

News from the Knights

Congratulations LINK Crew!

The O’Gorman High LINK Crew has been awarded the Daryl L. Cook Peer Helping Award. This award will be presented at the OSCA Award Ceremony and Banquet. Mr. Basso and 2 students, Ian Santos and Jessica Blakemore will be heading down to Toronto on November 4th to accept this award.

Congratulations Mr. Basso and all of the LINK Crew students and advisors. You truly are making a difference!

Tell Them For Me Survey

In our continuing effort to increase school effectiveness, we will be implementing an online school survey for parents. This survey will be active for you to complete at the Parent/Teacher Conferences on November 22nd.

This survey will take approximately 30 minutes to complete. The parent survey measures include such topics as two-way communication, parent support of learning at home, school support of learning and social/emotional development, and parent support of learning at school.

The survey will close on December 30th.

Let us be the school with the highest parental survey results.

Monthly Virtue: Prudence

Prudence, the ability to make good decisions or choices is one of the four cardinal virtues. A prudent person takes the time to think of the consequences of their actions. They will stop and ask themselves what is the right and most loving thing to do. A prudent person would pray and think things through, then act in truth and love. In this way, practicing prudence brings us closer to God and our neighbours.

All of us were created to find happiness by living in God’s love. This love must be guided with the wisdom of our faith. Prudence is about guiding one another as sons and daughters of God and encouraging each other to live the Gospel of Jesus with confidence.

Principles of Prudence

Prudence has three steps:

- Seeking the proper and most loving things to do;
- Judging between actions to find the best choice;
- Confidently acting on the most righteous choice.

Take Our Kids To Work

Wednesday, November 7th is Take Our Kids To Work day. Parents/Guardians will be bringing their child to work with them all day.

Take Our Kids To High School

The Staff of O’Gorman High will be hosting the Grade 8 students from O’Gorman Intermediate and St. Annes School. The day will be dedicated to experience what high school life is all about in and out of the classroom.

BULLYING AWARENESS WEEK

Bullying Awareness Week is an opportunity for people at the grassroots level in communities around the world to get involved in this issue, not by waiting for “Someone else” to do something, but rather for us to work together on preventing bullying in our communities through education and awareness.

Activities for the week include;

Fundraising

O’Gorman’s Athletic Department will be selling the Timmins 2013 Calendar. Cost of the calendars, is \$10.00. Thank you for your support!

Mark Your Calendar!

November 7th

Take Our Kids To Work—All Grade 9 students will follow their parent at work.

November 11th

Remembrance Day

November 22nd

Parent/Teacher Conferences from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm and 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm in the Anne MacDonald Gym.

November 30th

Last day for OPK Regal Fundraiser and O’Gorman’s Sausage fundraiser. All funds goes to supporting our students and bursaries.