Greetings Holy Name Community,

Welcome to the month of June! As the weather continues to warm up and we are graced with sunny weather, classes will be enjoying more time outdoors over the next few weeks. Please continue to send your child(ren) with a reusable water bottle and hat.

Jump Rope For Heart: The Jump Rope for Heart Day will be held on <u>Thursday June 8th, 2023</u>. Our school goal is \$6000. Upon reaching our goal students will be rewarded with the following incentives: *Teachers Vs Students Volleyball Game, Gr. K-6 Sports Day & Gr 7/8 Dance and a Frozen treat*. The direct link to our school fundraising page is https://jumpropeforheart.crowdchange.ca/23068 Please see the attached letter for further information.

HNE 2023 Jump Rope for Heart Letter.pdf

Grade 6 EQAO: The Grade 6 students will be participating in EQAO assessments this week from <u>June 5th to June 9th</u>. Testing will focus on the areas of Reading, Writing and Math. We wish the grade 6 students the very best as they work to complete their EQAO testing.

SPLICE Week (Grade 7 & 8): The Intermediate Division will begin SPLICE Week from June 6 to June 9th. Throughout the week, students will engage in a student-directed, inquiry-driven project as they document their learning process and reflect on challenges and successes. The final projects will be presented to the school on <u>Friday June 9</u>. We look forward to the many creations and innovations as students participate in this great learning experience.

Pay It Forward Kindness Campaign: The Healthy Schools Committee is launching a Pay It Forward Kindness Campaign. This campaign will focus on Random Acts of Kindness both inside and outside of the classroom. Students will receive a Kindness Ticket when they are 'caught,' doing a random act of kindness, working together as a team and/or using kind words. At the end of the campaign, tickets from each class will be counted and the class (one per division) with the most tickets will receive an extra recess/gym time. This campaign will run from June 1 to June 16.

CSC Playday Event: The CSC Playday event will take place on Friday June 16. Volunteers are needed for the day. If you are interested in helping out on that day please complete the attached google form: https://forms.gle/AiHAAXvkpBDJZKjF6

End of Year Mass: We are pleased to honor our Grade 8 graduates at our end-of-year mass with Father John. Please note the revised date for the mass will be on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>June 28th</u>. During this mass, we will also recognize our students that have received the Sacraments of Communion and Confirmation. As we look forward to celebrating these wonderful moments together, please be mindful that there is limited space available in our school gymnasium. Every effort will be made to accommodate all guests.

2022/2023 School Yearbook: The 2022/2023 School Yearbook will be available for purchase on the School Day Cashless System beginning Monday June 5. The cost for the Yearbook is \$25.75. Please sign onto the School Day App (ensure you have registered your child), go to 'upcoming events' and select '2022/2023 Holy Name Yearbook'. From there you can view further details and make the online payment. Please contact the office if you have any questions or need assistance.

School Dress Code: There has been a significant improvement in the dress code attire over the last few weeks. Thank you for your continued support in this area. As the weather continues to warm up, students are reminded to be in dress code and that the following items are <u>not</u> permitted to be worn at school; tank tops, spaghetti strap tops, halter tops, flip flops or crocs. Further information may be found on the school website, <u>hne.ycdsb.ca.</u>

School Day Cashless System: The School Day Cashless System continues to be a great success. The following events are currently available for consent and/or online payment:

- Grade 3 Scientist in the School
- FDK Celebration of Learning T-Shirt/Keepsake
- 2022/2023 Holy Name Yearbook (FDK-Grade 8)

If you require assistance please contact the school.

Sign in/Sign out Binder: A friendly reminder that if your child is late or leaving early a parent must enter the school building to sign their child in or out. This will greatly assist the office staff in ensuring that student attendance is captured accurately.

Parish News: For Sacred Heart Parish news, please see the Church Bulletin

Upcoming dates:

June 5-9: EQAO Testing (Grade 6)

June 5: Volunteer Appreciation Brunch

-2022/2023 Yearbook Orders begin on SchoolDay

June 6-9: SPLICE Week (Grade 7 & 8)

June 7: Scientist in the School (Grade 1 & Grade 3)

June 8: Jump Rope for Heart Day

June 12: Yearbook Orders due

June 13: Intermediate Girls Soccer Tournament

June 14: CSC meeting at 7:00 pm in school library

June 15: Intermediate Boys Soccer Tournament

June 16: CSC School Play Day

Have a wonderful week,

C. Zorzi F. Rossy

Principal Vice Principal