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BIRTHDAYS - Wishing a Happy Birthday to Breanna for Tuesday 4th May and Jessy for Friday 7th May!

MOTHER'S DAY PROGRAM - Please join us virtually for our Mother's Day Program on **Friday 7th May** from **12:50 - 13:30**. Students are asked to send in pictures of them and their mom or significant mom-like person in their lives to photos@grandviewschool.ca by **noon Thursday 6th May**.

Topic: GAA's Mother's Day Program
Time: Friday 7th May from 12:50 - 13:30

Join Zoom Meeting
[https://zoom.us/j/94109348082?](https://zoom.us/j/94109348082?pwd=QXhOdTlZV1dJSy94bUJidWtMSGtSQTo9)
[pwd=QXhOdTlZV1dJSy94bUJidWtMSGtSQTo9](https://zoom.us/j/94109348082?pwd=QXhOdTlZV1dJSy94bUJidWtMSGtSQTo9)

Meeting ID: 941 0934 8082
Passcode: 115164

FINISHING STRONG - STUDENT SPIRITUAL EMPHASIS
- Please see the flyer and trailer attached to the email body regarding this **It is Written** special online presentation, 3rd - 6th May, 2021.

REGISTRATION FORMS 2021-2022 - These forms and payment are due in the office by **SUNSET, Friday 7th May** to be eligible for the early registration discount fee of \$80. After this date, the fee will rise to \$160. **NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE MADE IN REGARDS TO THE FEE. Registration fees can be paid online** (please see info under 'TUITION PAYMENTS' in this newsletter). If you cannot drop the forms off at the school, please scan and send them. You can submit the paper copy at a later date.

Please note: all students must be re-registered for each new school year. All required forms must be filled out once again. Please write neatly and legibly.

LAST CHANCE FOR EARLY REGISTRATION - forms and payment can be dropped off at the school this Friday 7th May between 10:30 - 12:30 and 13:30 - 15:30.

PARENT-TEACHER INTERVIEWS - Virtual parent-teacher interviews have been rescheduled to **Tuesday 11th May** and **Wednesday 12 May** from 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm.

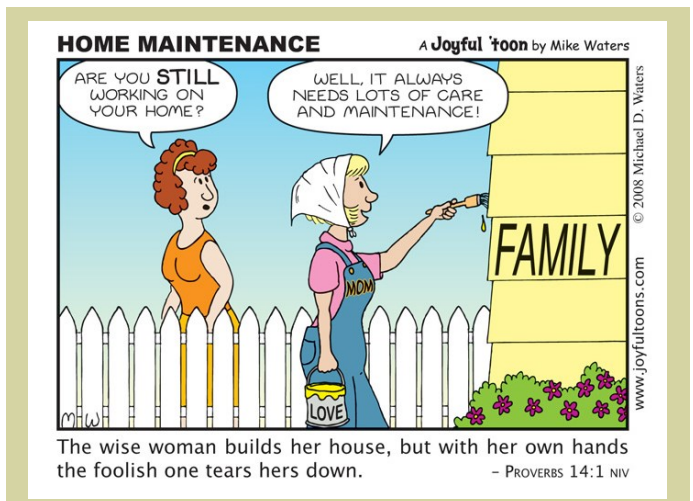
A new booking system has been set up for appointments. Your child's teacher will email you the

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May 2021



- May 3-6: It is Written - Finishing Strong - A Week of Spiritual Emphasis
- 7: Virtual Mother's Day Program
- 11-12: Virtual Parent-Teacher Interviews 3 pm - 6 pm
- 17-21: Spring Week in Spiritual Emphasis (W.I.S.E)
- 20: La Fête du Pain
- 24: Victoria Day Holiday - **NO SCHOOL**





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link by the end of the week. If you haven't heard from the teacher by then, please contact them.

A big "thank you" to Darrian's mom, Velisa Samaroo, for suggesting this booking system!

REPORT CARDS - If you have not yet done so, please sign and return the enclosed form that indicates your receipt of the Report Card, and return it in the Report envelope. **This can be dropped off when you return your Registration Forms.**

VIRTUAL LA FÊTE DU PAIN (BREAD FESTIVAL) - In preparation for this annual celebration, parents/guardians, if possible, can you please purchase some bread for your household (baguettes, etc.) so that we can eat together on **Thursday 20th May**.

TUITION PAYMENTS - Please continue to make your tuition payments on time each month. During the stay-at-home order, payments can be made as follows:

Credit Cards - pay online at our website. Scroll to the bottom of the Tuition Fees page and you will see the link to pay the tuition. (No student number is needed.) Please note, for those who are set up to have their payments taken from their credit card in the office, the secretary will continue to do this for the time being.

Debit Cards - For those unable to use a credit card, it is possible to 'Send an Interac e-transfer' from your bank's web page to the school's bank account. Please contact our Treasurer, Barb, by email at kozybee@gmail.com to set this up.

ONTARIO COVID-19 CHILD BENEFIT - Please check out the information at the following page to learn about funding for students to help offset costs during the 2020-2021 school year.

<https://www.ontario.ca/page/get-ontario-covid-19-child-benefit?share=3d3f5580-9189-11eb-9014-3b1311ed21bb>

If you received a payment through the Support for Learners program back in January/February, you **do**

not need to apply for this additional payment. Applications are open from 3rd May 2021 to 17th May 2021.

MAY'S CHARACTER TRAIT is HONESTY. **Honesty** means: giving the correct impression, keeping your word, honouring your commitments, and returning what you borrowed.

Honesty can also mean doing your own assignments and being real or genuine.

Proverbs 12:17 says: 'an **honest** witness tells the truth, a false witness tells lies.'

Choose to be **honest**, just like Jesus.

MESSAGE TO PARENTS RE ONLINE LEARNING - When online, please make sure that your child is in an environment that is quiet, as they are often required to have their microphones unmuted. We have been experiencing some cases where teachers are able to hear others in the background. This disrupts the flow of the class and makes it quite impossible to teach.

Please also help your child, where necessary, to ensure that the setting on the camera is always on and that your child is always visible in class.

Please also make sure that your child is ready for learning with all the needed books and materials and arrives to class on time.

Thank you for addressing these issues and for helping to make sure that the necessary learning can take place online.

EMAILS - Please remember to check your emails regularly for new information from the Principal, teachers and office!