

# SCHOOL NEWS

**Holy Cross Catholic School**

**May 2019**

## Catholic Education Week May 5-10, 2019

Catholic Education Week activities will take place the week of May 5-10, 2019. This year's theme is "Living As Joyful Disciples", with five sub-themes:

Monday: Rooted in Prayer  
 Tuesday: Living in Community  
 Wednesday: Doing Justice and Creating Hope  
 Thursday: Journeying Together in Faith  
 Friday: Sharing the Good News

**Holy Cross Mass: May 8 at St. Peter's, 11:30 a.m.**

## Register Now For Welcome To Kindergarten

If you have a child who will be 4 years old by December 31, 2019, we would like to invite you to a Welcome To Kindergarten orientation event May 22 at 9:30 a.m. for your child who will be coming to school in September. Please call the school for further information in regards to registration.

## 2019 Carousel Evening

The 19th Annual Carousel Evening is happening on May 22, 2019. Join us for an evening of workshops, a keynote address and much more! The theme this year will be *Building Bridges with a keynote address "Promoting Well Being" by Trish Tessier and Lori Schlueting. Please visit [www.npsc.ca](http://www.npsc.ca) for more details and registration, or call 705-472-1201 ext 3126.*

**Wednesday, May 22, 2019**

Keynote Speaker: Trish Tessier and Lori Schlueting  
 Registration: 5:00pm  
 Welcome and keynote address: 5:45pm  
 Workshops: 7:15pm  
 Location: St. Joseph-Scollard Hall Auditorium

Brought to you by NPSC Special Education Advisory Committee (SEAC) and Parent Involvement Committee (PIC)

## Visitor Sign-In

*To ensure the safety and security of our students, we ask all visitors to adhere to the sign-in protocol. Please stop by the office upon arrival and sign yourself into our **Visitor Registry Book**, don't forget to sign out on your departure.*

## Save the Dates

- Catholic Education Week - May 5-10.
- Carousel Evening May 22
- Grade 8 Graduation **June 19, 10:00 a.m. in our gym.**
- Grade 3 and grade 6 EQAO testing May 21-June 3
- Mass at St. Peter's May 8 at 11:30 a.m. All are Welcome.
- Pay for June pizza online by May 26

## OPEN HOUSE

Wednesday, May 8, 2018

BBQ and STEAM NIGHT (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Math)-5:00 p.m.to 6:30 p.m.

Free Hamburgers, Hot Dogs and Juice!

**HOLY CROSS**



### Volunteer Appreciation Day!

Our Holy Cross community truly values the time, commitment and dedication our volunteers give to our community. We will be having a Volunteer Appreciation Continental Breakfast drop-in on **Tuesday, May 7, 2019** starting at 8:00 am. Please stop by for us to say "Thank You". We sent home an invitation, please send in your RSVP if you haven't done so already. We look forward to seeing you. If by chance you didn't receive an invitation, please accept our apologies in advance and please stop in May 7. Thank you everyone!

### EQAO Testing

*Students in grades 3 and 6 will be writing EQAO Assessments starting on May 22 in reading, writing and math. Please stay tuned for further details.*

### Virtue Of Tolerance

During the month of May, our school will reflect on the virtue of Tolerance. As a caring Catholic school community, our students thrive in an environment that stresses tolerance and acceptance of one another. Tolerance is a belief that every person is sacred. It means more than "to put up with something or someone." It encompasses a set of values of fairness and personal responsibility that are the threshold to a peaceful and equitable society.

### Chocolate Bar Fundraiser

**Thank you to everyone who participated in our chocolate bar fundraiser. All proceeds will be used for student activities throughout the year. Congratulations to our top sellers: Hailey Ouellette, Madisyn Bernard, Kalie Bernard, Megan Barker.**

### **Rotary4Kids**

On March 29, we wore our favourite hats to support Rotary4Kids. Voluntary donations totaled \$181.35 to help youth with disabilities in the North Bay area.

Thank you for your ongoing generosity and helping those in need in our city and surrounding area.

### Summer Clothing

Now that the warmer weather is here after a long winter, students need to be reminded about proper clothing attire. Shorts must sit just above the knee and tank tops at least three fingers wide. If wearing sandals please wear socks with them to avoid any injuries to your feet. Children should be wearing a hat and sunscreen. Depending on the weather, and the wet conditions in our school yard, please continue to send extra clothing with your child.

Thank you for your support regarding this important safety issue.

### Welcome to Kindergarten

If you have a child who will be 4 years old by December 31, 2019, we would like to invite you to an orientation event for your child who will be coming to school in September. If you have registered your child at our school, our Welcome To Kindergarten Day is May 22, starting at 9:30 a.m.

## Catholic School Advisory Council

Our next Catholic School Advisory Council (CSAC) will be held on May 1 from 6:00-7:00 p.m.

## Allergies

A friendly reminder, that there are children in our school with severe, life threatening allergies to peanuts and nuts. We maintain a peanut and nut aware school community, **peanut and nut products are not permitted.**

## Track and Field

Our school track meet, for grades 3-8, will take place Tuesday, May 21 at SJSH. Our school board district meet is scheduled for June 5 for those students who advance from our own school meet. More information to follow.

## Contact Us

**Safe Arrival:**  
705-472-6380

**School Cash Online**  
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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 2019

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 CSAC Meeting 6:00-7:00pm	2 Starburst Play at SJSH 1:15 pm JK-Gr.6	3	4
5 EDUCATION WEEK BEGINS	6	7 Volunteer Gather- ing Breakfast 8:00am –gym	8 Mass at St. Peter's 11:30 am  Open House BBQ 5:00-6:30pm	9 Jump Rope For Heart Event 1:30pm school yard	10 Gr. 7 Vaccina- tions  JK/SK Mother's Day Tea: 1:40 pm	11
12 	13	14  Choir Festival 10- 12pm at SJSH	15	16	17 All Jump Rope For Heart dona- tions back to the school by today	18  Victoria Day Weekend
19  Victoria Day Weekend	20 Victoria Day  	21 Holy Cross school track meet at SJSH	22 Carousel Evening at SJSH  	23 Road Hockey tournament -Lee Park  	24  	25
26 Last day to order Pizza and Milk orders schoolcash online	27  	28  	29  	30  	31  	

## **SUMMER BASKETBALL CAMP 2019\*\*\***

**Summer Hoop Camp** will be operating the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Camp from July 1<sup>st</sup> to July 5<sup>th</sup> and July 8<sup>th</sup> to July 12<sup>th</sup> at St. Joseph-Scollard Hall. The camp will run in two sections this summer.

**Camp 1** - July 1<sup>st</sup> to July 5<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am - 12:00 noon for students grades Kindergarten to 7.  
Doors open at 8:30 am daily.

**Camp 2** - July 8<sup>th</sup> to July 12<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am - 12:00 noon for students grades Kindergarten to 7.  
Doors open at 8:30 am daily.

The emphasis of the camp is on fun and skill development.

The cost of the camp is \$110.00 before June 13<sup>th</sup> (\$115.00 after June 13<sup>th</sup>). Each additional sibling's cost is \$105.00. Enrolment is limited so participants are advised to register early.

For more information call Jim Davidson at 705-497-9505.

Check out our website: [www.summerhoopcamp.com](http://www.summerhoopcamp.com)

Registration forms can be downloaded from the website or picked up at the front office of your child's school or at St. Joseph-Scollard Hall front office.

