



St. Theodore School

Where the knowledge of God is the foundation of learning

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June Newsletter

Dear Families,

We hope that everyone is well and we miss you like crazy! It's so quiet at the school but the teachers have still been hard at work planning at-home learning, growing in our own learning by participating in lots of professional development, and planning for next year. We pray we can be together soon. Keep safe and healthy!

Mrs. L. Klemetski

****Google Meet** is our virtual classroom. Click on the link on your email for your children to join us weekly in June. We'd love to see their faces. Gr 5-8 Wednesdays 1pm. Grade K-3 Thursdays 10am or 2:30pm alternating.

****Grade 5 to 8 students** can apply for the Theodore and District Rec Board **Spirit of Youth award**. There are 2 monetary awards for students who participate and are leaders in our community with volunteerism, sports and culture. Students are asked to write a paragraph of how you help with your community. Then send into Mrs. Klemetski either by email or in writing and leave in your mailbox. Due Friday, June 12.

****Thank you** to our wonderful students and parents who participated in supplemental learning. Please return any school work for feedback and assessment by June 19th.

****Year end progress reports** will be ready for pick-up in your family mailbox outside the school on June 26th. Please return your key by leaving it inside the school or in your mailbox.

Have Some Summer Fun 😊

This is not the summer we had hoped or planned for. But wait. There really is still fun to be had. With a little bit of imagination, we can connect with family and friends, and find ways to express gratitude for others.

It's time to write down a list of activities you and your family want to do this summer. This is not a homework assignment. It's about finding the joy that still exists inside you — kids and adults alike. *Get the first few ideas out. Now keep going, because that's when the ideas get ridiculous and really fun.*

If you want to know what your kids are thinking these days, ask them to make their own lists (and don't critique them). They'll tell you what they're thinking in those lists. And some of their ideas will be possible.

But it can get you to figure out what's important to you, get your kids to think about what's still possible and fun, and connect you to the people you love (even by Zoom).

Check out the website

<https://www.cnn.com/2020/05/22/health/100-things-to-do-this-summer-wellness-trnd/index.html>

But here are a few of my favorites:

1. Face painting
2. Lego challenge
3. Chalk art museum
4. Eat somewhere else
5. Make music
6. Plan a photo shoot
7. Capture the flag at night
8. Glow-in-the-dark treasure hunt

St. Theodore Virtual Awards Wednesday, June 24

YOUTUBE LINK WILL BE EMAILED OUT TO FAMILIES. AWARDS FOR VIRTUES, GOLDEN BRUSH, MATH WIZARD, ATHLETICS RECOGNITION, SPIRIT OF YOUTH, KINDERGARTEN AND GRADE 8'S.

CONGRATULATIONS TO...

Kindergarten Students

Aria Chrobot

Hunter Folk-Larson

Hailey Klatt

Grade 8 Students

Riley Gibson

Jagger Ryczak

Library Book Return

Please have your child return any school library or classroom library books. All books are asked to be returned by June 19th.

Thank you to everyone who supported the Growing Smiles Plant fundraiser. It was much appreciated!

Kindergarten Registrations

If your child, or you know of a child who will be 5 years old by December 31, 2020, he/she is eligible to begin Kindergarten in the fall. Registration forms can be emailed to you from ana.klemetski@cttcs.ca or are available at the CTTCS office at 45A Palliser Way. Children from all faiths are welcome to register!

Questions and Answers from SCSBA website:

<https://opencatholiceducation.ca/for-parents/>

Are we Catholic enough to enroll?

We're open to any family who wants a Catholic, faith-based education for their children. So, it's up to you.

How do you accommodate non-Catholic students?

It is an expectation that students attend and participate in the religious elements of Catholic education since these experiences are core to what we offer. Faith is a very personal thing, so we will not force students to recite a prayer, for example. But we will encourage them to learn about the Catholic faith in class and participate in events at a level at which they are comfortable.



End of the Year Prayer

*Father in heaven,
we have learned many things
and have grown in many ways this year.
We ask your blessing upon us.
Send us your Spirit to
protect, lead and guide us
so that we may continue to grow
in wisdom, grace and love.
In your name we pray, Amen*