

APRIL/MAY
2018

MUSTANG COUNTRY NEWS

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IMPORTANT DATES:

**APRIL 24TH – RECOGNITION
ASSEMBLY LOVE**

**APRIL 25TH – SPRING
PHOTOS/GRAD RETAKES**

**APRIL 26TH – BATTLE OF THE
BOOKS BRADFORD LIBRARY**

APRIL 27TH – PA DAY

**APRIL 30TH – PARENT
COUNCIL MEETING @ 6:00**

**MAY 1ST & 2ND FIRE
PREVENTION GRADE 3**

**MAY 7– 11TH CATHOLIC
EDUCATION WEEK**

MAY 7 – 9TH MOVEMENT X

MAY 8-11TH BOOK FAIR

**MAY 10TH – INTERMEDIATE
RUGBY TOURNAMENT**

**GRADE 7 CONFIRMATION
MAY 12TH @ 2:00**

**KINDERGARTEN INFO
MEETING
MAY 16TH @ 6:30**

**MAY 17TH ELECTRICITY
SAFETY PRESENTATION**

**MAY 18TH - RECOGNITION
ASSEMBLY SERVICE**

**MAY MAY 23RD – MAY 31ST
GR. 3 & 6 EQAO TESTING**

**MAY 29TH – GRADE 7
IMMUNIZATION**

JUNE 1ST P.A. DAY

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“OUR STORY, OUR JOURNEY”

It is hard to believe that we are closing in on the end of another school year. The students have been working hard academically and as a community in the numerous co-curricular activities offered at the school.

As the weather improves, please be sure to protect your little Mustang from the sun. Please ensure that your child has a hat, water and that sunscreen has been applied at home.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Kindergarten Registration is ongoing. To help parents and students get ready for this important milestone, our board has developed an award-winning package. We encourage parents who are looking to register their child for Kindergarten to drop by the office to pick up a copy of the package.

All of the information forms you require to register your child for kindergarten at St. Marie of the Incarnation School have been posted on our school website. **Please join us for our Kindergarten Information meeting scheduled for Wednesday, May 16th, at 6:30 pm.**

We are here to answer questions and help you prepare. Please contact us at **905-775-3492** for more information.

SCHOOL DAY REGISTRATION

Thank you to the many families who have already registered for school-day. Once registered, you will be able to order and pay for products and activities, register for activities and events, approve permission forms and order and pay for food options on-line. Register at www.school-day.com and use the “Secure Match Key” sent home earlier this month with your child. If you have misplaced the letter or are having any difficulties, please call the school.

SAFE ARRIVAL

Thank you to all parents/guardians who continue to call the safe arrival line when your child is going to be absent. Another option is to use the school on-line safe arrival form, which can be found on the school web-site.



GO MUSTANGS GO!

Thank you to Mr. Hammersley and Mr. Costa for working with and taking a group of our students to the Chess tournament this week. The Chess team played with great skill, sportsmanship and represented our school well. Way to go team!!!

Our ice hockey team had a great season. With determination, perseverance and teamwork, they ended their season with two wins at the Bradford tournament. Thank you to Coach Gilles and Coach Hammersley for all of their work with our hockey team. Go Mustangs!!

Good luck to our Battle of the Books, Rugby and Co-ed Volleyball teams who will be participating in tournaments the next few weeks. All of these students have been working hard to prepare for these events. Thank you to Ms. Barron, Ms. Palmer, Ms. Borgh and Mr. Petrovich for their guidance and leadership with these teams.

Upcoming spring events are baseball and track and field. Students should listen for announcements about these sports.

SOCIAL JUSTICE TEAM

Our Social Justice Team recently hosted a Silent Day for all children around the world who do not have a voice. A big thank you to the St. Marie Community who together brought in loose change and raised almost \$300 to support this cause.

STAR (STUDENTS AS RESEARCHERS) TEAM

StAR is a Ministry backed program meant to engage student's voice and affect change in schools. Our St. Marie's StAR team, consisting of Gabriela F., Jonathan F., Alessia M. and Ethan A., conducted primary research regarding student leadership within our school community. The results were very positive. Our team will be travelling to Toronto next week to present their research findings at the Ministry of Education Symposium. Thank you to Mr. Petrovich for all of his guidance and support assisting this team.

CONFIRMATION AND FIRST COMMUNION

Students in grade seven will be receiving the sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday May 12th at Holy Martyr's of Japan Church. Grade two students will celebrate First Communion with their families throughout the next several weeks. Congratulations to all of our grade two and seven students!!



A MESSAGE FROM PARENT COUNCIL

Please remember that Little Caesar's fundraiser is due April 18th and Yearbook orders are due April 20th.

Our next Parent Council meeting is April 30th, at 6:00. We hope to see you there