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Monday 17th May, 2021

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



<u>BIRTHDAYS</u> - Wishing a Happy Birthday to Arlene for Wednesday 19th May, Arianne for Thursday 20th May, and Malakai for Tuesday 25th May!

<u>WELCOME</u> - Miss Victoria is a very enthusiastic student teacher who will be observing teachers for the next few weeks. She is hoping, at the end of her training, to be a French Immersion Elementary Teacher. GAA family and friends, I know that you will make her feel welcome and at home.

VIRTUAL LA FÊTE DU PAIN (BREAD FESTIVAL)

- In preparation for this annual celebration, parents/guardians, if possible, please purchase some bread for your household (baguettes, etc.) so that we can eat together virtually on **Thursday 20th May** from 12:15 - 1:00 pm. Students are to dress in blue, or white, or red, or a combination of all three!

LEARNING MATERIAL PICK UP DAYS - Please note that Thursday 20th May from 1 pm - 5 pm and Friday 21st May from 10 am - 2 pm will be 'Learning Material Pick Up Days' for all grade 1 - 8 students. The teachers will have learning materials ready that the students will need to finish off the school year.

Parents, when you come to pick up these materials, please bring the paper copy of your registration forms for 2021-22, if you have not yet handed these in. Also, please return the Report Card envelopes and the form indicating receipt of the report.

TUITION PAYMENTS - Please continue to make your tuition payments on time each month. During the stayathome 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.



REGISTRATION 2021-2022 - Please note that due to COVID safety requirements, we are having to

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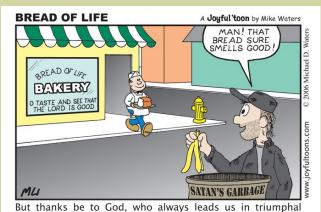
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May 17-21: Spring Week in Spiritual Emphasis (W.I.S.E)

20: La Fête du Pain

20-21: Learning Material Pick Up Day

24: Victoria Day Holiday - NO SCHOOL



procession in Christ and through us spreads everywhere the fragrance of the knowledge of him.

– 2 Corinthians 2:14 NIV

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cap the classroom sizes for the 2021-2022 school year. As such, a waiting list may have to be introduced for some classes.

For those parents that paid the early registration fee, but did not send in the registration forms, please note that your child's registration is **not** considered **complete**. You must send/scan in the forms immediately or your child's spot may be forfeited!

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!



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 <u>your own</u> 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.

