

# HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

#### Pancake Luncheon

Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup> is Shrove Tuesday. In recognition, Holy Family School will be holding a Pancake Luncheon at 11:45 a.m. that day for the students. The luncheon will be free of charge. If your child does not want to have pancakes, please send a lunch to school as usual for him/her. Children who are participating in the luncheon will not require a lunch that day, however they will still need their morning and afternoon snacks. If you have any questions, please contact the school. *Thank you to Mrs. Sherrard for organizing this event for us!* 

## Ash Wednesday Mass

An Ash Wednesday Mass will be held Wednesday, February 13<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 9:30 a.m., at Holy Trinity Parish. As always, you are welcome to join us for this celebration.

#### Junior Kindergarten Registration

Holy Family School is continuing to hold Junior Kindergarten Registration for children, born in 2009, who will be starting school in September 2013. If you know of any families with children who will be starting school for the first time, please pass the word along. It is important for us to have our enrolment numbers for September as soon as possible so that we can begin planning for the new school year.

### **Public Speaking**

Holy Family School's Public Speaking Competition will be held on Friday, February 15<sup>th</sup> beginning at 9:15 a.m. in the school library. We will begin with the Primary Story Telling Division, then Junior, and finally the Intermediate Division. You are welcome to come and listen to the students speak. The top three finishers in each of the categories will qualify to go on and compete at the Legion Branch Competition on Sunday, February 17<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 p.m. at the Englehart Legion. The top finisher in each of the categories from the Branch Competition will then qualify to speak at the Zone Public Speaking Competition on Saturday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> at the Haileybury Legion. *Best of luck to all of the speakers!* 

# **Report Cards**

Report Cards will be going home on Wednesday, February 20<sup>th</sup>. Please sign the last page of your child's report card and return it to his/her classroom teacher. Even though we are not holding formal parent/teacher meetings this term, if at any time you would like to speak with your child's teacher, please contact the school.

Yours truly,		
Matt Turner		
Principal		