

Sacred Heart Community School Newsletter

Create in me a clean heart, O God. Renew a loyal spirit within me. Psalm 51:10

January 6, 2012

Visit us @ <http://sheart.htcsd.ca>

Dates to Remember:

- January 9 – SCC Meeting
- January 11 – iKeep Safe Presentation
- January 12 – Early dismissal, 2:50 p.m.
- January 13 – Crazy Day
Grade 6, 7, & 8 dance at
St. Michael
- January 23 – 27 – No school for ECE and
PreKindergarten
- January 27 – Family Literacy Day

Please Phone in Absences

We would like to ask that parents phone the school when your child will be absent or late. If you do not phone the school, we'll attempt to call you to confirm your child is absent or late for school. By doing this, we will be able to ensure that all students arrive at school safely. Please call the office between 8 and 9 a.m. or during lunch. Please be advised if the office cannot get a hold of you at home, we will be contacting you at your place of work or your emergency contact.



PreKindergarten / E.C.E. Program

There will be no school for the PreKindergarten and E.C.E. students during the week of Monday, January 23, to Friday, January 27. The teachers will be arranging home visits and meetings with caregivers throughout the week.

Students Staying for Lunch

There are no microwaves available. Please remember students are to bring their own forks and spoons. We strive to be a healthy school so please limit sugar based snacks and please do not send pop or energy drinks.

***** Please avoid peanut butter and other peanut based foods. *****

With the new year upon us, lunch fees are due. Please contact the school if you require further information.

Cell Phone Use

Please note that cell phones brought to school need to be **"OFF"** and stored in the student's backpack. The phone should remain stored away while the student is on school property. Violation will result in the phone being removed and placed in the office for safe keeping until a parent can pick it up.



S.C.C.

The S.C.C. is collecting Canadian Tire money that will be used to purchase items for Sacred Heart. If you'd like to help there is a donation box at the school!

HAPPY NEW YEAR

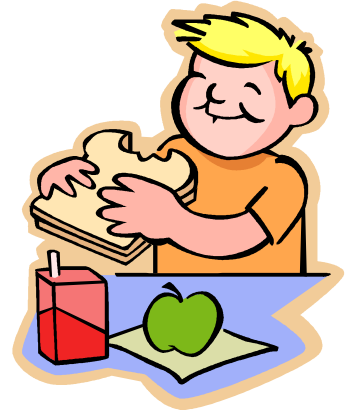
Lunch Registration Form

Noon lunch fees are \$15.00 per child per month to a maximum for \$45.00 per family per month. Please make cheque payable to Sacred Heart Community School.


Parents Name: _____

My Child(ren): _____

Wish to stay for the month(s) of _____.



SCC Meeting
Monday, January 9, 2012
at 7 p.m.



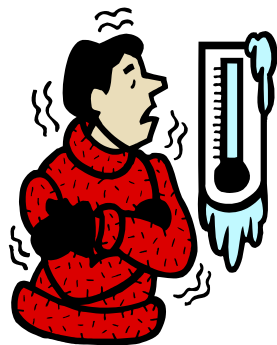
**Childcare is
provided in
the gym.**



Basketball season has started!
The boys first practice will be
Monday, January 9, 8 a.m.
in the gym; girls will
practice at **noon**.

Game schedules will be sent home
and posted on the Sacred Heart
website in the next few days!

Cold Weather Admittance of Students



We are now into colder weather and our cold weather policy is in effect. A coloured sign will be placed in the window of each entrance to let students know what to do.

Green – Students come into their classrooms in the morning and at noon when recess and lunch students stay in at noon hour.

Yellow – When the wind chill and temperature combined is between -20°C and -25°C , students come in to warm up in the morning. At noon students come into the entrances to warm up and then go back outside. Recess will be outdoors and lunch students will be dismissed at 12:20 pm and are expected to go outside.

Red – Students remain outdoors when the wind chill is warmer than -20°C . Students are not to come into the school and should be in their areas.

It is important that in our winter months, parents monitor their children's dress to ensure that they are dressed appropriately and safely for the weather conditions. Also, students should not arrive before 8:50 a.m.



THANK YOU

The Sacred Heart students and staff would like to offer our sincere thanks to the following volunteers who helped out with our Christmas Gift Giveaway, the Christmas “Store”, and the Christmas Hamper/Advent Collection:

Sacred Heart SCC, the Social Justice Committee from Church of Our Lady, Vanier practicum students, our parent volunteers, and the staff of Sacred Heart that donated their time.

Together you helped make the holidays a little brighter for many families in our community!

Sacred Heart Bell Times

9:00 amFirst bell
9:05 am.....Classes begin
10:35 am.....A.M. recess
11:50 am.....Lunch
12:45 pm.....First bell after lunch
12:50 pm.....Classes begin
2:20 pm.....P.M. recess
3:35 pm.....Dismissal

S.H.O.C.K. News

January 13 – Crazy Day!
Style your hair crazy, wear your craziest outfit!



January 16-20 – Kickball
teams from kindergarten to grade 4 will play during morning and afternoon recess.

January 23-27 – Grade 5-8s will play basketball during morning and afternoon recess.

Sacred Heart is proud to be an *in motion* school. The following is an excerpt from the *in motion* website:

“An *in motion* school is committed to the goal of providing a *minimum* of 30 minutes of physical activity every day for every student over and above a quality physical education program. The school values the benefits of physical activity and ensures that it’s an observable priority in the daily life of all students.”



Welcome!

We’ve had a few changes over the break and the staff of Sacred Heart would like to welcome Mrs. Warren back from her maternity leave.

We also have a new caretaker, Mr. Kirschman, who was previously at St. Agnes.

Welcome to the school!

January 2012

SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9 S.C.C. Meeting 7 p.m.	10	11 iKeep Safe Presentation	12 Early dismissal 2:50 p.m.	13 Crazy Day! Grade 6, 7, & 8 Dance at St. Michael
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
No school for PreKindergarten and E.C.E. students						
28	29	30	31			