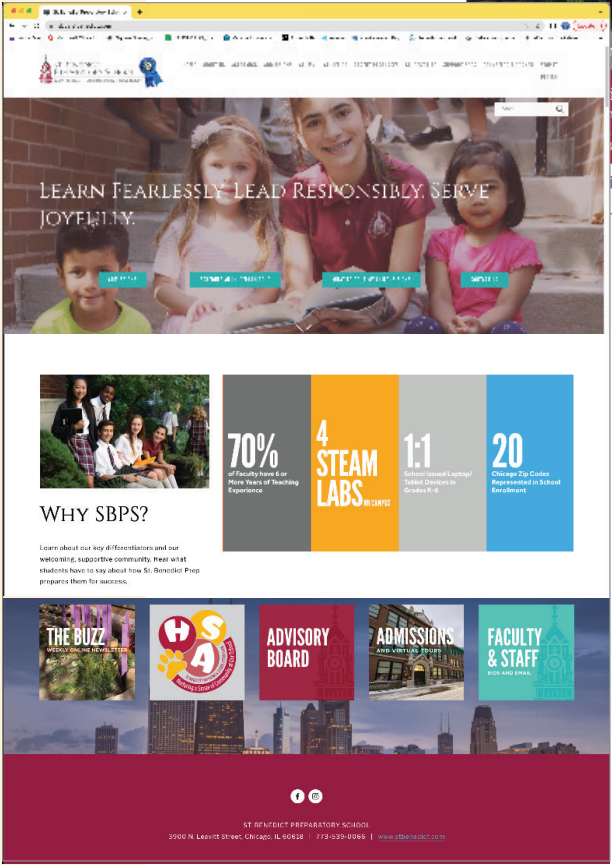


# Support Our School

There are many opportunities to support St. Benedict Parish & Preparatory School through direct appeals and participation in parish and school events. 10% of total revenue from all fundraisers goes to our School Improvement Fund. Here’s what we have planned for the 2023-2024 school year:

| Fundraising Event                        | Event Sponsor                            | Proceeds Benefit  |
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| Baby & Kids Garage Sale<br>September     | Green Garage Sale Committee              | Teacher’s Wish List items,including STEM building sets, playground equipment, classroom furniture and adaptive technology.  |
| HSA Fun Run<br>September                 | Home & School Association                | The Home & School Association (HSA) operating budget to fund class parties, teacher appreciation, parent/child playdates, parent’s night out, family movie nights, middle school dances and parent education initiatives. |
| Oktoberfest<br>Fall                      | St. Benedict Parish & Preparatory School | Parish operating budget   |
| Christmas Wreath & Greenery Sale<br>Fall | St. Benedict Prep 8th Grade              | To assist 8th grade families cover the cost of the Washington, DC Agora trip with the goal for all 8th grade students to attend.  |
| Annual School Fund<br>November           | SBPS Advisory Board                      | To help bridge the gap between the cost of tuition vs. the actual cost of a SBPS education.   |
| Annual Gala<br>April                     | St. Benedict Preparatory School          | School operating budget   |

# Stay Informed



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**The Block/The Buzz**  
This weekly e-newsletter contains up-to-date parish and school information, upcoming events, and weekly calendars. The Buzz section is specific to the school and contains sections for each of the grade levels.

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**stbenedict.com**  
The parish and school website contains information for parishioners, parents, students, and prospective families.

In addition to these two forms of communication, grade specific e-blasts go out during the week with reminders and important information that families need to know.

