St. Pat's Pulse

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Upcoming St. Patrick
School Events:

April 13

Subway orders & money due

April 14

Roundtable meetings

April 15

-School Mass @ 9:00

-Swim meet practice 10:30-11:30

-Subway day

April 20

-Grilled cheese orders & money due

April 22

-Grilled cheese day

-Gr. 7/8 drama workshop to SRF

May 19

Annual Talent show @ 6pm

EQAO—Gr. 3 & 6 students: May 25—June 6

June. 9

Tough Kidder events

Intramurals at lunch:

Gr. 7/8 Mon & Wed Gr. 4/5/6 Tues & Thurs.

"Hope dances in the puddles 'til the sun comes out again"





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From the Principal's Desk

Staffing changes at St. Pat's

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs. Louise Lachance our part time educational assistant and our part time child and youth worker for all your service to our school. Mrs. Lachance's final day was on April 8th, 2016. We would also like to wish our part time custodian Joanne Alary Millette good luck. Her final day is on April 13th. Thanks for making our school sparkle! Mrs. Oldaker broke her arm and will be away for the next few weeks. We would like to welcome Mrs. Danielle Beaulieu who will be teaching her class.

Grilled Cheese Day

Thank you to all students who purchased a grilled cheese on April 8th. We

have our next grilled cheese day on April 22nd (orders are due on or before April 20th). Special thank you to staff who purchased and donated nearly all of the items in order to keep our profits high.

Green Math Calendar

Each day during the month of April, students are encouraged to work with parents to complete the nightly math problem. The responses can be written on the page, written in school agendas or on another piece of paper. The class with the best participation will win a pizza party lunch during education week (1st week of May)

Catholic Education Week

We have been busy plan-

ning our annual Education Week Activities. We are just putting the finishing touches on our plans, but we wanted you to save the date for the following items: Tuesday May 3—Be Well Symposium—afternoon (everyone welcome) Thursday May 5—Math & Munchies night (4:30-6:00). We hope to have at least 1 adult attend school with each child. Please clear your calendar and join us for this fun and exciting event. Formal RSVP will come in next week's green folder. Stay tuned for more events/activities.

Annual Talent Show

Mark your calendar—



Thursday May 19th @ 6pm. This event always sells out. More details to fol-

Catholic Education Week

CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK—May 1-6th, 2016. Pope Francis has declared 2016 a "Holy Year of Mercy" as a way for the Catholic church to "make more evident, its mission to be a witness of mercy". As well, Pope Francis opened the Vatican's Holy Door on December 8th. The Holy Door is opened to evoke the concept of forgiveness which is the main focus of a Holy Year. The theme God's mercy is illustrated in fifteen of the sixteen bronze panels that make up the Vatican Door. There are seven such Holy Doors in the world, including one in Quebec City. *Catholic Education Week 2016 combines both the theme of mercy and the act of opening doors of reconciliation, mercy and forgiveness to all around us.*