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St. Joseph's Catholic School Newsletter

Volume 10

June, 2015 (Part I).

Transportation	Upcoming Dates
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Any changes in transportation for September should be requested asap. The timeline to make changes in late August and/or early September could be up to 3 weeks. If your child's pick up and/or drop off location is changing in September and you have not already put in a request, please contact the school and we will guide you through the process.

- June 5 St. Joes Idol
- June 8 PA Day
- June 10 Grade 3 Soccer Baseball
- June 11 Grade 6 Softball/Dodgeball
- June 12 Grade 4/5 Track
Grade 1- 3 Rodeo visit
- June 15 D.A.R.E. Graduation
Grade 1, 1/2 trip
- June 16 Grade 3/4, 4/5 Feast of the Ages
- June 17 Carleton Science Work shops
- June 18 Grade 2/3, 3/4 Trip
Fitzroy over the Carp Run
- June 19 Movie Day
- June 22 Grade 8 Grad Trip
- June 23 Grade 8 Graduation
7:00
- June 24 Kindergarten Graduation
- June 24 Grade 4/5 trip
- June 25 Grade 6 trip
Closing School Mass, 9:00

Graduation

Grade 8 Graduation will be held at St. John Chrysostom Church at 7:00 on Tuesday, June 23rd. An information letter went home with all grade 8 students. If you have not received this letter, please contact the office and we will send a new one home with your child.

Newsletter Note

I will be sending home a Part II June Newsletter later in the month with items for next year, including suggested supply lists, classes and staffing information. Stay Tuned!

Movie Day

On June 19th, students will be treated to a movie day at the Arnprior O'Brien Theatre. More details will follow. Cost is \$7.00.

On June 18th, the annual Fitzroy over

Cross Country

the Carp cross country run will take place at Fitzroy park.

Students have been practicing hard and we are hoping for a great turn out.

Special thanks to the Arnprior Optimist Club for supporting this annual event.

Jag Week

During the week of June 9—12, students in grade 3—8 will be traveling to St. Joseph's High School to Participate in JAG week Activities.

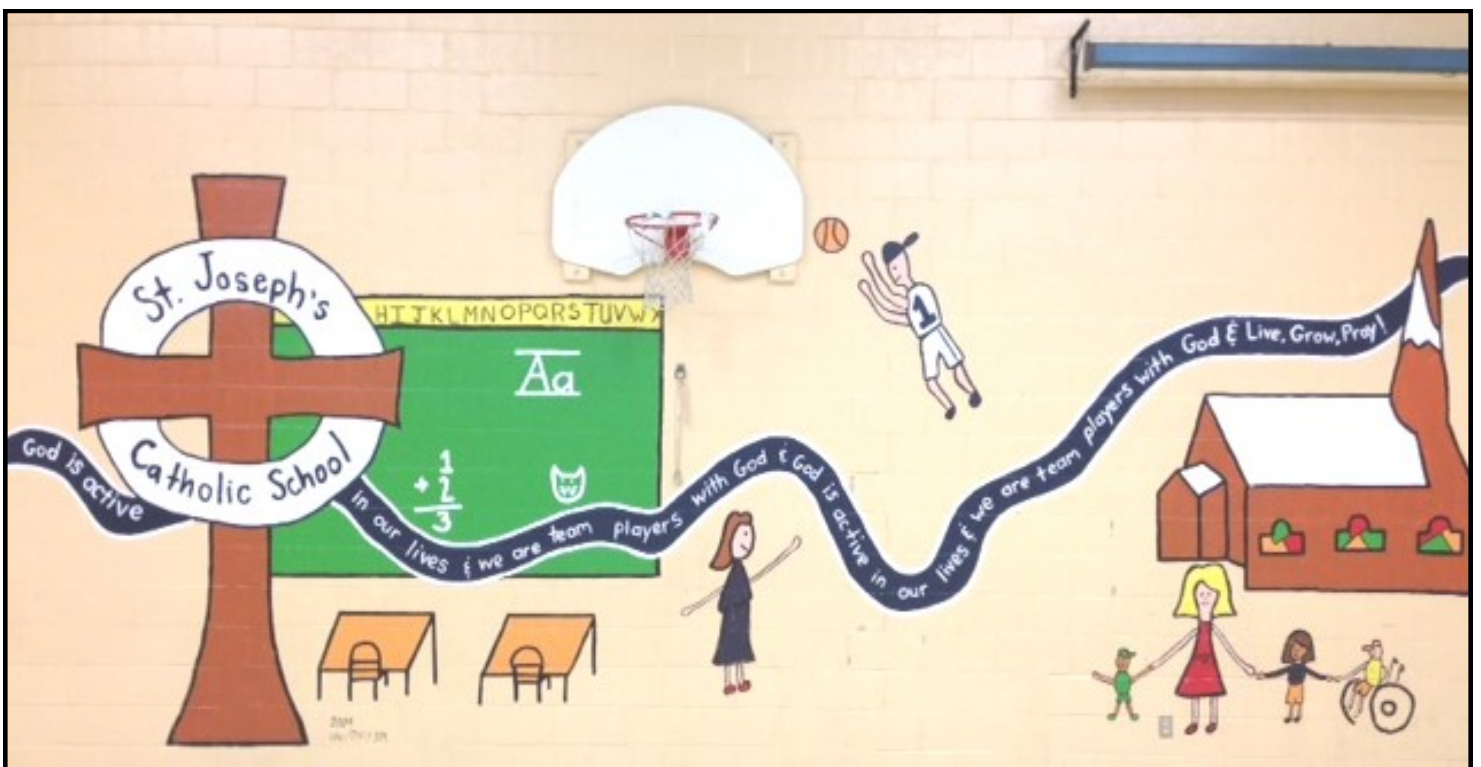
Grade 3 students will participate in a soccer baseball tournament on June 10th. Grade 6 students will be playing softball and dodgeball on June 11th. Grade 7 and 8 students will be viewing the Annual Spring Coffee house on the 11th in the morning.

