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**ST. JOSEPH**  
CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
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**Newsletter**  
**March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017**



**Be My Lucky Charm Family Dance – SEE YOU THERE!**



**5:30-8:30 TONIGHT!!**

There are still a few tickets available at the door!

**Registration for the 2017-18 School Year**



\*\*Don't forget that re-registration packages for all families are due back by **Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup>**. **One week today!!**

**Jump Rope for Heart**



Congratulations and a huge thank you to our St. Joseph School community, family and friends. We finished our fundraising and collected a total of \$5968.05 for the Heart and Stroke Foundation. Wow! What a great gift we are giving, many thanks!

**News from the Atrium:**

**Grandparents Day**

On Wednesday, March 8<sup>th</sup>, Mrs. O'Brien and Miss Griffin and their students hosted a "Grandparents Day". We are so glad that this wonderful event filled the room with excitement, much chatter and lots of laughter.

**Chess Club**

On Thursday afternoon our atrium held the Chess Club finals! What a wonderful space for this event to take place. Congratulations to all of the students who participated and to Markus Hopley who was the Club Champion! Well done Markus! Good luck to those students from the Club that are representing our school this weekend at a chess tournament!

## **Blinds**

We are looking to order blinds for our windows in the new wing and are wondering if any parents have connections with a company who does this.

Please contact [vfarr@cisnd.ca](mailto:vfarr@cisnd.ca).

## **Dress GREEN for St. Patrick!!**

Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup> is a civvies and SPIRIT DAY! Students are encouraged to dress in **green green green!!!**

## **Spring Break**

Don't forget, dismissal on Friday March 17<sup>th</sup> is at 11:45am.



## **READ-A-THON**



Qualifying days for this year's Read-A-Thon days have come to an end. Thank you for supporting the kids in this fun and educational fundraiser!

Over the weekend, please tally up logged reading minutes, and collect outstanding pledges from sponsors who pledged on a per minute basis. Reading logs, pledge forms and pledges need to be returned Monday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, so that class totals can be tallied for prizes. Questions? Contact Ashley Pereira @ [\(250\)808-4144](tel:2508084144) or [ashleypereira3@gmail.com](mailto:ashleypereira3@gmail.com)

## **PSG MEETING – Tuesday, March 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm**



The PSG monthly meeting for March will be next Tuesday the 14<sup>th</sup> in the school library starting at 6:30pm. All parents welcome!



Cards for Kids will be at St. Pius X this Sunday.

NOW AVAILABLE!!!



These cards earn the school **15%**! So start up the BBQ!

ANOTHER WAY TO HELP C4K'S RAISE MORE MONEY!!!!...

If you would like any gift cards from companies such as Cineplex, The Gap, Boston Pizza, Home depot, AND MORE (see list of card options below), please **buy Superstore (PC) cards from us**, go to Superstore to their gift card section and **purchase your desired card with your C4K'S Superstore card.**

**Retail**

American Eagle  
Bed, Bath & Beyond  
Claire's  
David's Tea  
Forever 21  
H&M  
Home Depot  
Canadian Tire  
La Senza  
Old Navy  
Visa cards  
Sears  
The Bay  
The Gap  
Toys r Us

**Entertainment**

Amazon  
Chapters/Indigo  
Cineplex  
iTunes  
Netflix

**Restaurants**

Boston Pizza  
Earls  
Joey Restaurants  
The Keg  
The White Spot

**Fast Food**

A & W  
McDonalds  
Subway

Remember gas cards (ESSO & PetroCan) **now** earn **5%**!



***Rooted in Faith: Praying for our Catholic Schools***

Join us Thursday, April 6<sup>th</sup> at 8:50 a.m. in the IRHS Chapel  
Prayer focus will be Mike Kouwenhoven's 12B class.

**Attachments**

- Cards for Kids – order form

Our mission is to foster the development of the total child in spirit, mind and body. Through Jesus, we encourage the pursuit of excellence in a community of love and respect.

Virtue for March is  
**CLEANLINESS**

How do we practise it:

- Washing often, keeping your body clean and wearing clean clothes
- Putting things away after you use them and keeping things in order
- Making amends and then act differently

"The Virtues Project™"

***Don't forget time change this weekend ~  
spring ahead***