

## **SVMS DROP OFF AND PICK UP UPDATE**

Thank you for all of your patience and support you have shared this week as we work out the kinks in our procedure. We are asking that you respect our guidelines and do not park across the street from the school on Green Village Road to avoid the carline. This was reported to us on Friday afternoon at pick up along with Officer Downs noting many vehicles being parked on Kings Rd., Green Avenue, etc. waiting for their children who left from the walker's door. All walkers, all times of the day, will be dismissed to the walker's door to meet their parent/caregiver to walk home. If you choose to have your child/children walk home and not be accompanied by a parent and/or a caregiver, you must sign the walking waiver. This needs to be brought into the homeroom teacher on Monday/Tuesday when they return to school. It has been requested, and we agree, that parents who need to help their children with car seats and safety belts may wait outside their cars to help them.

### **Updated Information**

- Make sure you have your car ID clearly written and visible on the right side of your vehicle. Families with preschool children should be using the Car ID Card with the star
- Car ID Card...please fold them over your visor on the right side so the names can be seen easily from the outside...an elastic band, suction holders, or binder clips can help keep them in place
- Put on your flashers on as soon as your child/children exit your vehicle in the morning and in the afternoon when all children are safely secured in your car. This will allow us to see when we can move the group of cars out of the driveway.
- Have children exit and enter your vehicle only on the right side of the vehicle.
- Pull cars as close to the curb as possible and please turn off your vehicle
- Please do not move your cars out of the carline until you are given a direction
- Parents of children who may need assistance with car seats should wait on the right side of the vehicle to assist.
- All children being driven to school must be dropped off in the carline.
- Walkers are not to walk through the school parking lot at any time
- Please keep to your designated pick up time
- Please note that the first line of cars may be brought into the parking lot a bit earlier than the 8:00 am drop off time and the 2:30 pm pick time to avoid a long build on the streets.
- 8:00 am is when the first group of cars will have temperature checks and unload.
- 2:30 pm is when the first group of children will be called to their cars.

- For the dismissal carline I remind that all vehicles are to be lined up on the right side of Green Avenue facing the center of town, from Shunpike and/or Woodland Rd. Vehicles are to turn left onto Wilmer Street off of Green Avenue.
- At dismissal drive to the spot you are directed to and your child/children will come to you once all cars are in place.