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St. Edward

Proud member of the Denis Morris and Blessed Trinity Family of Schools

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On behalf of our entire St. Edward family, we thank you the parents for the gift of your children. We continue to see our Kings shine in so many ways, growing academically, socially and spiritually. We continue to see compassion towards one another, friendships made and challenges met. Every day is not perfect but it is from those imperfect days that we learn to grow and become better. We would like to thank our amazing St. Edward Family for making our school the special place that it is. Your kind words, your continued support and your commitment to our school is so appreciated. May God bless our school community and all that support it.

Thanks for a great year.

Book Fair Success

Thanks to all the families who supported our book fair this year. We sold an amazing \$3959 which give our school library a credit of \$1472 which can now be spent on books to fill our library with the latest titles and author's our students love. Your generosity and support are greatly appreciated and it goes a long way in keeping our library up to date.



Year End Fun Fair

Our year end Fun Fair will be taking place on Wednesday June 18th from 4:30-6:30. This year we have BBQ hamburger and hotdogs on school cash online to pre-order as well as buying that night. We will have Cool Lick Jim's Ice Cream Truck and Avella's Woodfired Pizza. We have some games for the students to play as well as Halaloo coming to make some balloon creations. We look forward to a great night of celebrating a fantastic year.

See you there.

~~~ Mission Statement ~~~

"The Niagara Catholic District School Board, through the charisms of faith, social justice, support and leadership, nurtures an enriching Catholic learning community for all to reach their full potential and become living witnesses of Christ"

#### Yearbook

Our yearbook is complete and will be arriving in the early fall. This year we did not order any additional copies so families that wish to purchase must do so before June 19th. Once the orders are closed we will be sending in those numbers for printed copies. Don't miss out on a great keepsake that will be the talk of the dinner table when our Kings are raising their own families and they share their stories of the time they went to St. Edward.



#### Report Cards

Once again report cards will be available to families via the portal beginning on Monday June 23rd. The last day for students will be Friday June 27th.



### **Happy Fathers Day**

To all the dads we wish you a great father's day

Happy Father's Day dad thank you for all you've done. If there was an award for the best father ever, I'm sure you would have won. You've been my support through good time and bad, I feel lucky indeed to have you as my dad.

#### **Kindergarten Registration**

Registration continues to be open for students that will be starting school in

September. Stop by the school or call to get information on what you need to do to join our amazing

St. Edward family. (905) 562-5531.



#### Fight the Bite!

Ticks, mosquitos and rabid animals have no boundaries and can be a risk to you and your family when

walking to and from school or work, waiting at the bus stop, family trips, and while playing in the yard at home or at the park.

Protect yourself and your family from West Nile Virus:

- · Reduce standing water where mosquitoes breed
- · Cover up, wear long sleeved shirts, long pants, hats socks and shoes
  - · Repair any damaged window screens
- · Use insect repellants containing DEET or Icardin (follow manufacturer's instructions)

Reduce the risk of Lyme disease:

- · Wear light coloured clothing to help spot ticks
- · Use insect repellants containing DEET or Icardin (follow manufacturer's instructions)
- · Check yourself, your children and pets for ticks after being outdoors
  - · Cut your grass and dispose of leaf litter where ticks can live

Prevent rabies:

- $\cdot \, Vaccinate \, your \, pets \,$
- · Do not feed or approach any wild, stray or strange animals
  - · Do not trap, transport, keep or pet any wild animals
  - · Do not try and nurse sick animals back to health

Presently, all of these diseases exist in Niagara. For more information, contact Niagara Region

Public Health. 905-688-8248 ext. 7590 or 1-888-505-

## **Library and Text Books**

As we close off the school year, please have a look for any text books or library books that need to be sent back to school. June is the month we inventory all of our library and classroom resources.

# North or 60 Project

In our May newsletter we looked at a June social justice initiative called the North of 60 project where as a school community we will be collecting Campbell's Vegetable Soup cans that we will then hand over to St. Vincent De Paul Society who will be filling a 20 foot sea container with a variety of non perishable foods that have been assigned to each school. This sea container is then shipped to Naujaat Nanuvut otherwise known as Repulse Bay. These residents live off the land with fishing and hunting being a large part of their source of food. In this area 40 families are in need of our help and each year the Niagara Catholic District School Board takes action by inviting schools to be part of this great cause. We ask that students bring in what they can but only Campbell's Vegetable soup. Other schools have other specific items they are collecting so these brothers and sisters of ours in Repulse Bay can have a variety of items to help them.

Thanks for your generosity.



## **Graduation**

Our grade 8 graduation will take place on Friday June 20th-beginning at 5:30pm at Denis Morris Catholic High School. Students will then have a dinner and some fun at Parkway Suites and Bowling Alley beginning at 7:30. See you there.



# Kindergarten Celebration of Learning

On Tuesday June 17th we will have our kindergarten celebration of learning. Please join us as we celebrate the accomplishments of our kindergarten class as some venture next year into grade one. Our celebration will begin at 1:00pm in our kindergarten room.