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Dear St. Elizabeth Families,

Monday evening you should have received a call or text from our new emergency system. If you did not, please contact Mrs. DeWitte at edewitte@sainte-school.org so we may check your information.

This Friday, 10/19 will be the last day to register for basketball for the 2018-2019 season. No registration will be accepted after the end of the school day Friday.

This year we have a Robotics Team and they will compete in Bound Brook on 12/2. This is our first time competing. We wish our team the best as they prepare for this event. Mr. Grasso, one of our parents is coaching the team.

Next week there will be parent teacher conferences. On Wednesday, 10/24, there is a 12:15 dismissal with Aftercare until 6pm. Conferences are from 1pm until 4pm and 5:30pm to 8pm. Since we have new families, I just want to remind everyone that pre-k parents go to the pre-k classrooms and K-8 teachers will be set up at tables in the gym. Please contact your teacher if you have any questions.

Trunk or Treat is Friday evening 10/26 and the Walk-A-Thon is 10/31. Information has gone home in regard to both events. Please mark your calendars for the Fall Bash on 11/9. This should be a great evening of fun and opportunity to spend time together as a school community.

Lastly, I am asking that when emailing teachers there be some respect for teachers' personal time. Some of my staff have indicated that they receive correspondence as late as 11pm and early in the morning. This is not appropriate. Please do not send staff members emails after 8pm as they have families too. Morning should not be before 7am. Secondly, I would prefer if parent email is used to

communicate with teachers. The Archdiocese and many schools prohibit interactions via email between students and teachers. Parents should be supervising these interactions as well. Thank you in advance for your cooperation in regard to this situation.

The cooler weather is here and the heat is on in the school. If you feel it is too cold for shorts, please wear the winter uniform. On November 1st all students will be in winter uniform. Coats and fleeces should be worn now that it is colder in the mornings.

Have a great weekend!

Sincerely,

Karen A. Lewis