



Holy Name Catholic School

Weekly Update

June 2 - 6, 2025

Holy Name Families,

June is here, and we're gearing up for a fantastic finish to the school year! This month, students will be wrapping up projects, participating in fun end-of-year activities, and preparing for a smooth transition to the next grade. Please remind your child of the importance of staying focused and engaged and ending the school year on a positive note. We thank you for your continued support and look forward to the many exciting events and celebrations happening throughout the month.

Active School Travel: This month, the focus is on promoting walking and cycling and the benefits of active travel to and from school. **Bike to School Week**, taking place from **June 2 to 6th**, encourages staff and students across Ontario to participate in cycling and wheeling activities while celebrating healthy, sustainable transportation choices. Take the opportunity to take a walk or cycle in your neighbourhood with your family, get to know your neighbours, explore what's in your neighbourhood, and teach your children the rules of the road while enjoying the outdoors.



Grade 8 Extended Day Trip: This **Thursday, June 5th**, our grade 8 students will be heading to Camp Muskoka to enjoy an extended day trip outdoors, engaging in a variety of community-building and co-operative team-building activities. It is sure to be a wonderful day where many great memories will be made. Information regarding drop-off and pick-up times was sent home with students. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact your child's teacher.

Family Fun Fair: Our Family Fun Fair is quickly approaching and will take place on **Friday, June 13th**. A friendly reminder **that all meals must be PRE-ORDERED** and that all Meal and Play Pass tickets are available via our School Day App. The last day to place orders is **Monday, June 2nd**. Snack items such as ice cream, funnel cakes, etc., can be purchased the evening of the Fun Fair directly from the Food Trucks. See attached flyers for more details. [Family Fun Fair](#), [Meal Order Options](#)

EQAO: This week, our grade 3 and 6 students will be writing the provincial Assessment of Reading, Writing, and Mathematics. These assessments, developed by Ontario teachers and assessment experts, are administered to all Grade 3 and Grade 6 students in Ontario's publicly funded school system by the Education Quality and Accountability Office (EQAO). For more information about EQAO and to view a sample test, visit EQAO's website, www.eqao.com.



Healthy Snack: This week, we will once again be offering a Healthy Snack. Healthy snacks provide essential nutrients that help children stay focused, energized, and ready to learn. This week's healthy snack is individually *Made Good* Granola Bar and Bartlett Pears. Granola Bar ingredients are the following: **Ingredients (Strawberry):** Pure gluten free oats*, Sugars* (agave syrup*, brown rice syrup*, invert cane syrup*), Strawberry flavoured pieces* (apple juice concentrate*, apple puree concentrate*, rice flour*, strawberry puree*, cocoa butter*, pectin, cherry juice concentrate*, natural flavour), Sunflower oil*, Brown rice crisps*, Zante currants*, Gluten free oat flour*, Vegetable extracts (spinach, broccoli, carrots, tomatoes, beets, shiitake mushrooms), Natural flavour*, Agar, Salt.

School Dress Code: As the weather begins to warm up, students are reminded that they are to be in dress code appropriate for school. Students are not permitted to wear short shorts, tank tops, spaghetti strap tops, halter tops, flip flops, or Crocs. We thank you for your continued support in ensuring students are in proper school dress code.

Sacrament of Confirmation: On **Sunday, June 8th**, our Grade 7 students will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation at Sacred Heart Church. We offer our heartfelt congratulations and prayers, asking the Holy Spirit to guide and bless each one of them as they take this important step in their faith journey.


School Bus Reminder: As we continue to prioritize student safety in every part of the school day, we'd like to remind everyone about the importance of proper behaviour on the school bus. Student safety while on the bus is essential, and following bus rules helps keep everyone safe. We kindly ask that students are reminded to **remain seated** at all times while the bus is moving, **keep noise levels low** so the driver can concentrate, and **listen to and follow the driver's instructions** at all times. These simple actions go a long way in creating a safe, respectful, and calm ride for all.

P. A. Day: A reminder to all families that **Monday, June 9th**, is a P.A. Day and there is no school for students on this day.

Save the Dates:

- Our **Kindergarten Celebration of Learning** will be taking place in our school gymnasium on **Tuesday, June 17, 2025**. More information will be sent home as the day approaches. Please see the attached [invitation](#) from our Kindergarten teachers.
- **Grade 8 Graduation Mass** will take place on **Friday, June 20th**. **Grade 8 Graduation and Ceremony** will take place on **Tuesday, June 24th**. Please see the attached [invitation](#) for more details.

Parish News: For Sacred Heart Parish news, please see the [Church Bulletin](#)

	<p>June 8- Grade 7 Sacrament of Confirmation at Sacred Heart Church</p> <p>June 9- P. A. Day No School for Students</p> <p>June 10- Joseph Cast Party</p> <p>June 12- Grade 6 trip to the Recreational Outdoor Centre</p> <p>June 13- Family Fun Fair/BBQ</p> <p>June 14- Grade 2 First Communion at Sacred Heart Church</p> <p>June 15- Happy Father's Day</p> <p>June 17- FDK Celebration of Learning</p> <p>June 18- Track and Field Meet @ St. Max CHS</p> <p>June 19- Last CSC Meeting @ 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>June 20- Grade 8 Graduation Mass @ 9:15 a.m. in gymnasium</p> <p>- Family Fun Fair (Rain Date)</p>
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Wishing you a wonderful week ahead!

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