

# Stewartsville Elementary School

## Afternoon Car Riders

1<sup>st</sup>- 4<sup>th</sup> grade parents and full day kindergarten parents who pick their children up after school are asked to enter the school property from the lower entrance off of Ward Drive. Students are dismissed at 3:30PM from doors 5 & 6, the lower level kindergarten doors. The first vehicle in line should pull up to the stop sign by the playground to reduce traffic on Carpenter Lane. Please be advised, this year we have two full day kindergarten classes, so dismissal may take slightly longer. It is strongly recommended that parents take advantage of the bus transportation provided by Norwin School District.

Parents/guardians should complete a Car Rider form and will receive a car number. This number should be displayed during pick up to help minimize congestion and provide a safe, timely dismissal. When a staff member sees the card/number and matches the number with our list, then your child(ren) will be allowed to walk to your car. Only individuals with dismissal cards will be permitted to pick up your child(ren).

Full day kindergarten parents will be in the same line as all other car riders. If your child is in kindergarten, he/she will automatically receive a dismissal card. Please have your card displayed where the teacher can easily see it.

As students are dismissed and enter vehicles, drivers are asked to pull away from the building, without passing other vehicles as they exit the pick-up lane. Vehicles are to continue around to the stop sign near the playground. At the stop sign, turn left and exit school property using the rear Carpenter Lane exit. Buses will be loading at the same time do not circle back around the building. No cars are permitted to enter the bus lane that runs parallel to Carpenter Lane to exit at the front of the building from 3:30-4:00. It is illegal to pass a school bus while it is loading or unloading.

When making the left to exit, please be alert to the fact that buses could be pulling into the front circle of the school during this time. By observing the stop sign at the corner of the playground before making a left, you avoid potential encounters with arriving buses.

**As always, it is strongly recommended that parents take advantage of the bus transportation provided by Norwin School District.**

