



# Holy Family School Newsletter

Important Information & Upcoming Events

June 2019

## MASSES & CELEBRATIONS

- June 2 Sunday Mass  
9:00 am at Holy Trinity Church
- June 9 Sunday Mass  
9:00 am at Holy Trinity Church
- June 12 End of Year Mass  
9:30 am at Holy Trinity Church
- June 16 Sunday Mass  
9:00 am at Holy Trinity Church
- June 23 Sunday Mass  
9:00 am at Holy Trinity Church
- June 25 Grade 8 Graduation  
7:00 pm at Holy Trinity Church

PA Day June 10th

## SCHOOL COUNCIL

Thank you to our School Council Members for their dedication and hard work throughout this school year. The next meeting of Council will be held in September (date to be determined), at which point in time elections will be held if necessary.



Father's Day  
June 16<sup>th</sup>

## INFLATABLES & FAMILY PICNIC

Students in JK to Grade 8 will enjoy a day of inflatable fun on Thursday, June 20<sup>th</sup>. In addition, we will host a Family Picnic during the lunch hour, where parents are welcome to bring a packed lunch, picnic blanket, etc. and enjoy a picnic with their child(ren). Popsicles and popcorn will be available to students throughout the day. A fun way to end the school year!



## From the Principal's Desk

*Reflecting on this past year, I think it is important to recognize that a successful school community is one that works together as a team to help our students achieve to the best of their abilities.*

*I would like to take this opportunity to thank our wonderful custodial staff, Mrs. Boisvenue and Mrs. Yantha, for ensuring that the school looked its best for our staff, students, and parents to enjoy throughout the year. They have done a fabulous job this school year!*

*I would like to thank Mrs. Church for all of the hard work she did as our school secretary. Her awesome organizational skills kept HFS in tip top shape, and her friendly smile was the first to greet you when you walked into our school.*

*I would like to thank our educational assistants, Mrs. Sherrard, Ms. Malette, and Mrs. Watson for caring so much about children and working with our teachers to give our students the best possible education.*

*I would like to thank the teaching staff of Holy Family School. Their ongoing commitment to student achievement and well-being created learning environments where student confidence flourished as a result of the development of growth mindsets.*

*I would like to thank Mrs. Thibodeau for her ongoing efforts to build stronger relationships between Holy Trinity Parish and Holy Family School. Without our faith-filled partners, our school would not be the vibrant faith community that it is.*

*I would also like to thank you, the parents and guardians of HFS, for your continued support this school year. Whether you were a part of our school council, volunteered your time for school activities, or simply sat down and read with your child, we thank you! Your involvement in our school community was the key to our children's success: and this year has been a successful year!*

*Have a safe and blessed Summer!*

*Cheryl Ricco*

## GRADE 8 GRADUATION

This year's Grade 8 Graduation will be held on Tuesday, June 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. at Holy Trinity Church. The evening will begin with a Liturgy service, followed by the Graduation Ceremony. Family and friends are welcome to join us on this very special occasion.



## Congratulations Graduates!

### AWARDS ASSEMBLY

Our School Awards Assembly will be held Monday, June 24<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 a.m. for Grades 1-7 and at 1:00 p.m. for the Kindergarten students, in the school gymnasium. Please join us on this special occasion.

### CLAP OUT

A "clap-out" will be held for our Grade 8 graduating students on the last day of school, June 27<sup>th</sup> at 3:15 p.m. You are welcome to join us for this special farewell.

### LOST & FOUND

We still have a number of lost (and not yet found) items here at the school. If your son/daughter is missing something, please remind him/her to check the bin. Or if you are in the school, please feel free to check as well.

### REPTILE ADVENTURE CAMP



The Reptile Adventure Camp will be visiting our school on Monday, June 17<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. The show will feature arachnids, amphibians, turtles, tortoises, snakes, lizards and crocodilians! They will provide some basic information throughout the show on each animal and ensure that every child has a wild experience. Parents are welcome to join us for this unique experience.

**First day of school will  
be Wednesday,  
September 4, 2019**



## Funny Hat & Sunglasses Day - June 14<sup>th</sup>

### BIKE RODEO

The Grade 5-6 students will be participating in a Bike Rodeo on Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. A bicycle rodeo is a unique, hands-on, educational event in which participants learn about cycling techniques, obeying traffic signals, and the laws of road use. It is a great way for kids to learn how to ride safely and improve their cycling skills.

## Scholastic Book Orders due June 11<sup>th</sup>

### PRAYER AT THE END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR

*At the end of this school year we give thanks to God:  
For all the teaching and learning that has taken place in  
our school, both in and out of the classroom,  
For the talents and gifts that have been shared  
and the challenges that have been faced;  
For the burdens that have been lifted and the hurts that  
have been healed;  
For the respect and care that has been given.  
We give thanks for the friendships that have just begun  
and for those that have grown;  
For the faith that has been lived in our daily struggles,  
For the hope that has lifted our hearts on the dark days  
and for the love that has kept us going.  
We give thanks for the community that we are,  
And we ask you Lord –  
Bless our students: may your Spirit inspire them  
with confidence and calmness.  
Bless our families as we take our holidays,  
may our time together leave us with memories to cherish.  
Pour out your love on us that we may return renewed  
and refreshed to continue our journey together.  
We make this prayer through Christ our Lord.  
Amen*

*Thank you for a great year!  
Have a safe and happy  
summer!*

**TEMPERANCE (SELF CONTROL)** He who controls others may be powerful, but he who has mastered himself is mightier still.

Lao Tzu