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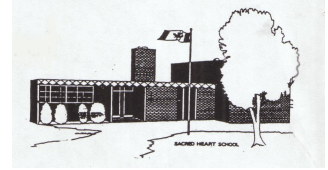
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From the Principal's Desk

The end of June is fast approaching and with it the end of my time here at Sacred Heart. Thank you to students, staff and parents for their support, guidance and friendship. It has been greatly appreciated. Sacred Heart is a special place with special people who believe in their students, children and teachers. Together we have made changes to the school that I hope will continue to provide for excellence in teaching and learning. I wish a safe and restful summer for all of you.

Sincerely, Nancy Barrett



gathering and social for all parents, students, staff and community members.

There will be no barbeque on the last day of school as the Family Fun Night on Wednesday, June 27th replaces this activity.

2-Pitch Tournament

Our grade 5-8 students will participate in the annual Huron County tournament on Friday June 22nd. Because of the availability of ball diamonds, the tournament will have 2 venues: grades 5&6 teams will use Sacred Heart's ball area and the diamond at Riverside Park; our grade 7&8 students will travel to Goderich. Mrs. Waechter, Mr. Cann, Mrs. Kaufman, Mr. Kaufman and Mrs. Higgins will serve as coaching staff for our teams this year. Please feel free to come out and support our Celtics.



Respect Assembly and Canada Day

Our last day of school is Thursday June 28th. This will be a "red and white day" in honour of our country's birthday in July. We will hold a school respect assembly and talent show on this day, beginning shortly after our morning recess. Our lunch will be a class picnic on our school grounds. Parents are most welcome to attend these events. **Please note for students in grade 7/8, our Peanut Alert is still in place, and we ask students to refrain from bringing food or drink items which contain peanuts or nuts.**

It Stinks to Be Sick in the Summer

During the summer, everyone, especially children, can be at greater risk of getting sick from bacteria such as E. coli, salmonella, and campylobacter. Hand washing is the single most effective way to prevent the spread of germs.

Wash hands with soap and water:

- _ before eating and handling food
- _ after using the bathroom
- _ after playing or working outside
- _ after contact with animals, especially young animals (e.g. kittens, puppies) and livestock
- _ after visiting an animal barn or petting zoo
- _ If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer.



Kindergarten Graduation and Last School Mass

A reminder of this special mass and celebration on Wednesday June 27th beginning at 9:30 am. All school volunteers are invited to this mass. Invitations have been sent, but if we have missed an individual please contact the school so we might add your name to our list. **Only SK – students will be attending school on this day.**



Best Start Program

Students who attend kindergarten at Sacred Heart School, may also attend the Best Start program offered on alternate days. If your child rides the bus to kindergarten at Sacred Heart, they may also ride the bus on Best Start days. Please contact Jane Lane at 357-2424 for more details regarding attendance and subsidies for the program.

Family Pizza Fun Night

Please read the attached flyer. This promises to be a great evening and will serve as our end of the year

Track and Field for All

On Thursday June 14th our school athletes and athletes from all other schools in our system, attended the annual track and field meet in Clinton. This was a wonderful experience for everyone present. Athletes from our Soaring Spirits teams joined the events on this day and it was truly a day for "all" no matter the ability. Special thanks to the organizational team, as well as the staff and students of St. Michael's and St. Anne's Secondary Schools and to the staff and Parent Council of St. Joseph's School in Clinton. Sacred Heart's athletes performed well and some were able to bring home medals. We provide a special congratulation to Brett B. who received a bronze medal in triple jump; Alyssa C. who received a silver medal in running long jump; and Jayden A.J., who received a gold medal in the 100m race and bronze medal in the standing long jump. Thank you to Mrs. Anderson and Mr. Cann for their time in practice and supervision of our competitors at school and at the meet.

Cheer Leaders

The cheer leading team has been working hard to put together a routine this year. They will perform at the talent show and on the 27th at the Family Pizza and Fun Night.

Champs Doggie Quiz

Who was the Prime Minister when Canada first received the maple leaf as it's flag?



Family Name _____

Parent Signature: _____