

notes&news Monday 7th June, 2021

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<u>BIRTHDAYS</u> - Wishing a Happy Birthday to Eliana for Wednesday 9th June!

SCHOOLWIDE FUN DAY - **Thursday, 10th June** will be a day of virtual field trips and fun activities! **Whole day attendance is mandatory.** Included in our day will be a virtual trip to the Cambridge Butterfly Conservatory (thank you to the Jarvis family for bringing this activity to our attention), along with fun science, games, video clips, etc. **No uniform required.**



Each student is to create a butterfly craft for Show & Tell. This can be made in any manner you wish - use your imagination to come up with something spectacular!

The grade 7 & 8 students will lead out in a **Stir Fry Demonstration**. For those students that wish to participate (we encourage all), vegetables will need to be chopped the night before, and any additions such as noodles/rice/chicken will need to be pre-cooked.

All the students and staff will be eating together (around 12:05 pm), so if parents wish to prepare their

stir fry the day before and heat on this day (especially for the younger students), that is fine. All family members are welcome to join us for lunch.

***Please see the recipe attached to this email** (compliments of Khiauni's grandmother).

<u>PD DAY</u> - As per the school calendar, Friday 11th June will be a PD Day. There will be NO SCHOOL on this day.

SAVE THE DATE - Both SKs and Grade 8s are looking forward to you joining them on YouTube for their **GRADUATION** on **Thursday 17th June** at **6:30 pm.** Watch for the link closer to the day.

Please note, school will be dismissed at NOON on this day.

FATHER'S DAY PROGRAM - Please join us virtually for our Father's Day Program on Friday 18th June from 12:50 - 13:30. (Link will be shared closer to the day.)

MEET THE NEW TEACHER DAY - On Monday 21st June, students will have an opportunity to meet their new





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teacher and classmates for the next academic year. Please watch for the schedule.

JUNE'S CHARACTER TRAIT is CITIZENSHIP. Being a good citizen means more than just obeying the laws of the land. It also means being actively involved in making our community (including our school) the best possible place for all to live. As we become good citizens of our community, we are doing the will of our Heavenly Father.

Being a **good citizen** involves possessing many of the character traits that we have learned about this year. Here's a list of some ways we can be a good citizen:

- 1. Be honest and trustworthy
- 2. Volunteer to be active in your community
- 3. Follow rules and laws
- 4. Respect the rights of others
- 5. Be informed about the world around you
- 6. Respect the property of others
- 7. Be compassionate
- 8. Take responsibility for your actions
- 9. Be a good neighbour
- 10. Protect the environment

In the Bible it says, "Remind the people to be subject to rulers and authorities, to be obedient, to be ready to do whatever is good, to slander no one, to be peaceable and considerate, and always to be gentle toward everyone." Titus 3: 1-2 NIV

<u>PARENTS</u> - Please print out a copy of your child's online schedule and post it someplace where both you and your child can see it. This way there will be no question as to what class your child should be in and at what time.

TUITION PAYMENTS - Please continue to make your tuition payments on time each month. **June's payment is now past due.** 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.)

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.

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.

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