

Falcon News



English Catholic Central School



Happy New Year!



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E.C.C.S. staff and students demonstrate courage!

n behalf of the staff at E.C.C.S., I would like to take this opportunity to wish each and everyone a very Happy New Year! We look forward to your continued support in 2012 as we work together to create a vibrant, faith-filled learning community!

While January brings the beginning of the New Year, many of us also regard it as the true beginning of the long, hard winter. In this sense, it is fitting that the Northeastern Catholic District School Board celebrates the virtue of **Fortitude or Courage** in January. The quote for this month is from 1 Chronicles 16:11, "Seek the Lord and his strength; seek His presence continually". This month at English Catholic Central School, we will demonstrate our courage to live our faith by standing up to bullying and by working hard to make the right choice - even when it is not the most popular choice!

Listed below are a number of informational items. Please see the reverse side of this newsletter to view all of the calendar details!

Our next **Parent Council meeting** will take place on Monday, January 16th at 6:30 p.m. in the Family Studies room.

New Year's Mass with Father John will take place on Thursday, January 12th at 1:00 p.m. in the gym. All are welcome!

JK Registration for September 2012 will take place on Monday, January 16th from 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. If you, or someone you

know, has a child born in the year **2008** and would like further details, please contact the school at 647-4301.

Registration is also available online at <u>www.ncdsb.on.ca</u>



Family Literacy Day 2012 takes place on Friday, January 27th.

Please see the attached Journey to Learning Passport for some fun family literacy activities and contests!

You can find more information at <u>www.abclifeliteracy.ca</u>



Finally, congratulations to Kelly O'Reilly, winner of the Grade 8 Computer Draw for an HP ProBook lap top, and Playsport camera. Many thanks to all who purchased tickets in support of our grade eight students. A special thank you also to Mikrolink Computers for their very generous donation!