

St. Jerome School

News bulletin June 2016

EQAO TESTING

EQAO testing for Grade 3 students is ongoing through June 2nd. Results will be available in the fall... Keep up the good work Gr. 3's!

Snack Program Ends...

The last day of snack program is Friday, June 17th. We are asking that parents please send two healthy snacks to school for the remainder of the school year. Thank you so much Snack Volunteers! Thank you to those parents who have made generous contributions throughout this school year.

AWARDS AND CELEBRATIONS

If your child is winning a special award at our award ceremony, you will be contacted by telephone by their teacher. We will be having our annual Awards Ceremony on Friday, June 24th at 9:00 a.m. in the gymnasium. Students from JK to Grade 3 will be receiving their awards. Please join us! The *Senior Kindergarten Celebration* will take place on Monday, June 20th beginning at 1:00 p.m. in the gymnasium. All Senior Kindergarten student families are welcome. Our Grade 3 students will be having a celebration and breakfast with their parents on Wednesday, June 22nd beginning at 9:30 a.m.

POLAR BEAR HABITAT

For our end of year activity, our school will be going to the Polar Bear Habitat in Cochrane. Busses will depart St. Jerome at 9:00 a.m. and students will return to school for 5:00 p.m. Parents will need to pick-up their children from school.

MASS

On June 21st, we will be celebrating our *end of year Mass*. The Mass will take place at 9:45 a.m. at the Holy Name of Jesus Parish. Please join us!

END OF YEAR REPORT CARDS

Children will receive their final reports on Wednesday, June 22nd.

SUMMER BASKET DRAW

Tickets are currently on sale for a summer basket. Tickets can be purchased for \$1.00. The draw will be held at our awards ceremony June 24th.

2016-17 SCHOOL CALENDAR

The calendar for the 2016 – 2017 school year calendar is available on the board website at www.ncdsb.on.ca. School begins on Tuesday, September 6th after the Labor Day Holiday.

MILK, Subway and Pizza

Our milk program ends on Friday, June 17th. This day will also be our last pizza day for the school year. Our last Subway day will be on Wednesday, June 15th. Thank you for your participation in these fundraising activities.

Jump Rope for Heart

Jump Rope for Heart takes place on Friday, June 17th. Thank you for your participation.

Last Day of School...

Friday, June 24th is the official *last day of school*. Thank you for your support during the past year and we look forward to seeing most of you next fall. Good luck to the students who are leaving for Sacred Heart and /or moving. We will miss you! Have a safe and happy summer!

CODE OF CONDUCT - Reminder

Appropriate Dress Policy
Students are expected to dress neatly and appropriately to promote a positive Catholic learning environment. The students must adhere to the following guidelines:

- clothes should be reasonably neat, clean and without tears or holes
- patches, symbols or sayings on clothing shall not be offensive to anyone who might read it
- dress appropriately for age and grade level in a manner that demonstrates modesty, dignity and is deemed appropriate for a Catholic school (the midriff – navel – must be covered).
 - All shoulder straps must be at least three (3) fingers wide.
- proper indoor and outdoor footwear appropriate for the conditions and environment must be worn at all times.

Students who fail to comply with the School appropriate dress regulations will be subject to the consequences determined by the Principal for unacceptable behaviour outlined in this policy and will be required to meet the dress code regulations prior to returning to class.

Please also remember that open toed sandals or crocs are not permitted on the playground.