

Keeping you informed on the life and activity of your local Adventist school



HOT LUNCH - Hot lunch is served every Friday. This week, a **spaghetti lunch and dessert** will be served. Please send your money (\$4.00) to the school by Wednesday of this week.

PROPER ATTIRE - It has come to our attention that some students are not following the **GAA Dress Code**. Please review your copy of the Dress Code from the registration package or go online to www.grandviewschool.ca where you will find it with the registration documents. The Dress Code details the expectations for each day of the school week, including Friday Casual Dress Day. **Uniform pants are to be navy blue khaki style, similar to those found at Old Navy or Children's Place. Clothing should be well-laundered, unfaded, and free of holes, patches, or fraying.**

FUNDSCRIP - The next Fundscrip order is due in the office by this **Friday 9th November**. Please support the school by purchasing gift cards - even for your regular grocery and gas purchases - and 'give back' to the school. **These gift cards make great Christmas gifts for the hard-to-buy-for people on your list!** There are over 170 retailers in Ontario to choose from. **You get full value of the card, and pay nothing more!!**

This is such an easy way to support the school. **Please participate!! Order forms will be attached to this email. A big thank-you to those who participated last month! Your orders were greatly appreciated!**

TUITION - November's tuition payment was due 1st November! Did you make your payment?

PARENT-STUDENT-TEACHER INTERVIEWS - are scheduled for Tuesday 13th November. We encourage you to take this opportunity to find out about your child(ren)'s progress. **Interim Progress Reports will be sent home tomorrow, Tuesday 6th November.** Last Friday, your child(ren) brought home an interview sheet to fill out. Please indicate your desired time on the interview appointment form and **return it to the school no later than Thursday 8th November.** Appointments are filled on a first come, first served basis.

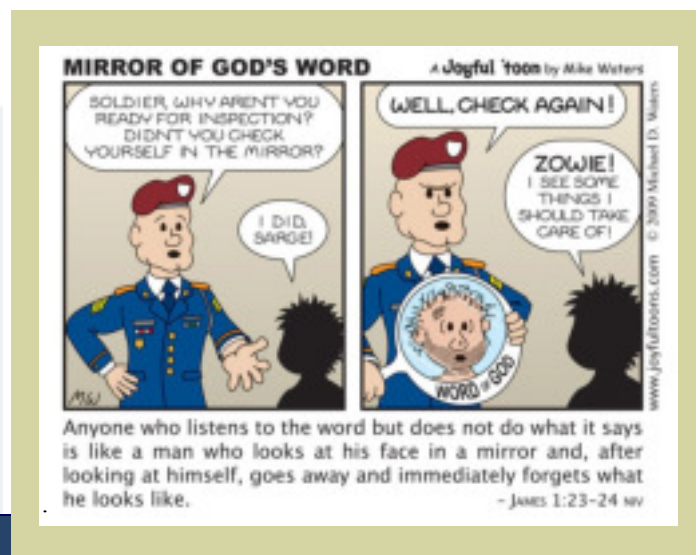
SCHOLASTIC ORDERS - Scholastic order forms were sent home last week. Parental judgement is needed. Some books that are offered may not fit with what you believe. The school does not endorse the books available. Please choose wisely. This month's order due date is **Tuesday 6th November.**

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November 2018

- 6: Scholastic Orders Due
- 6: Progress Report 1 home
- 8: Parent-Student-Teacher Interview forms due
- 9: Fundscrip orders due in the office
- 13: Parent-Student-Teacher Interviews / NO SCHOOL
- 19: Beginning of our Fall Week In Spiritual Emphasis (W.I.S.E)



HOLIDAY POTS FOR SALE (Please see attached photo)

- Potted greenery (2 gallon pot) for your porch/walkway/entry, 24-30" wide and 30-36" tall (including pot). **Cost is \$25, with all proceeds going to the school.** Please call or visit the office to place your order.

TIP OF THE WEEK - Cooking Up A Strong Hope:

.....building a strong hope into our children's lives. They need parents who tailor a plan to turn their unique, God-given abilities into assets, who work to turn both their victories and their defeats into a series of accomplishments. Abilities, adventure, and accomplishments - they form a recipe for a strong hope. And since they don't sell professionally made hope over at your nearest Safeway Store, it's probably best if you learn to bake this yourself. Your first attempt might fall flat and your follow-up might leave you feeling a little dry, but you'll get good at it if you just don't give up. Do not be deceived, God cannot be mocked. A man reaps what he sows. The one who sows to please his sinful nature, from that nature will reap destruction; the one who sows to please the Spirit, from the Spirit will reap eternal life. Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. (Galatians 6:7-9). - Grace Based Parenting, p. 125, 126

WINTER CLOTHING - As winter is progressively coming closer, this is a reminder to all of our students that proper winter clothing must be worn. This includes **hats, gloves, and boots**, in addition to your **winter coats** and **snow pants**, when needed. Parents, please monitor the weather forecast and send you child(ren) with the appropriate clothing. Thank you.

CHARACTER DEVELOPMENT - Each month we will have a character trait that will focus on encouraging students to reflect the character of God and to grow into responsible, social beings. **THIS MONTH'S CHARACTER TRAIT is TIME MANAGEMENT!** Time management means planning what you need to do and arranging your time to see that you get it done in time. In other words, work when you should work, play when you should play, study when you should study, pray when you should pray. Time is a precious gift from God. He gives us many opportunities and

and talents that can occupy our time. We should plan carefully to use our time in the best way.

***Please remember to check your school email address regularly for new information from the Principal and teachers!**

STUDENT DROP OFF - Please remember that student supervision does not begin until **8:50 am**, unless a specific arrangement has been made with your child's class teacher for that day. Please remain with your children until that time, to ensure their safety. Thank you for respecting the staff devotional time.

TELEPHONE CALLS - If there is a need to contact your child during the day, please call during recess - **10:40-11:15 or 12:50-13:25**, and not during instructional hours. Thank you for your understanding.

FOOD ALLERGIES - Please help us to keep our school an allergen free facility by ensuring your child has **no nut products**. In addition to this, if your child requires the use of an epi-pen, could you please ensure he/she has two, one for the office and one to be carried on their person.

STUDENT SUPPORT AND ENCOURAGEMENT - If your child has an up-coming event, e.g. baptism, investiture, tournament (and such like), we would like to know so that we can actively support them where possible! We are here for all your children, not just academically, but in all areas of their lives. Share, so that we can show them how much we care!

FROM OUR MARKETING COMMITTEE - Thank you for sending your child(ren) to Grandview Adventist Academy! We know you have a choice of schools and we appreciate that you chose GAA.

Did you know that positive online reviews can be extremely helpful for the exposure and credibility of organizations? We'd be so grateful if you would take a moment to share your review of our school online, by clicking on the links below. A few minutes of your time could make a big difference to our school!

Google Review: <http://bit.ly/GAA-review>

Yelp Review: <http://bit.ly/2yokf3X>

Facebook Review: <http://bit.ly/2xhpgen>