St. Pat's Pulse

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Upcoming

St. Patrick School Events:

<u>Jan. 13</u>

Hockey Jersey Day

<u>Jan. 16</u>

Junior Kindergarten registration 9:00-4:00

<u>Jan. 17</u>

School Mass 9:00

Everyone welcome

Jan.26

School Council

6 p.m.

<u>Feb. 3</u>

Professional

Activity Day (no school)

Feb. 2

In school training for Curling

gr. 5/6/7/8.

Feb. 7 &9

Gr. 7/8 Curling a.m.

Feb.8 & 10

Gr. 5/6 Curling p.m.



From the Principal's Desk

Hot Lunch Program

Our hot lunch program has been in existence for about 19 years. We provide reasonably priced healthy hot lunches to students on a daily basis. As you may have noticed our kitchen has been forced to only be open 4 days a week.

We have been mandated by the Ministry of Education to change the food that we serve to reflect healthy options. As a result our costs are higher and we are trying desperately to stay afloat. However, many students are not ordering from our kitchen and this has forced us to make some changes. Starting next week, hot lunches will be available for 3 days a week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. You will also notice that there are some items that will not be available. For the time being there will be no credit, please send exact change and pay for each order. These changes are necessary to keep the hot lunch viable. Please try and support our hot lunch program.

Junior Kindergarten Registration

On Monday January 16, we will have our Junior Kindergarten registration. If your child was born in 2008, we invite you to register him/her in our Junior Kindergarten for September 2012. If you know of anyone who has a child turning 4 this year, please invite them to register with you. Please bring your child's birth and baptismal certificates, immunization card and heath card. We look forward to meeting you on the 16th!

A Smile for Haiti

We are still collecting toothbrushes, toothpaste and dental floss for children in Haiti. Our Parish Priest, Father Sauve, will be traveling to Haiti in March and will be bringing these items to the children in the orphanage. Please help us bring a smile to a child in Haiti. Your donations are very much appreciated.

Sports at St. Patrick

I would like to thank Mrs. Casonato and Mr. Lessard for a great volleyball season with the grade 7 and 8 students.

Basketball tryouts are being held this week for the grade 7 and 8 girls and boys teams. Mr. Casonato and Mrs. Piche are the coaches for these teams. Good Luck to all those who tryout.