



St. Martin of Tours Catholic School



Final Newsletter 2017-2018

Superintendent of School Effectiveness: Ms. Theresa Kennedy
Principal: Mrs. Patricia Flagler Edwards
Vice Principal: Mr. Stephen Tod
Custodian: Mr. Adam Wannamaker
Administrative Assistant: Mrs. Martie Berthelot

Trustee: Mr. Brian Kerby
School Council Chair: Mrs. Kelli Nicholas
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2018-2019 STAFFING

Staffing for the 2018/2019 School Year is based on current enrolment for September and, as such, there could be changes over the summer months:

Primary / Junior Classroom: Miss P. Raisanen

Junior/Intermediate Classroom: Mrs. R. Armstrong

Prep and Planning Teacher: To Be Determined

Administrative Assistant: To Be Determined

Library Resource Assistant: Mrs. B. Gabourie

Youth Worker: Mrs. J. Prentice

Educational Assistant: To Be Determined

Vice Principal: Mr. S. Tod

Mrs. Berthelot, Ms. Balemba and Mrs. Pridie have all accepted transfers to Our Lady of Mercy. We thank Mrs. C. Barnes for being our Administrative Assistant since Easter and to Miss S. Gatley for her time with us an Educational Assistant.

We extend best wishes and thanks to all of the staff who are leaving us. God Bless. We will provide updates on staffing to the school and community members during the summer months.

Mr. Stephen Tod (Vice-Principal) & Mrs. Flagler-Edwards (Principal)

GRADE 8 GRADUATION



Congratulations Graduates!

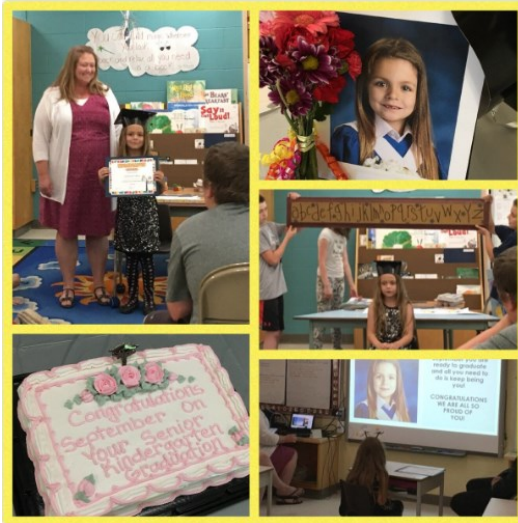
Congratulations to **THOMAS, AIDEN** and **CAMERON** who celebrated their Grade 8 Graduation on FRIDAY, JUNE 22nd.

We are proud of you and your accomplishments. We are confident that you will continue with even more successes.

Good luck in your next adventures in High School.

Ms. Balemba

SENIOR KINDERGARTEN GRADUATION



Congratulations SEPTEMBER!

Growing up has just begun, now you're ready for Grade One! Congratulations on your Senior Kindergarten Graduation, September. You have learned so much and we can't wait to see what you bring to first grade next Fall.

Ms. Raisanen

FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST COMMUNION



Congratulations to these students for receiving the Sacrament of First Reconciliation on Wednesday, June 13th and their First Holy Communion on Sunday, June 17th.



GRADE 8 GRADUATES ARCHERY DAY



The Grade Eight Graduates, **AIDEN, CAMERON & THOMAS**, had a fantastic day at the **FLYING FEATHERS ARCHERY CLUB** on Monday. **A HUGE THANK YOU** to **MR. FLORENT**, President of the Club and to **MR. TOD** for accompanying the students for a great day of archery!

FUNDRAISING FOR THE COMMUNITY GARDEN



In FeWL's first fundraiser the students had to guess how many candies were in the jar. The total was 1902 and **AVA** came the closest with her guess of 2000.

Congratulations to **MADLINE, KYE & TROY** for winning our FeWL Science Trivia Contest.



