

The Brighter Bulletin

St. Anthony New Brighton Family Newsletter

SEPTEMBER 3, 2025

Hello SANB Families!

Here's a snapshot of today's Brighter Bulletin:

- 2025-26 **School Year Calendar**
- School Picture Days in September
- Childhood Immunizations Clinic: September 9.
- **Opt-Out of Directory Information** by September 30
- **Families READ Act Toolkit**
- **Parent/Guardian Task Force & Committee Interest Form**
- SANB Community Closet Available for All
- Children with Disabilities Parent Support Group
- **Athletics & Activities Schedules**
- First Day of School Photo Highlights

District Updates

School Picture Days in September

It's almost time to show off those big smiles and great hairstyles for picture day!

- **Wilshire Park:** Wednesday, September 24 during school hours.
- **SAMS:** [Retake] Thursday, September 25 from 8:00–10:30 AM.
- **SAVHS:** Tuesday, September 9 during school hours.

Childhood Immunizations Clinic: September 9

Kids can receive FREE immunization shots on Tuesday, September 9 in the SAVHS Commons Area! No appointment or insurance is necessary to receive care!

- **When:** Tuesday, September 9 from 4:00–8:00pm.
- **Where:** St. Anthony Village High School Commons Area.
- **Who:** ALL kids ages 0-18.
- **Reminder:** All students must be up to date on their immunizations that are required by Minnesota law for school attendance or have an exemption on file. If your student is missing immunizations, District Wellness Coordinator Lori Watzl-King will be reaching out to ensure you get the needed paperwork submitted. All students in Kindergarten, 7th, and 12th grades are due for vaccinations!

Forms & Benefits

Opt out of Student Directory Information by September 30

Directory information is basic student details (such as name, grade, and participation in activities) that the district may share publicly unless families choose to opt out by September 30. Opting out includes opting out of yearbook photos.

2025 Reminder: The Minnesota state legislature changed the designation of parent directory information as public to private. This means parent addresses, emails, and phone numbers are now private data and will not be shared by the District.

25-26 Directory Information Form

Educational Benefits: Free School Meals Program

Free School Meals entitles each student to one free breakfast and one free lunch on all in-person academic days. All items outside of the complete meal are considered a la carte purchases. These purchases require funds available in the student's lunch account via Skyward.

Please visit the [Nutrition Services page](#) for prices and guidelines on what items are considered an additional charge.

Please consider completing the [Application for Educational Benefits](#) each year to qualify for non-meal related benefits like bussing and discounts on fees for activities, clubs and tests. Submitted applications also help school districts qualify for education funds and discounts.

Resources, Opportunities, & Highlights

Parent/Guardian Task Force & Committee Interest Form

From time to time, our district creates task forces and committees to dig into important topics. If you're a parent or guardian who likes to roll up your sleeves, share ideas, or just make sure your voice is heard, we'd love to know.

We can't promise free snacks (though it's been known to happen at most gatherings), but we can promise meaningful conversation and a chance to help shape our schools. Interested? [Fill out this quick Google Form](#) to let us know, and we'll be in touch when opportunities arise.

Parent/Guardian Interest Form

SANB Community Closet: Available for All

The SANB Community Closet is open for all at the St. Anthony Faith United Methodist Church! Families can access shelf-stable food items and essential toiletry products at no cost. This closet is open to all who may need a little extra support, and donations are always welcome to help keep the closet stocked and available for our community.

Please contact Tara Halverson at thalverson@isd282.org or 612-408-0140 for more information on what's in stock and how to support.



**Located at Faith United Methodist
Church St. Anthony**
2708 33rd Ave NE, Minneapolis, MN 55418

Are you experiencing food insecurity? Do you or someone you know need help with basic hygiene items (toothpaste, shampoo/conditioner, diapers)?

Please contact Tara Halverson at thalverson@isd282.org or 612-408-0140 for more information on what we currently have in stock and how to get support from our local Community Closet.



Children with Disabilities Parent Support Group

Our district is home to many incredible families, and we want to make sure parents of children with different needs have a place to connect, share resources, and support one another. The Children with Disabilities Parent Support Group welcomes parents and guardians of children from birth through elementary school age.

This parent-led group is a space to build community, exchange ideas, and celebrate the journey together. **Childcare is available during the meetings, registration for childcare is required.** See the flyer below for more information on meeting dates.

Children with Disabilities Parent Support Group

Greater Saint Anthony Village Area

Monthly meetings Fall 2025

Birth through elementary school ages. Childcare is provided up to age 10 (registration needed).

Please join us!

Info

9/22, 10/20, 11/17 & 12/15

5:45 – 7:00PM

Saint Anthony Village Community Center

Child care registration



Athletic & Activities Schedules

Families can find information on games, registration, tickets, and more at letsgohuskies.com! 🏈🏀🏒

First Day of School in Photos

The first day of school was absolutely wonderful with plenty of smiles and excitement! It's going to be an awesome school year 😊😊😊 .





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We seek to engage each child at heart level, shine a light on their brilliance and inspire the capacity to thrive in a world that is not yet fully known.