

"Let Your Light Shine"

## St. Augustine School

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are thrilled to be a host site for the 3AA Women's Volleyball Provincials from Wednesday, November 20, to Saturday, November 23. This prestigious event will welcome teams, supporters, and officials from across the province to our school, creating an exciting atmosphere of competition collaboration and camaraderie.

With 800 staff and students arriving regularly to school and an influx of players and spectators, particularly on two regular school days, we anticipate increased parking and traffic pressures around our school grounds and surrounding streets. To ensure the safety of everyone and to maintain smooth traffic flow, we kindly ask for your cooperation with the following guidelines:

## 1. Parking:

- Please utilize designated parking areas.
- Avoid parking in the newly designated bus parking zone across the street, along the ball diamonds in front of the secondary building.

## 2. Drop-Off and Pick-Up:

- Avoid dropping grade 5 / 6 students off in the high school parking area. This is not a drop off zone and should not be used as one as it endangers drivers and students alike.
- Utilize the drop off zone directly in front of the secondary school.
- Avoid stopping at the junior high end of the drop off zone. This blocks traffic greatly.
- Do not stop in the middle of the road or block intersections when dropping off or picking up your children.

## 3. Traffic Rules:

- Drive slowly and adhere to school zone speed limits.
- Avoid U-turns.
- Be patient, kind and courteous to other drivers, pedestrians, and event attendees.

Your cooperation and understanding is crucial in ensuring a positive experience for our students, staff, and guests while maintaining the safety of our community. We encourage you to allow for extra travel time during the Provincials to account for delays.

Thank you for your understanding and support in making this event a success.

Warm regards,

Kari Davidson

