

St. Robert Bellarmine School  
Weekly Bulletin

September 1 - 8, 2008

Mon., Sept. 1	Labor Day - No Classes
Tues., Sept. 2	Preschool begins - 8:00 A.M. to 2:30 P.M. School lunch program begins for K - 8
Wed., Sept. 3	
Thurs., Sept. 4	1:45 P.M., Student Council speeches, for Gr. 4-8, in the Gym (Parents welcome)
Fri., Sept. 5	
Mon., Sept. 8	3:00 - 4:00 P.M., SRB Children's Choir, Church

REMINDERS: .

- There are no classes on Fri., Aug. 29 and Mon., Sept. 1
- Preschool begins on Tuesday, Sept. 2.
- The lunch program begins on Tuesday, Sept. 2
- Friday, Sept. 12 is a Teachers' Inservice Day, so school is not in session.
- "Meet the Teacher" night is Monday, Sept. 15, 7:00 P.M., in Kernaghan Hall.
- Tiny Tots, the program for two-year-olds and their parent/caregiver, begins on Thursday, Sept. 18, from 10:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M. for a twelve week session. The fee is \$60. More information will be coming!

- The SRB Run-a-Thon is Sept. 19. It's lots of fun and we need volunteers!
- Regular uniforms begin on Sept. 22. Check the handbook for details.
- School Pictures will be on Sept. 25.
- The school handbook is on-line. Check the website.

## **School Website: [www.srb-chicago.org](http://www.srb-chicago.org)**

We are publishing the Weekly Bulletin on our school website each Thursday. Please check the website for all school information. Hopefully, all of our families will check this website each week. Families are encouraged to sign up for a weekly e-bulletin, rather than a paper copy. We can save a few trees!

August 28, 2008

Dear St. Robert Bellarmine School Families,

The students are already hard at work learning new lessons and new routines. As I move about the school building, the sounds of children fill my ears with joy. Your children are a blessing!

Student Council will become a part of St. Robert Bellarmine School soon. The Seventh and Eighth Grade students will be given an opportunity to practice their leadership skills and be able to have a voice in our school. The students who are interested in running for office will give a campaign speech on Thursday, Sept. 4, at 1:45 P.M., in the Gym. Parents are welcome to attend to hear the speeches. The students in Grades 4 to 8 will vote for the candidates following the speeches. Later, these same students will have a chance to select a Student Council representative who will represent their classmates at the Student Council meetings.

Cell phones are a useful safety tool to keep the children safe when they are walking home or checking in with their parents. But, as necessary as they may be after school, students may not use their cell phone during the school day. Each student should turn off their phone and store it in their locker, backpack, or teacher's desk. If a student is found to have a cell phone, or any other electronic device, in their possession during the school day, the student will call home to inform his/her parent that the item must be picked up in the school office by a parent. The student also has a behavior consequence issued. I know that you can understand why this is a necessary rule at St. Robert's.

Enjoy this last long weekend of summer!

God Bless,

*Mrs. C. Mijal*