ability to be Christ-filled people – respecting ourselves, others, and our environment in which we live.

From Ms. Lines

Wow! I can't believe that the 2018-10 school year is already well underway! I am so excited, as well as relieve, to be back amongst my beloved "Bison Herd" at St Brigid Catholic School. Here's to stampeding forward to "new heights" with "heart, mind, body and soul"!

From Mrs. Jewiss

Welcome back to another exciting year at St. Brigid Catholic School! We have lots of interesting things ahead this year for our students and the community and will be sending information home regularly as well as posting on our Facebook page. Although we are a small Bison Herd this year, we will continue to offer exemplary levels of learning opportunities and dedication that we show to our students and the families. I feel truly blessed to have the opportunity to work with your children again this year, to grow and learn together and continue to build positive relationships with you and your family. I can always be contacted at the school if there are any questions, cares or concerns and am looking forward to working with everyone again this year!

Ms. Lines' famous Craft Club returns! All students can join in for arts & crafts every Wednesday from 2:40 to 3:40, beginning 12 Sept!



From Mrs. Gardiner

I am so grateful to the staff and students at St Brigid School for their heartfelt welcome into their herd. I am very excited to be part of this dedicated and caring team and to get the opportunity to teach and learn with the St Brigid Bison!



St Brigid Bison Herd of 2018-19!

YOU ARE INVITED TO

St. Brigid School's Open House & BBQ!!

Thursday 27 Sept 2018, 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm

Come and chat with the teachers, and see what, where & how your children will be learning!

Allergy Alert!

At this time, we have no severe allergies at the school. If this changes, we will let you know!



School Schedule

8:30 – 10:30 am – Learning Block 1
 10:30 – 10:45 am – Recess
 10:45 – 12:05 pm – Learning Block 2
 12:05 – 1:00 pm – Lunch time
 1:00 - 2:40 pm – Learning Block 3
 2:40 pm - dismissal

REMINDERS....

- **Safe Arrival** – If your child is expected to be late or absent, please be sure to call to school to let us know they're safe
- **Gym clothes** – Students are required to bring a change of t-shirt to wear during gym
- **Meals** – the school will continue to provide a light snack each morning. Please ensure your child is fed a nourishing breakfast and brings a healthy lunch each day.

SEPTEMBER 2018

Virtue of the Month – RESPECT Month of Our Lady of Sorrows

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
						Nativity of Mary 
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
 1:30 pm Mass at St Brigid Church			 every Wednesday!			
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
 1:30 pm Mass at St Brigid Church			Aroland  10am-3pm		 1pm	
23/30	24	25	26	27	28	29
 1:30 pm Mass at St Brigid Church			 10:45 am @ St. Brigid Church	 OPEN HOUSE 4:00-5:30pm		

SCHOOL COMMUNICATION

Please ensure that Mrs. Abraham has updated contact information and emergency contacts! Messages can be delivered by calling the school in the morning as well as by visiting our Facebook page, @stbrigidcatholicschool



Outdoor learning out on the land!