



# HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents & Guardians,

November 1, 2013

This letter is intended to inform you of various information and events at the school.

### **Toques:**

Your Catholic School Council has purchased **HOLY FAMILY** toques just in time for winter!! Toques are available for sale at the office for \$7 each. This is less than the actual cost of the toques, so thank you to our Council for providing these toques at such a discount price!

### **Poinsettias for Seniors:**

At this time of year, our school would like to bring a little bit of joy to our seniors residing in long term institutions by providing them with a lovely poinsettia plant and a card signed by all our students. Your donation of 25 cents or more will help us to purchase a plant from the Canadian Red Cross. Plants will be delivered to seniors on Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> by volunteers from the Red Cross, the OPP and Emergency Management Services. All proceeds from these plants go towards helping victims of disaster such as a house fire, flood or evacuation. Deadline to bring in the 25 cents or more is noon, November 25<sup>th</sup>. There is a donation jar in the office.

### **Money Tree:**

Our Catholic School Council will once again be selling tickets on a \$200 Money Tree. Tickets cost \$1 each or 6 for \$5 and can be purchased from Council Members or from the school office. Proceeds raised will go toward School Yard Improvement. The draw for the Money Tree will be held the evening of our Christmas Concert, which is Tuesday, December 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.

### **URGENT REQUEST FOR SOAP:**

Through the CWL at Holy Trinity Parish, a request has been sent out for bars of soap. Bars of soap of all kinds would be greatly appreciated. However, if you are purchasing soap to donate, Jergens is a preferred brand as it does not break down as easily. There is a basket at the back of Holy Trinity Parish, as well as at the school office to collect your donations. These bars of soap will be sent to various Third World nations. Collection will continue at the school up until December 20<sup>th</sup>.

### **Scholastic Book Orders:**

Orders due November 5<sup>th</sup>.

### **Remembrance Day:**

Grade 3-8 students will attend the local ceremony at the Cenotaph leaving the school at 10:25 am, **RAIN, SNOW or SHINE**. Please ensure children are dressed appropriately.

Please contact me at the school if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Matt Turner

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***“YOU ARE THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD!”***