

## **Stony Point North Superstars**

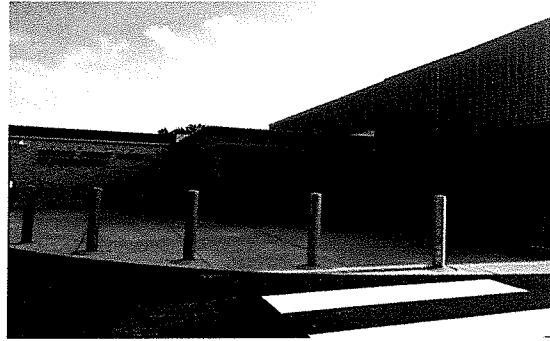


**2018-2019 school year is off to a great start!**

\*What a fabulous first day of school we had on Friday! It was so exciting to see the students enter SPN with such enthusiasm and ready for a new school year! **It is going to be a terrific year!!**

### **Important News:** **The New Addition-**

We are so fortunate to have the new addition added this Summer. The new SAFE and SECURE office area is fabulous along with the office area and 4 new classrooms, additional restrooms, new nurse's office and renovated lounge area.



### **Safety**

With our new safe and secure entrance, all visitors will only enter through the front of the building. Even though we have our drop-off in the back of the building we will not be allowed to let anyone through this entrance. Again, if you need to come in the building please use the front entrance and register as a visitor. Thank you for your help and understanding with this as we are all doing our best to keep our students safe!

### **Arrival/Entering the Building-**

Arrival procedures are just like last year. You will enter off of Tauromee, wind around

the playground and drop your child off by the back doors. Staff members will be there to let students out of cars and greet them. **Cars will not be allowed to enter from the back-parking lot.**

We have busses using this as an exit during arrival. It is very important that we come in off of Tauromee. If you would like to park and walk your child to the back door you still come in off of Tauromee, follow the line around, then park and walk your child to the back door.

\*We have a "Hug and Go Zone" in the back and front at the doors. This means that you can give your child a hug or say goodbye and let them enter the school to begin their day. They will then grab their breakfast and proceed to the classroom.

\*If you need to talk with a teacher or speak with the office, please park in the

visitor parking at the front of the building and enter through the office. You will need a visitor pass.

### **Morning Procedures**

Students are welcomed into the building at **8:00** to go get in their grade level tables in the cafeteria. **Students should not be dropped off before 8:00 as supervision begins at 8:00.** If your child needs to be dropped off before 8 they need to be signed up for kid zone, which is now located at Hazel Grove Elementary School.

At **8:15** students get their breakfast and proceed to their classrooms to eat their breakfast.

It is very important that students are on time to school so they may eat breakfast. School officially begins at 8:30.

## **Breakfast in the Classroom**

We are continuing to participate in the Breakfast in the Classroom program. This program allows all of our students to receive free breakfast and eat in the classroom. The Breakfast in the Classroom menu is online as well.

## **Lunch Applications**

Lunch is free for all students again this year. In order for us to continue to have free lunches we need to make sure each family fills out a lunch application. You may go to the SPN website or the district website to do so. All families must fill out a lunch application. Thank you for your help with this!

## **Dismissal**

\*We have students going in different directions for dismissal. **If your child is a car rider, he or she must be picked up in the back-car rider line. The front**

**door is for walkers only.** No students are allowed to be picked up by car in the front of the school on Tauromee. This is for the safety of the students.

## **Car rider dismissal is as follows:**

**\*Although the line of cars may seem long, the process goes very quickly.**

\*As you pull up to pick up your child there will be three different colored cones. Each cone is a pick-up station. We will have your child at the cone and ready to get in the car. Please stay in your cars and we will bring your child to the cone, open the door and let them in the car. If you need to buckle your child in a car seat, please pull up to an open space after we get your child in the car so we can continue loading cars.

\*As we get to know the cars associated with each student the process will move very quickly. Currently we are using walkie-talkies to communicate so we have students ready. Again, student safety is our main concern. This process will

continue to get quicker with each day.

**\*Walkers-**We have front door and back door walkers. Each group will be walked to the cross walk by staff.

**\*Bikes-**If your child rides a bike to school the best exit for them will be to go down the side walk by the dumpster in the back of the school. We have a staff member monitoring bike riders as they are leaving.

**Thanks again for your help with the dismissal process and keeping the students safe!**

**Communication:**

**\*This year we will be using a new program called Infinite Campus to send you general messages as well as any emergency notifications such as school closures etc.**

**\*SPN website and Facebook Page-**The SPN website link is <http://spnorth.schools.kckps.org>  
**The Facebook page is Stony Point North Elementary.**  
**Please go to our page and like it so you receive updates.**

**Please visit our website frequently!**

**PTA**

**The PTA** has been working very hard over the summer creating a calendar of events for the year! There are so many exciting things that will be taking place!! **We would love to invite you to JOIN PTA!!** With a PTA membership, you get a SPN t-shirt and have the option to buy your child a t-shirt. This year the theme is "It takes a village to raise a star". This is on the adult t-shirts and "I am a STAR" is on the student shirts.

If you are on Facebook, follow us at SPN PTA Facebook and Stony Point North Facebook Page.

**Please follow our google calendar on our SPN website!! Save the date for – August 29<sup>th</sup>-Open House** from 5:30-7:30. Dinner will be provided. This will be an opportunity to find out all about your child's classroom. There will be a brief PTA meeting that night too.