

9-22-20

Living in Faith, Leading the Future Capital Campaign

As you know, we have completely outgrown the current capacity of classrooms at FBC current Lower School. Quite simply: We needed more room, and quickly. Our expansion at our new Upper School, formally known as Rustic Hills, will be completed in two strategic phases over three years and will require funding as we work toward our end goal: to bring all students to one campus for God's glory. Please click [HERE](#) to read more and sign-up at the bottom of the page if you'd like to hear more about how your family can participate in the mission.

Mask Exemptions

Exemptions need to be turned in by this Friday, September 25. In the case of a medical exemption, The Medina County Health Department is requiring a signed Doctor's note. **All students without exemptions need to wear masks.**

Homecoming

Has been postponed. Date TBD.

Early Release 7th-11th Grade on October 14th

All students 7th-11th will have early release at 11:30 and 12th grade will have a college visit day.

PTF

If you want to get involved at the Upper School they will have a short meeting on Thursday, October 1 at 9:20am in Room 101. If you can't make the meeting feel free to email or text **Ann Huntley** at Bryannahunt@gmail.com, 330-687-8014 to get involved!

If you want to get involved at the Lower School, they will have a short meeting on Monday, September 28th at 2pm in the Auditorium. If you can't make the meeting feel free to email or text **Heather Sprosty** at Hsprosty24@live.com, 440-832-1959 to get involved!

Please see the attached letter to learn more about PTF and how you can get involved.

NaNoWriMo for the Upper School

Every year writers across the world gather together to attempt an insane goal: write a novel in a month! Upper school students can join Mrs. Trinckes on Mondays after school 3:45PM-4:45PM in the intervention room for National Novel Writing Month (or NaNoWriMo). Program to start Oct 5 and run through Christmas break. October is for

planning, November is for writing, and December is for editing. Will you take the Writing challenge? This year we will also utilize Google Classroom to reinforce weekly work. Email Mrs. Trinckes at jltrinckes@mcaschool.net with any questions.

Attendance

Please notify the office if your student is sick or will be late to school. Please call and leave a message before the start of school. Amy Hall ahall@mcaschool.net is in charge of attendance at the Upper School and Carla Collier ccollier@mcaschool.net at the Lower School.

Children will be sent home from school if they have a fever, sore throat, skin rash or sores, red or inflamed eyes, discharge from ears, vomiting, diarrhea, severe cough, or swollen glands. If your child is found to be ill at school, you will be notified as soon as possible. If you are not reachable, the emergency contact will be used.

A child must be free of fever for 24 hours before returning to school (without the use of fever reducing medication).