

TIGER NEWS

St. Theresa School



December 2016

Grade 8 Parent Information Night at St. Joseph-Scollard Hall

There will be a Grade 8 parent information evening at St. Joseph– Scollard Hall on Tuesday, December 6 at 6:00 p.m. (alternate date is Thursday, December 8) . The evening will include a tour of the school, a social and an opportunity to ask questions. The staff and students of St. Joseph-Scollard Hall look forward to meeting with you.

Christmas Concert

Our students and staff are preparing for this Year's Christmas Concert which will take place at **St. Joseph Scollard Hall**, in their auditorium, on **December 20th from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.** (Due to our growing numbers, we exceed our capacity to assemble in the gym. This venue will provide more space and comfort for our parents and guardians).



Advent Celebrations and Christmas Mass



Our Advent Celebrations will take place on Monday, December 5th and 12th at 9:15 a.m. Our Christmas Mass will take place on December 19th at 9:15 a.m. celebrated by Father Trevor.

Dismissal for the Christmas Break

Students will be dismissed at the regular time (3:00 p.m.) on Friday, December 23. School will resume at the regular time (8:40 a.m.) on Monday, January 9th, 2017.

21st Century Learner Tech. Night

Our Parent Engagement Committee has planned an exciting evening to offer support, understanding and knowledge to our Parents/Guardians on how technology engages, motivates and facilitates your child's learning. There will be refreshments, snacks and great presentations planned for you. It is not too late to sign-up. Please contact the school for more details. This wonderful evening takes place on Thursday, December 1, 2016 from 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Visitor Sign-In

*To ensure the safety and security of our students, we ask all visitors to adhere to the sign-in protocol. Please stop by the office upon arrival and sign yourself into our **Visitor Registry Book**, don't forget to sign out on your departure.*

Save the Dates

- Christmas Concert - Dec. 20
- Advent Mass - Dec. 19
- Grade 8 Information Night - Dec. 6
- Tech Night - Dec. 1
- Movie Day - Dec. 22 or 23



OH! WHAT FUN!

Winter Electives

Winter electives will be offered to our students beginning in February 2017 for our Junior classes. More details about the electives will be sent home in January.

Haleyfest

Haleyfest is an annual event organized to raise money for the North Bay and area Santa Fund. Choirs from schools in the area will be performing to a sold out audience, so be sure to buy your tickets early! Hayleyfest will be held on **December 7th, 2016** beginning at **7:00 p.m.** at the Capitol Centre. More information for choir members will be sent home in a letter.

Inclement Weather



If the buses have been cancelled due to inclement weather and you bring your child to school, please ensure that there is a teacher or staff member at the school to receive your child. If the weather is severe, the teachers may be delayed in arriving at school as well. Drop off time for your child is between **8:25 a.m.** and **8:40 a.m.** The staff will make every effort to ensure the safety of your child. As always, if the buses are not running and you send your child to school, you must make arrangements to pick them up by **3:00 p.m.**



LIPI Toy Drive and S.A.I.N.T. Movement

Once again, our entrance is decorated with our Christmas tree that will display your generous gifts of new and gently used unwrapped toys! We are also collecting gently used and washed hats, mitts, scarves, warm socks, sweaters, winter outerwear and blankets up to and including December 15th. You and your children are making a difference for those who are less fortunate. A great big Tiger salute goes out to our families!



REMINDERS

Lost & Found

Many items are already accumulating in our Lost and Found next to the Daycare entrance. Please check to see if your child is missing any items.

Cold Weather

Now that colder weather is upon us, please ensure that your child comes to school dressed appropriately with hats, mitts, boots and coats. It may also be a wise idea to send along extra items such as mittens, hats, socks and pants.



Regional Confirmation Preparation 2017

Preparation Sessions begin with Registration Wednesday, April 26 at 6:30 PM

at St. Peter the Apostle Church and will once again involve candidates from the entire North Bay region.

REGISTER SOON by Contacting the Parish Where Your Family Attends

In requesting the Sacrament of Confirmation it is presumed that you are in Grade 7 or 8 (or older) and have received the Sacraments of Baptism, First Reconciliation and First Eucharist. If you are missing one or more of these sacraments, please call the church you are registered and practising at - they can help!

Confirmation

Celebration

Saturday

10 June 2017

10:00 AM

Allergies

A friendly reminder, that there are children in our school with severe, life threatening allergies. These products include: Sesame Seeds, Shell Fish, Tree Nuts, Mangoes, and Peanuts. Therefore, these products are not permitted in School.

Please be aware that Sesame Seeds can be found on many bread products including bagels and hummus and are not permitted at school (as per Sabrina's Law).

Medications

We cannot dispense medication to a student unless it is prescribed by a physician. If your child requires medication during the school year, please have your physician complete the "**Request for Administration of Oral Medication**" form that has been sent home with your child and you can obtain one at the office at any time. All medication must be kept at the office with written instructions. Also, please be advised that **if your child requires a puffer/ventilator that an Asthma protocol form must be filled out.** These forms are also available at the Front Office.

School Cash Online

School Cash Online is a great way for you to encourage your child to participate in school events and activities, without worrying about cash transactions at school. You can pay online in advance, or the day of the event to ensure your child is able to participate in the school activity. You are encouraged to use this form of payment for **pizza days, field trips, fundraisers and more!**

Visit <https://npsc.schoolcashionline.com> for more details.

Movie Day

On the morning of December 22 or 23, 2016, the student body will be going to Galaxy Cinemas to view a movie. There will be a note sent home with more detailed information.

Contact Us

Safe Arrival:
705-752-4407

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npsc.schoolcashionline.com

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Ms.

Morrisette,

• Mrs. MacAskill

• Mme Danielle

• Mme Tignanelli

• Mme Leblond • Mme Lebel

• Mme Oschefski • Mrs. Belfitt

• Mrs. DeBernardi • Mme Daoust • Mme

• Chartrand-Fiorino • Mrs. Hegyi • Mrs. Tayler

• Mme Zettler • Miss Tanya • Mrs. Ruttan • Mme Surtees


• Mme Lindeman • Mr. Robillard • Mr. Wilson • Mrs. Howard • Mr. Lingenfelter

• Mr. Bourdon • Mme Kayla Ducharme • Mme Turgeon • Mrs. Laporte • Mr. Aultman • Mr. Miclette

• Mrs. Culin/Anello • Mrs. Thibault • Mr. Zimbalatti, • Mrs. Bass • the YMCA Daycare • CSAC members
and

Mme Lamarche



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 Tech. Night 6:00-7:00 p.m.	2	3
4	5 Advent Celebration 9:15 a.m. 	6 Grade 8 Information Night at SJSH (6:00pm)	7 Haleyfest Capitol Centre 7:00 p.m. 	8	9 Send Fundraising Money to School	10
11	12 Advent Celebration 9:15 a.m. 	13	14 	15	16	17
18	19 Christmas Mass 9:15 a.m. 	20 Christmas Concert at SJSH @ 6:30-7:30 p.m.	21 	22 Movie Day or	23 Movie Day Regular Dismissal 3:00 p.m.	24
25  Merry Christmas! 	26 	27	28	29	30	31 
<h1>Winter Break</h1>						