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Subject: Thursday Letter



Dear Parents,

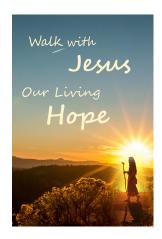
We are looking forward to seeing (one!) of you on Monday and/or Tuesday night for our Meet the Teacher evenings. Normally we have the AGM on this evening as well, however that is postponed to a later date. Each 30 minute session will be 20 minutes of presentation, and then a 10 minute opportunity to walk through the classroom if you choose. *Please read the schedule carefully, as the sessions do not follow a chronological grade order.*

A reminder email with finer details will come home on Monday.

See you next week!

Yours in faith,

Maureen Moorehead Principal



"I will walk by faith, even when I cannot see." 2 Corinthians 5:7



<u>Outside Recess Regardless of Weather</u> – A reminder that recess is outdoors for all students every day, regardless of the weather. Students should come with a rain jacket and boots. Extra socks in the school bag will help if feet get wet.

<u>Welcome to all our Kinder students</u>! - Kindergarten has now finished gradual entry, and today was their first full day of school all together. Welcome!

<u>Meet the Teacher Evenings</u> – A reminder that **Meet the Teacher** takes place on Monday and Tuesday evening next week (28th and 29th) **in the school gym**. Only **ONE parent** from each family may attend. (See email from Ms. Moorehead sent home on **Sept. 18th** for further details.) The schedule is as follows:

Please note the schedule does NOT follow a chronological grade order!

Monday, Sept. 28th - 6:00 to 8:30 pm

Kinder 6:00 to 6:30 pm **Gr. 2** 6:30 to 7:00 pm 7:00 to 7:30 pm **Gr. 3** 7:30 to 8:00 pm

Tuesday, Sept. 29th – 6:00 to 8:30 pm

Gr. 4 6:00 to 6:30 pm **Gr. 6** 6:30 to 7:00 pm **Gr. 5** 7:00 to 7:30 pm **Gr. 7** 7:30 to 8:00 pm

No School Friday, Oct. 9th and Monday, Oct. 12th – Professional day on Oct. 9th, and Thanksgiving Monday on Oct. 12th.



When Parents Have Concerns – If at any time you have a concern regarding your child, a school event, a staff member, or an incident that happened, we ask that you please come and speak with your child's teacher. The only way that concerns can be effectively resolved is through open communication between home and school, resulting in accurate information being shared, and an informed understanding of your concern.

<u>Planning the school year?</u> – If you are looking for professional days, dates for school holidays, etc., our online calendar is updated to June 2021. The calendar can be accessed through the school web site at www.stpaulschool.ca.

When your Child is Sick — In anticipation of cold and flu season, we'd like to remind parents to be prudent when it comes to deciding when to keep your child home, or when to send him/her to school if he/she has just recovered from being ill. Some basic guidelines are as follows: 24 hours after temperature returns to normal, or after gastrointestinal illness (vomiting/diarrhea); contagious infections such as suspected pink eye or strep throat; unexplained skin rash; severe cough and cold symptoms. Exercising proper hand washing techniques is also crucial to helping prevent the spread of viruses. This will go a long way to keep our student and staff population happy and at school.

<u>Birthday Celebrations</u> – A reminder that birthday celebrations (treats, give-aways and gifts) are NOT permitted until further notice.

