

## ST. CARTHAGH CATHOLIC SCHOOL NOVEMBER UPDATE

**Progress Reports and Interviews**-Progress Reports will go home on November 6<sup>th</sup>. Family Conferences are on a request-basis (parents or teachers) on the evening of <u>November 8th</u>. You will receive a letter from the school if the teacher would like to meet with you. Parents are welcome to contact the school if they would like to set up an interview. Parents always have the opportunity to call or meet with teachers as needed throughout the year.

**Donations needed for Christmas Shopping**-Gently used household items, toys, Christmas wrapping paper, gift bags, scotch tape and gift tags wanted! These items will be used at the St. Carthagh Christmas shopping event on December 14<sup>th</sup>. Students are invited to purchase gifts for their family members (up to 4 items), wrap them and take them home with pride! All items are \$1. All proceeds will benefit the Christmas Sharing Program in our community. Volunteers needed on December 14<sup>th</sup> to assist 'shoppers'.

**Terrific Kids**-Our assembly was held on October 25<sup>th</sup> and our virtue was, A Caring Family Member. The following students were recognized: Declan Callaghan, Katelyn Roy, James Fequet, Annelise Howell, Abigail Van Londersele, Brooklyn Hector and Ava Wright. Congratulations!

**Stirling Festival Theatre**-We are happy to say that all students will have the opportunity to attend Stirling Theatre on December 18<sup>th</sup> to see **The Princess and The Pea**. With the assistance of Parent Council we are able to reduce costs this year to \$12.00 per student. Consent forms will be coming home soon and all students are expected to attend.

**Dress for the Weather**-The colder weather is upon us and students are outside for recess for 20 and 25 minute intervals during the day, so it is important to dress accordingly. In order to get the most enjoyment from their time outdoors, please make sure your child has a hat, mitts, winter coat, snow pants and boots for school yard play. These items should be labeled with your child's name.

**Bus Cancellations**-Cancellations due to inclement weather will be announced on the following radio stations CJBQ and MIX 97 at regular intervals in the morning. If the bus does not run in the morning, it will not run at the end of the day. (The only exception to this is a cancellation due to fog). Please remember that if your child is dropped off in the morning, they will need to be picked up promptly at 3:40 dismissal time. All schools within the Algonquin and Lakeshore Catholic District School Board will remain open unless otherwise indicated.

**Everyday Math Games Night**-Thank you to all the families who participated in our Everyday Math Games Night on October 25<sup>th</sup>. It was an educational evening of having fun together as a family while learning math skills. The winners of the prize packages were; Landon Spratt, Ainsley White, Malachi Selmys, Lucy Boyce, Allison McGrath, Connor Sheridan, Lugh Williams and Scarlet Gulliver. Congratulations!



# **ORAL HEALTH SCHOOL SCREENING NOTIFICATION**

#### Date of Screening: November 15 & 16

#### Dental Screenings are being conducted at your child's school for:

- Students in Grades JK, SK & 2.
- Students in Grades 4 and 7 may also be screened.
- Any student as requested by the child/parent.

#### IMPORTANT:

- Parents who do not wish to have their child screened are required to advise the school, in writing, <u>each</u> school year before the scheduled screening date.
- Selected students with urgent treatment needs may be rescreened at this time or at a later date.

#### FYI:

- · Oral health screening is a quick, visual oral assessment using a sterilized mouth mirror.
- The screening is a non-invasive oral assessment which can identify potential concerns.
- · Oral health report cards are sent home with the children to inform parents of any dental concerns.
- The oral screening is conducted under the statutory authority of the Health Protection and Promotion Act.
- This screening should NOT replace your child's regular visit to the dentist.

For more information contact Hastings Prince Edward Public Health		
Phone: 613-966-5500 ext. 680   Toll-free:1-800-267-2803 ext. 680	TTY: 711 or 1-800-267-6511	
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## **FUN FRENCH FACTS**

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

Approximately 60% of English words are of either French origin or Latin origin words that also exist in French!

Encourage your child to be a lifelong learner of French!

November 2018								
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat		
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<b>t</b> Daylight Savings Time Ends	5	6 Report Cards go home	7	8 Picture Retake Day Family Conferences 4:30-7:30	9 School Mass 9:30	10		
11 Remembrance Day	12	13 Lockdown Practice	14	15 HPEHU Dental Screening	<b>16</b> HPEHU Dental Screening Spirit Wear-Last day to order for Christmas delivery	17		
18	19	<b>20</b> Spirit Wear-last day to order	21	22	<b>23</b> Terrific Kids Assembly 9:30	24		
25	26	27	<b>28</b> Parent Council 6:30	29	<b>30</b> PA Day	<b>Dec. 1</b> Santa Claus Parade		