

Dear ASA Middle School Families,

We are looking forward to a great new school year! As teachers meet and engage in final preparations this week, we want to share a few important details and updates.

#### Shuttle:

Students can be dropped off at the elementary campus until 7:40 a.m. to ride the shuttle bus to the middle school. Students dropped off at the middle school at 7:40 a.m. will wait outside (except on inclement weather days) until the middle school doors open at 7:50 a.m. The first bell of the day is at 8:00 a.m.

At the end of the day the shuttle bus will pick up shuttle students about 3:30 p.m. at the middle school and will take them to the elementary campus for pick up or Eagles Club.

#### Car line review:



For the safety of all students and staff:

- 1) Park in the red line if you exit at 4 Mile.
- 2) Park in the yellow line if you exit at Assumption to Elmdale.
- 3) First two cars stop at the end of the red and yellow arrows.
- 4) No cars move until all students are loaded. (Similar to the Elementary Campus.)

- 5) If you need to come into the school park in the island between the school and ball field (circled in green.)

New Mass Time:

Our middle school Masses will return to 8:30 a.m. on Thursdays. Families are welcome to join us!

“New” Teachers and spaces:

- We welcome [Mr. Fillman](#) in 6th-8th grade science and 4th-8th grade STEM, Mrs. Bowman in 5th grade with Mr. Kress, and [Sr. Lucia Zapata](#) in Art.
- Make sure you take a few minutes to check out our newly renovated science lab!
- We have a new dual purpose space in the 4th & 5th grade wing. Room S3 (Mrs. Henke’s old classroom) will now house our uniform exchange and function as a project/meeting room for students, staff and parents.
- Our garden has been thriving this summer thanks to Urban Roots and a handful of volunteers. It will be featured in a community garden tour on August 29th!

We are looking forward to welcoming you back at our Ice Cream Social on Thursday, August 24th from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Please bring any [start of the year forms](#) you may need to drop off. We will have extra copies available as well!

Blessings,

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