



SACRED HEART SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

At today's CISVA Cross Country Championships I am reminded how fortunate I am to be part of such an amazing community. This year over 30 schools participated in this event. As a Catholic community we have come together to celebrate the athletic gifts and hard work of our students. I congratulate all of you on your effort and for representing our school in a way that makes us proud. Thank you to all of the parents and coaches, and Mr. Jones in particular, for your commitment to our programme and for supporting the children throughout the cross country season.

God Bless,
Kelly Kozack

Federal Election Debate from a Catholic Perspective: All are welcome to learn more about the major political parties' platforms at a live broadcast from the Archdiocese of Toronto's 1st ever debate. Representatives from the major parties will discuss plans for addressing issues of importance to Canada's Catholic community, including poverty, life issues, Christian persecution, political discourse, and climate change. It will be streamed live Thursday, Oct. 3, starting at 4:30 p.m. (PDT) at the John Paul II Pastoral Centre in Vancouver. For more information go to: <https://rcav.org/event/federal-election-debate-from-a-catholic-perspective/>

Picture Day Thursday October 10th: After Picture Day, order your pictures on mylifetouch.ca using your Portrait ID and Access Code which can be found on your Picture Day order form. The form will come home after pictures are taken.

Call-Out for Volunteers: October 10th is picture day! If you would be interested in helping the photographers out by calling on classes to be ready and keeping the children in lines we would love to hear from you. Please check that your criminal record check is up to date. Pictures start at 9AM and end around 2:30PM. Please contact Jordan Kinghorn to sign up.

jordan_kinghorn@hotmail.com

Volunteer to do Laundry: We are looking for a parent to volunteer to do laundry for the materials in the sensory room. Please contact Sandra Batista or Kayleigh Cantwell at sbatista@shsdelta.org or kcantwell@shsdelta.org if you are interested in this volunteer opportunity.

Crosswalk Volunteers Needed: Although some parents volunteered for this important position, more parents are needed to help keep our students safe by directing traffic at the school entrance and Parish Centre. This is a convenient way to get parent hours because you can arrive at school a little early or stay a little later after school to ensure the safety of families at Sacred Heart. The commitment would involve arriving at the school for 8:20 and direct traffic until 8:50. Alternatively, you can arrive at school for 2:50 and direct traffic until 3:20. Each time you volunteer, it will count for an hour toward your volunteer hours. Interested parents, please contact Brandy Grund at bgrund@shsdelta.org.

Positive Discipline Parent Workshop: Sarah Joseph, a registered social worker, is presenting a Positive Discipline parent workshop on Saturday, October 19th from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm at Sacred Heart School. Positive Discipline is a program to teach children and youth how to become responsible, respectful and resourceful members of their communities. The cost of the workshop is \$25. A snack and lunch will be provided.

Missions Club: There will be a coin drive from Monday September 30th - Friday October 11th until in honor of the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi. All proceeds go to [Chalice](#).

Family Potluck: The next family potluck will be held on October 13! Let's continue to build our community! All families welcome. Please join us on the second Sunday of each month after 5PM Mass for a simple potluck dinner. Bring a main dish, salad or appetizer to share. The parish centre will be open at 4:50pm if you need to drop off items before Mass. Please contact timstephdumas@gmail.com if you have any questions.

October Hot Lunch: Hot lunch for October is now open for ordering, orders must be placed by Wednesday, October 23 and be paid in full.

Useful Contacts

School office: office@shsdeltat.org

Used uniforms: getpats@gmail.com

Parent Volunteer Portal: jordan_kinghorn@hotmail.com



Sacred Heart Parish News for Wednesday Oct. 2nd

FEAST DAY OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI this Friday, October 4th



Blessing of the Animals – on the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi and conscience of the Call from Pope Francis on the environment and caring of all God's Creatures, Sacred Heart Parish will have the **Blessing of the Animals at 5:00 PM**– Please meet Fr. with your pet **behind the Monastery**.

Mass: The Italian Community of Ladner and Tsawwassen invites all who would like to pay homage to the Patron Saint of Italy, St. Francis of Assisi, to celebrate **Mass starting at 6:00** in the Monastery Chapel. A social gathering to follow in the Council Room. For more information please call Lena Galamini at 943-0850

This Sunday, Oct 6th is our Monthly Food collection for those in our local community in need. Non-expired, non-perishable food items gratefully accepted. Please place your items in the boxes in the foyer of the Church. Thank you for your generosity.



St. Monica Guild Corner

Ladies, lets have some fun! Our next St Monica Guild meeting is on Monday, Oct 7th at 7pm in the Council Room - Monastery, and our theme is OktoberFest. Please come and enjoy bratwurst & sauerkraut, music, line dancing, and maybe a beer... Please contact Lynne Willox with any questions, or if you need a ride (604)789-1912 or saintmonicaguild@shsdelta.org

Donate your talents; donate your time to the Sacred Heart Parish Christmas Market – Saturday, November 2nd Please put aside a jar or two of your delicious Jams, Jellies or Preserves for our Christmas Market (Health regulations require that all jars are sealed with lids - not wax).

Please also remember to include us on your Christmas baking list.

Sandwich Fillings: Donations of canned ham, salmon tuna and asparagus (not pickled) would be greatly appreciated. A box marked "Sandwich Makings" will be in the foyer of the church.



We would also appreciate donations of: Treasures for the Curios & Collectibles booth (China, Crystal, Figurines etc). Gently used childrens' books and games and toys, jewellery, ladies purses, as well as religious items. Collection bins are in the foyer of the church. Come and enjoy the spirit of this wonderful Christmas Market by volunteering your time! There will be many volunteers opportunities, not only on the big day but in preparation as well. We are looking for a co-convenor, booth leads for the Collectables; Purses booths; and Childrens' craft table.

Please contact Lynne Willox at 604-789-2912 or email: saintmonicaguild@shsdelta.org to donate, volunteer or for more information about the Christmas Market.