Way to Go FeWL! Thank you to everyone that supported our Carwash Fundraiser and to staff and parents who lent a hand and supplies. It was a major success! Our goal was \$200 to donate to the Community Garden and we raised \$410.

Thanks to the FeWL Fundraising efforts this year from the "Candy Guess", "Science Trivia Contest" and the "Student Car Wash". A total of **\$160.00** was raised and has been donated to The **COMMUNITY GARDEN** on behalf of the students from St. Martin of Tours C.S. and Whitney Public School.



Fantastic job and Heartfelt Thanks to Our Future Leaders!

We are so Proud of All of You!

JUMP ROPE FOR HEART



Congratulations to the students of St. Martin of Tour's C.S. and Whitney Public School who participated in this year's Jump Rope For Heart Fundraiser.

A combined total of \$ 885.50 was raised for the Heart & Stroke Foundation! Great Job!

CONGRATULATIONS



Congratulations to **KAYLEE** on her Second Place Award in the Royal Canadian Legion District Level Essay Competition.

What a nice surprise to be reminded of the hard work and accomplishments from our learning journey this year!

Ms. Balemba

T-BALL TOURNAMENT



THANK YOU Whitney Public School for inviting us to play T-Ball in Palmer Rapids. Look at these Major Leaguers!!!

Great job everyone!

We had a fun day in the sun!

Ms. Raisanen

YEAR-END TRIP TO OTTAWA



We had an amazing day in Ottawa. We learned about the history of Centre Block, Parliament Hill and experienced many amazing things at the Science and Technology Museum.

WONDERS OF WETLANDS DAY



THANK YOU to **JOY BIBLE CAMP** for hosting the “Wonders of Wetlands Day” on Wednesday, June 6th. We learned so much about wetlands and why we need to take care of and protect them.

Ms. Raisanen

McRAE LUMBER MILL TOUR

WHITNEY PUBLIC SCHOOL and ST. MARTIN OF TOURS C.S. students visited our local lumber mill on Monday, June 11th. **THANK YOU Mr. McRae** for having us. We learned so much and saw amazing machines.

Ms. Raisanen



COMMUNITY SPONSORED BBQ & ACTIVITY DAY



The students and staff of St. Martin of Tours C.S. & Whitney Public School were treated to a wonderful day of fun on Tuesday. **THANK YOU** to **CONSTABLE YARMEL** for sharing the importance of bicycle, motorized vehicle and water safety. **A SPECIAL THANK YOU** to the community organizers of this BBQ and activity Day.

FINAL REPORT CARDS



**FINAL REPORT CARDS
ARE COMING HOME TODAY!!**

SPECIAL THANKS



TO OUR PASTOR Father Malachy Ekezie who has been uniquely called to service in our parish and school. Under his guidance, the Holy Spirit is leading us toward new horizons;

TO ALL OUR PARENT VOLUNTEERS who have given the precious gift of their time to help with special school events and activities;

TO ALL OUR PARENTS for your kindness, co-operation and continued support;

TO OUR SCHOOL COUNCIL MEMBERS for your ongoing commitment to our school and students;

TO OUR WONDERFUL STAFF for their dedication and commitment to the well-being and education of your children—our students. They touch the lives of our children with loving care and dedication every day;

TO THE WHITNEY PUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF for a very successful year together and we look forward to continued relationships and fellowship in the coming years;

TO MR. WANNAMAKER for keeping our school clean and safe; for the thoughtful things you do over and above your job description; for being lunch monitor and yard supervisor and a great BBQ Chef;

TO THE COMMUNITY for your support of our fundraising efforts and for your interest in our students and school;

TO CHARBONNEAU'S FRESHMART for their very generous donation of \$10.00 to each student towards the purchase of their dinner on their end-of-year school trip to Ottawa;

TO OUR WONDERFUL COMMUNITY MEMBERS who sponsored the free end-of-year BBQ lunch and activity day for our students and staff. Your kindness is very much appreciated.



*Wishing you All
A Fun-Filled and
Safe Summer*