



ECCS NEWSLETTER June 2016

From the Principal's Desk

June is one of the busier months of the school year, with many trips and special events throughout... It is often over before we know it....

To our grade 8 parents & guardians I want to say that I have been privileged to have known your children for only a short time, and I wish them all the best in their future endeavors at Secondary School and beyond! A tradition we will be starting this year will be our first grade 8 clap out on the last day of school; Friday June 24th starting at about 3:10 pm. The whole school will line the halls and clap out the grade 8's as they leave the school as ECCS students for the last time. Parents and Guardians are of course invited to attend.

I would like to personally thank all of you for the warm welcome and support you have shown to me in my first year at ECCS! Every day I come to this school thankful to be part of this dynamic and caring community. We have a special school, the foundation of which is you, our parental and community base, as well as our dedicated and committed staff. **THANK YOU** for everything you do towards making our school the best it can be!

Please check our calendar as well as the OMPH insert with this newsletter for important dates and events occurring throughout June.

Also, just a reminder to anyone with an email address that you are welcome to join my email list, where you will receive office correspondence directly to your inbox! **Also a reminder of our Facebook group "English Catholic Central School"**.

Lastly, we will welcome some students to the school next year who are highly allergic to nuts and who have life-threatening reactions to nuts and nut products. This will mean that ECCS will become completely **NUT AWARE** for all staff and students in the 2016-2017 school year. More information will be coming home about this before the end of the school year.

If you are a Catholic who has been away from your faith for a time and are interested in returning to the church, please consider attending Mass this weekend. Mass time at Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish is Sunday at 9:00 am and 11:00 am. Also, if you are not a Catholic, but would like information on becoming one, please contact the school or Parish at 647-5035. Please know that you are always welcome at the Lord's Table!!

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Masses & Celebrations

Masses at Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish are Sundays at 9:00 am and 11:00 am. **ALL** are welcome to attend.

Please see the OMPH insert accompanying this Newsletter for more details about events at the Parish.

Grade 8 Graduation



This year's Grade 8 Graduation will be held on Wednesday, June 22nd at 7:00 p.m. at OMPH Parish. Family and friends are welcome to join us on this very special occasion.

Congratulations Graduates!

Awards Assembly

Our Grade 8 Awards Assembly will be held Tuesday, June 21st at 1:00 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

First day of school will be Tuesday September 6th, 2016

Junior Kindergarten students will start school on a staggered entry beginning Wednesday, September 7th, 2016.



Catholic School Council

Our meeting Agendas and Minutes are now on the on the school website, as well as on the Catholic School Council bulletin board which is now up in the front lobby of the school. Parents/Guardians are always welcome to attend our meetings. We have held our final meeting and are looking forward to next year. Thank you for your support of our activities and fundraisers!!

We would like to encourage all parents & guardians to consider joining our Catholic School Council next year.

It is a great opportunity to work together towards making our school the best it can be!

Biker's BBQ!!!

Our annual BBQ in support of the Biker's Reunion will be held on Tuesday June 21st at 11:45 a.m. All proceeds from the BBQ will go directly to the Biker's Reunion. Order forms for this event will come home in mid-June. Hopefully the weather will be nice and we can enjoy our lunch outside! Thank you for your support of this event!!

Casual Friday

All proceeds from this staff fundraiser will go towards the Biker's Reunion.



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