

**Welcome**  
**to**  
**Little Buds Kid Care After-school Program**  
**@ St. Bonaventure Catholic School**

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to the Aftercare Program at St. Bonaventure School. All grades Pk-3 through 8<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to utilize Little Buds Kid Care Aftercare Program on a monthly basis, or you may choose to use the program as needed on a daily basis.

As with the school program, all Pk students must be potty trained. If we have a continued problem with “accidents” we may ask that you withdraw your child from the aftercare program.

Field trips have been a great success these last few years, and we will continue to offer them again this year. Grades 2 - 8 will have scheduled field trips on early release Fridays or Wednesdays, there will be a few occasions where 1st grade will be included on the field trip. Scheduled field trip locations will be posted at pick-up the week prior to the field trip, we will let you know at that time what groups will be attending. All students (grades 1—8) must have a signed Field Trip Permission Form on file. You will find a blanket field trip form to be completed (for grades 1 - 8 only) and returned with your aftercare application. This will entitle your child to attend all aftercare field trips offered at that grade level at no additional cost. **Field trips are open only to students who are signed up for aftercare on a yearly basis.**

The aftercare program offers supervised play, snack time and homework help. The cost of the aftercare program is \$200.00 per month and will automatically be billed on the 1<sup>st</sup> of each month beginning September 2018. Yearly aftercare will be billed September through May 2019. All those signed up on a monthly basis must have a credit card authorization form on file, these charges **Do Not go through your FACTS account.**

Families may use the aftercare program on a daily basis, for a charge of \$17.00 per day. Charges for early dismissal days are \$17.00 if child is picked up by 3:15pm, after 3:15 the charge will be \$ 30.00 per day per child, **plus** the cost of the field trip if attending. Students may attend field trips on early release Friday or Wednesday if space is available. All students must have a completed field trip consent form on file in the office **prior** to the day of the field trip. **All charges for daily use of the aftercare program are due at the time of pick-up unless you have a credit card form on file.**

St. Bonaventure aftercare program begins the day of school, August 20<sup>th</sup>. Program hours are from 3:00 PM until 6:00PM. **Students picked up after 6:00 pm will be charged a late fee \$15.00 for the 1<sup>st</sup> 15 minutes** and \$5.00 for every additional 5 minutes after. No aftercare is provided on scheduled days off or on the following early dismissal days:

November	8 <sup>th</sup>	Family Festival
November	21 <sup>st</sup>	Thanksgiving Break
December	21 <sup>st</sup>	Christmas Break
February	1 <sup>st</sup>	Grandparents Day
April	17 <sup>th</sup>	Easter Break
June	5 <sup>th</sup>	Last day of school

We look forward to seeing each of you on Monday, August 20<sup>th</sup>, the first day of school for the students.

Sincerely,

Deborah A. Carney / Gina O’Connell  
Aftercare Directors