



ST FRANCIS NEWS

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Cleaning up the school yard. Thank you!



COMING UP THIS MONTH

- Picture Day Oct 3rd
- NO SCHOOL: OCT 9th
- LockDown Drill Oct 12th
- Awards Sept 27th 1:10

News from the Office

October is a month when the days seem to be getting shorter and much cooler. Please make sure students are coming to school with coats or sweaters for outside. Some days might feel warmer but then on other days they will need the extra layers. If items go missing please remind your child about our lost and found (every so often we post items on Facebook to help families see if they are missing anything).

We thank each one of you for coming to our Open House. We appreciate the feedback we received. Please remember for any event we have at the school when we ask you to pre-register is it so that we order enough food and have the correct type needed for the evening.

We are slowly introducing new classes to Edsby. We have three classes so far, who are enrolled and families have been invited using the email we have for you. We are just waiting on permission from the board office and will be inviting other classes. As you get logged in, if you see information that needs to be updated please just let us know.

Picture Day is Tuesday and so is an anti-bullying presentation!



Students enjoying the breakfast club!



Students on the Terry Fox Run

Volunteer

- We are looking for helping on Wednesdays for Pizza Day from 11:30-12:00. Call the office and let us know!

Halloween Fun

Some important information

- Halloween celebrations will take place in individual classrooms and we will have a parade around the school.
- Families should discuss with their classroom teacher about the options for treats on this day. A great option is a non-food item to share.
- Please NO props that are violent or dangerous. We also ask that students not wear masks or anything that hides their face
- Students are to come to school already dressed in their costumes or wear black and orange

Letting us know your child will not be at school

- We appreciate when your child is ill and staying home that you let the office or teacher know. For the office, you can do this a variety of ways:
- email the school at stfrancis@sudburycatholicschools.ca
- call the school 705-674-0701 - leave a message at anytime (24/7) Press 1 to leave a message or if you want to talk to someone press 2
- And soon happening for all...you can indicate it in Edsby!

Cultural and Language Learning

Is your child ready to embark on a cultural journey? We're thrilled to introduce this year's International Heritage and Language Classes for kindergarten to grade 8 students!

Explore the charm of Italy

Immerse in the beauty of Yoruba

Dive into the richness of Igbo

When? Every Saturday from 9:30 AM to 11:30 AM.

Where? St. Albert Learning Centre

\$25 activity fee per student

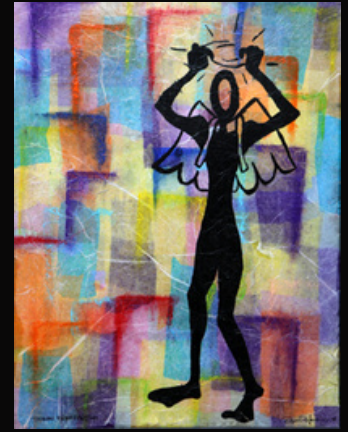
Early registration is key to help us plan effectively!

Contact Christina Raso from St Albert School at 705-673-3031 for more details.

Italian: <https://forms.gle/wfYuv9SNc75J1WYX6>

Yoruba: <https://forms.gle/rhXwz2jSss6p8dc17>

Igbo: <https://forms.gle/KmpNQ86pQgwb66ZU8>



Virtue of the Month: FAITH

During the month of October, our Catholic Schools celebrate the value of FAITH.

Our faith brings us together as we share a common belief in God and in the gospel of Christ. We are rooted in our Catholic faith and as a community, express our identity through living out the gospel values. As a caring school community, we encourage our students to examine and evaluate their beliefs. We want them to make informed moral decisions, integrating faith with life. During the month of October, we encourage you to talk to your child about their faith and to help them and guide them with their questions. In your conversations, refer to the teachings of Jesus. Take opportunities to read the bible with them. Pray with your children, for prayer brings us closer to God and we begin to know God as a friend.

God, thank You for this day!

Thank You for the birds and the animals, the flowers and the trees, the lakes and the streams, and the sun that rises and sets over them each day.

Thank You for creating everything we see!

Thank You for the life we live, and for making each person different.

AMEN