

LITTLE SCHOOL WITH THE BRIGHT FUTURE

O'GORMAN INTERMEDIATE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

February, 2013



Toronto Trip

Toronto trip payments are due this month. Just a reminder that the full amount is due at the end of April.



Undeclared Season, Congratulations!

Lots Going on in February

February is a month full of exciting activities for everyone. Be sure to refer to the calendar early and often. Here are some of the highlights in the weeks to come:

O'Gorman High School Course Selection

It's that time of year once again where our grade 8 students need to start planning for high school next year. There are presentations and information sessions planned for both parents and students throughout February. Please refer to the calendar for dates and times.

Virtue of the Month

Temperance (Self-Control) will be our virtue of the month. It is one of the four cardinal virtues and it is something that we have to work at to develop. We work on it so it can become a part of our character. It helps us to behave in moderation and to know when we have had enough of something.

Raffle

Our next school fundraising event will begin this week. Students will have the opportunity to sell tickets for a raffle which will be drawn in May. Each ticket will be sold for \$2 with a profit of \$0.80 going to the students' account. Prizes include a wood stove hot tube, a 50 inch plasma TV, and 10 pass package from the Hollinger Golf course. A consent letter will be sent home on Monday with more information.

Valentines Day

We will be celebrating Valentines day on Thursday, February 14th. Student council will be selling candy grams from February 4th to the 12th for \$0.25 a piece.

Turn Around Day

February 4th is the mid point of the year and time for students to switch classes. This means that students who had industrial arts (shop) will now take family studies and vice versa. This also means the end of history and the beginning of geography classes. If you have any questions about this process please feel free to contact your child's teacher at your earliest convenience.

Reminders

- Grade 7 ski day starts on February 8th
- Parent Information Night at O'Gorman High School on Feb 21st
- Report Cards Go Home on February 20nd
- Ash Wednesday Liturgy on February 13th
- Ticket Sales for OICS Raffle starts February 4th