

Nauset Public Schools

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Dear Parent or Guardian,


I am writing to provide you with some new information regarding the School Choice stop at the Methodist Church located at the intersection of Airline Road and Setucket Road in Brewster. New procedures will be in place for the 2018/2019 new school year when parents drop off and pick up their child/children.

In order to keep everyone safe we would like your assistance in implementing the following new procedures when entering and exiting the Church grounds:

- Students should be dropped off in the back of the church; students should wait on the cement walkway for the bus;
- Students are asked to stay in the back of the church on the cement walkway and not enter the church building as there is no District or Church staff on site to supervise;
- When dropping off your child/children, please drive slowly through the church parking lot; please be aware of students and parents when entering and exiting the parking lot as this is a very busy area in the morning and afternoon;
- If you get to the church early enough please park in the back, there is plenty of parking available;
- Students are dropped off at 3:30 p.m. Please be sure your child/children are picked up by 4:00 p.m.
- Please be reminded, this is private property and we are guests and we need to adhere to these procedures.

I thank you for your patience as everyone acclimates themselves to these new procedures. We will continue to monitor on a regular basis to ensure the safety of our students and parents.

Sincerely,


Giovanna Venditti
Director of Finance and Operations

Nauset Believes ... Every Child Matters

Wednesday August 8, 2018

Hey Nauset School Bus Families!

We welcome you to Northside United Methodist Church and we are excited to be hosting the Nauset School District once again for a Bus Stop! To get ready for the new year, we want to ensure that all students and volunteers are cared for and safe. Here is some new information to help make the Bus Stop an awesome time:

- **The church building will not be open to students in the morning because there is a private meeting every morning from 7:15-8:15 a.m. Please do not have your students walk through the building to open a locked door.**
- Please **park in our back parking** lot in the morning and in the late afternoon. The front parking lot will be for other groups meeting throughout the year.
- We do our best to keep the church open on School days in the *afternoons*, but there will be days during the year where we are unable to keep the doors open during Bus Stop Time in the *afternoon*. On days we are here, our church will be open until **4:00 pm.**
- **Please make sure your students are picked up no later than 4:00pm.**
- During the year when our Youth Director, Evy is not here, we do our best to find other church members to volunteer to keep the doors open in the afternoon. (All volunteers have background checks through the MA CORI system.) However, be aware there will be days the church will be closed during snow, rain or shine.
- If church property is damaged by parents or students, we will ask you to pay for the damages.
- Please **drive slow** in the parking lot.
- We ask that students follow the same rules that they would at school while being here.
- During the winter, we keep up to date with the school system based on snow days and early dismissals. You can always check our website at www.northside-umc.org or our Facebook page for updates on the Bus Stop!
- We love hosting your students and if there is anything that we can be of service to, please let us know. We invite your students to come inside the building in the afternoons to enjoy snacks, do homework, charge their phones, use the bathrooms and more!
- Interested in helping with our Bus Stop? Parents and guardians are welcome to make donations of snacks too!
- If you have any questions you can reach our Youth Director, Evy Sirignano at ***1.508.385.8622*** or at evy@northside-umc.org

We enjoy having your students and pray that everyone will have an awesome and safe school year!

Peace and Grace,

Rev. Rodney Dobbs, Pastor
Evy Sirignano, Director of Church Family Ministries/Youth Director
Robert DeCarlo, Head of the Trustees Committee