On June 12, students in grade 4 and 5 will be participating in the first JAG week track and field completion.

There will be no cost for these activities as busing has been subsidized by our school board. We know all the children will have a great time!

We Say Farewell to the Gym Mural

We recently found out that new health and safety guidelines for school Gymnasiums indicate that the wall area under all basketball nets must be covered with padding stretching 8 feet in either direction of the net. This meant that our lovely mural would be covered by matting. With great sadness, we said farewell to our mural last week and the painters arrived to paint the first coat of primer. The mural was sponsored by School Council and painted by students from St. Joseph's High school. We will make plans to replace it with a new one that shows our spirit and our faith.



Locked Door

For the last two weeks of June, we will be trying out our new locked door policy, beginning June 15th. Our interior doors will be locked for the majority of the day. Please press buzzers in the area between the two set of doors for entry. Doors will be open from 7:45–8:25 and from 2:15-2:45. As always, please sign in/check in at the office upon arrival.

School Organization

In the June Part II newsletter at the end of the month, I will be sending home a tentative class organization for next year. More than ever, as we increase in enrollment, this is “**tentative.**” This will also mean we will have a number of split classes due to primary class size and increased junior numbers. Please be patient!

Quick Notes

- EQAO testing is well underway. Thanks to all students for their hard work preparing for this assessment.
- As the warm weather continues, please be sure to drink plenty of water.
- As our school trips approach, please make efforts to ensure that your children have proper footwear and weather-appropriate clothing. If snacks/lunches are required, please ensure that they are NUT FREE.
- We have a tremendous number of items in the lost and found. Please take the opportunity to have a look for any lost items.
- Our Kindergarten Graduation/Moving On Up Ceremony will be held June 24th at the park. Details to follow.
- Students grade 1–3 will be headed to the Arnprior Rodeo on June 12 from 11:00—1:00.

Tallest Tree In Ontario

Our very lucky kindergarten students participated in a ceremony for the tallest tree in Ontario. The students were featured on CBC news at 6 and again on CBC Radio. It was an exciting day!





June 2015



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St. Joes Idol

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PA DAY

Grade 3 Soccer
Baseball

Grade 6 Softball
7/8 Coffee House
at SJHS

Grade 4/5 track meet
at Mate-Way Park
Grade 1-3 Rodeo Visit

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D.A.R.E. Graduation
Grade 1, 1/2 Trip

Feast of the Ages,
3/4, 4/5

Carleton Science
workshops 1-3/4

Grade 2/3, 3/4 trip
Fitzroy Over the Carp
Cross Country Run

Movie Day

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Grade 8 Grad Trip
Hila Science

Grade 8 Grad,
7:00

Senior Kindergarten
Grad
Grade 4/5 Trip

Grade 6 Trip
School Mass, 9:00
Last day of School

PA Day

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