



March News Update

Due to such a busy month of March this month's newsletter will just be a brief update.

Please take note of the following events and plan on coming out to support us in our work, play and prayer.

March 6th Our school mass has been cancelled due to a funeral (Gr. 1's will host our Apr. 4th mass)

Thursday, March 6th 2nd term ends. Last day of classes before March break.

March Break March 7-March 14th inclusive Happy holiday! Please be sure to check out all the events taking place at the North Huron Rec Dept through out the March Break. Phone 357-1208.

Saturday, March 15 Grades 3,4 and 5 Jr. School Hockey Team plays in the K of C Hockey Tournament in Seaforth.

Monday, March 17th "Happy St. Patrick's Day" 3rd term begins Stations of Cross for Gr. 4/5-8

Wednesday, March 19th Student Council Easter Egg Hunt for K-Gr. 2.
Rosary Apostolate

Thursday, March 20th Holy Thursday Prayer Service 11:30 (Gr. 2 lead)

Friday, March 21st Good Friday (no school)

Sunday, March 23rd Easter Sunday

Monday, March 24th Easter Monday (no school)

Tuesday, March 25th Quebec Meeting 3:30

Wednesday, March 26th Sr. Science Fair

Thursday, March 27th Jr. Science Fair

Saturday, March 29th Earth Hour 8:00-9:00 p.m./Gr. 7/8 Fundraiser BBQ-10:30-2:00 valu-mart

Wednesday, April 2nd 2nd term report cards go home

Thursday, April 3rd 7:00 p.m. Gr. 7-8 play The Bachelor King

Friday, April 4th School Mass 11:00 a.m.

Sat., Apr. 5th Confirmation Retreat

Monday, April 7th 2nd term interviews 4-6 p.m.

April 8th Gr. 4-5 & 3-4 to Water Festival

Thursday, April 17th Gr. 7-8 confirmation



Sacred Heart-A Catholic Community of Caring

Rooted in our Catholic faith, the five core values of caring, respect, responsibility, trust and family are the foundation on which responsible decisions and behaviours are based. We are fortunate as a Catholic community, to be able to reach, guide and model the values of the program from a Catholic lens. The Catholic formation of these five core values is distinctive. We model Jesus and the Church teachings, we view this not only as a program but as a lifestyle and calling to follow the gospel values developed through grace, prayer and a Christian life. For the months of March and April Sacred Heart will focus on developing the pillar of trust.

Trust

Trust is the basis of all good relationships and a cornerstone of good character. We learn that trustworthy people keep their promises, are honest, reliable, principled, and never inappropriately betray a confidence. A trustworthy person is dependable, supportive, sincere, considerate, loyal and just. To have trust in someone, you are confident in their faithfulness, courage and sincerity and value their integrity.

Prayer for Trust

Dear Lord, I do not pray to know what lies ahead each day,
But for the faith to trust in You and let You show the way.
I do not pray for strength to conquer every task I face,
But for a humble spirit to rely upon Your grace.
I do not pray to understand why life can seem unfair,
But for a grateful heart to always give and love and care.
I do not pray to take the smoothest path in all I do,
But, Lord, I pray that always I may walk and talk with you.



Also a huge congratulations to our Gr. 6/7 classroom for raising \$216.00 in their February cake draws. All money was used to purchase food for our local Food Bank.
Also a huge thank-you to AnneMarie Fear who is overseeing our Friday afternoon visits to Gilbert Hall.

Congratulations

Public Speaking

Congratulations to Liz Dwyer & Alyssa Cronin who represented our school at the Legion Public Speaking Competition on March 1st. Also, we recognize Amber Wilson, Ally Sieber-Peyton, Alex Sanders & Jayden Anderson-Johnston who also placed at our school level competition. Congratulations also goes to Liam Gangl who captured first place at the Regional Free Throw Competition.

Pancake Day

Special thanks goes to the following people for donating their time to give our school's pancake and fruit lunch. Mrs. Edgar, Gwen McInnes, Anne Marie Fear, Johanna Schurter, Sophie Jefferson and Amy Cronin.



Mother Teresa Faith In Action Award

Sacred Heart is very proud to announce that Cindy VanNes has been chosen by the Huron-Perth Selection Committee as a recipient of the Mother Teresa Faith in Action Award. Cindy will receive this award at a special mass held during Catholic Education Week in Dublin. We are very fortunate to have Cindy enriching our school community.

Dear Parents Grade 7 & 8 Parents:

The Huron Perth Catholic District School Board is considering the set up of an after school pilot Mathematics Tutoring Club at Sacred Heart School. In order for our school to be selected we would require 8 to 10 students to commit to an after school session two days a week for six weeks, from April through May. The sessions would begin at 3:15 p.m. sharp for one and a half hours. There is no cost to the participants as the School Board will be paying for the tutor to run the sessions. The tutor would be a qualified teacher hired by the board to assist intermediate students in mathematics. This program is designed for students working at Grade 7 & 8 level expectations and will be of great interest for any students who wished further help consolidating math skills & for students who are interested in additional preparation for high school.

Please respond below as to whether your child would be interested and return this form with your child. The school board is in the process of selecting schools and only those who have enough interest will be offered the opportunity to pilot this program. It is a great opportunity to help your child if he/she is struggling in math.

- Yes my child would be interested.
- No my child would not be interested.

Child's Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Please return this form by Thursday, March 7th.

Grade 7 & 8 Trip Update

RE: Pancake Breakfast results...

The Organizing Committee would like to congratulate all the students for an excellent job with the Pancake Breakfast this past Sunday. With the final total done, we managed to serve approx. 200 people and after expenses we have raised just under \$500.00 towards our trip, WAY TO GO!!!

A special Thank You to Ally Seiber-Peyton and Emily McDougall for coming out to help even though their trip has already been paid in full...Great team work everyone, you should all be very proud.

Also, a HUGE Thank You to all the parents who came out to help us on Saturday for set-up and Sunday to cook, serve or clean up, we could not have done it without you.

Once again, Congratulations on a job well done! A fundraising BBQ is currently being planned for March, we will let you know the exact date as soon as we can as well as any other updates that are needed. Any financial questions can be directed to Angela Ventura 357-1878.

Sincerely,

Fundraising Committee
Grade 7 & 8 Quebec Trip