FRMA families,

Here are some important announcements for our families:

Curriculum Night

Our annual Curriculum Night will be held on **Thursday, September 12th, from 5:30-7:00 p.m.** This is a great opportunity to meet your child's teachers and learn more about our instructional programs here at FRMA. Schedules for the event were sent home with students on Friday, September 6th..

Picture Day

Our fall picture day will take place on Monday, September 16th, in students PE/Music/Band periods.

FRMA Parent Coffee

Our first parent coffee will be held in the LRC on **Thursday, September 19th, from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.** At our first meeting we will introduce office staff including our new counselor, Mr. Thompson, and our new social worker, Ms. Baker.

Spirit Wear Sales

Puma Spirit Wear is on sale until Tuesday, September 17th. Families interested in ordering can visit this website <u>1STPLACE.SALE/33217</u> to view merchandise and place an order. Spiritwear is 30% off from 08/13/24 - 09/17/2024. All proceeds from sales go to student rewards programs at our school.

District 131 Family Fall Festival

Join us to celebrate Hispanic Heritage & Culture at Blackberry Farm, located at: 100 S. Barnes Rd. Aurora, IL. 60506 on Friday, September 13th from 4:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. for live music, food and fun activities for our East Aurora School District Families!

FRMA TRAFFIC PROCEDURES FOR DROP OFF AND PICK UP

Please follow these procedures to ensure a safe and orderly transportation of students to and from school.

BEFORE SCHOOL DROP OFF 7:00-7:15 A.M.

- All students must be dropped off at door #9 on College Avenue in the proximity of the crosswalk. Regardless of which direction cars are coming from, students should exit the vehicle on the curbside only and not be let out in the middle of the street.
- Students should not be dropped along Root Street.
- To help traffic flow, please pull forward as far as possible when dropping off to prevent traffic from backing up onto Root Street. It is safer to wait for spaces to open to move forward than to attempt to have students exit the car on the corner.

BEFORE SCHOOL DROP OFF 7:15-7:30 A.M.

• After 7:15 a.m., families may also use the circle drive in front of the school to drop off students after bus drop off has completed. However, students will need to walk around to door #9 for entry.

STUDENTS ARRIVING AFTER 7:30 A.M.

• Students arriving at school after 7:30 .a.m. Should use door #1 (the main entrance). Parents or guardians dropping students off after the start of school need to accompany the student inside to the main office to sign in.

AFTER SCHOOL PICK UP 2:30-2:40 P.M.

- Please be considerate of the homes neighboring our school if you arrive early to pick up your student by avoiding parking directly in front of driveways.
- Reserved handicapped spots should be left open for vehicles with designated license plates or placards.

AFTER SCHOOL PICK UP 2:40-3:00 P.M.

• Once buses leave, any remaining students waiting for rides will be picked up at door #1 (the main entrance)

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES PICK UP AFTER 3:00 P.M.

• Please meet your student at door #9 on College Avenue.

Thanks for your support of our operations. Have a great weekend,

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