

# LE MESSENGER

ÉCOLE ST-SACREMENT BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL



OCTOBER 2022

## 'WE WALK BY FAITH,'

(2 Corinthians 5:7)

### Chères familles d'ESS et communauté,

We have so much to be grateful for. I wanted to hold back on sending this newsletter in order to include our heartfelt thanks for your support of our walkathon fundraiser. What a beautiful day we had together last Friday.

*Valuable is the work you do...*

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*Outstanding is how you always come through.*

*Loyal, sincere and full of good cheer,*

*Untiring in your efforts throughout the year...*

*Notable are the contributions you make.*

*Trustworthy in every project you take.*

*Eager to reach you're every goal.*

*Effective in the way fulfill your role.*

*Ready with a smile like a shining star,*

*Special and wonderful – that's what you are.*

*Author Unknown*

Avec la paix du Seigneur et l'amour de Marie et St Joseph,  
With the Peace of Christ and the love of Mary and St Joseph,  
Mme Mykyte



### OCTOBER

**Oct.11:** Winter uniform in effect

**Oct.13:** Living Rosary

**Oct.20:** Parent-Teacher conferences (No Classes)

**Oct.21:** Pro-D Day (No School)

**Oct.31:** Halloween (costumes optional)

### NOVEMBER

**Nov 1st:** All Saints Day (Each class has chosen a saint and will find a way to represent that Saint on all Saints Day) More info to come from classroom teachers

**Nov 3rd:** Photo Retakes

**Nov 10th:** Remembrance Day assembly at 11 am

**Nov 11th:** Remembrance Day (No School)

**Nov 14th:** Day in Lieu (No school)

**Nov 19th:** ESS Christmas Festival

**Nov 25th:** CISVA Networking Day (No School)

*Grateful!*



## GRATITUDE

Thank you for your cooperation with the construction situation taking place at the rectory and for making safe arrangements for drop-off.

**We would like to please remind parents to refrain from bringing food or treats to school to share with other students.** We have a number of students with allergies and many attend after-school clubs and sports.

## PBS

Students will get to enjoy extra recess on Friday for their positive behaviour reward for the first month of school. Honesty is the value we have chosen to focus on for the month of October at ESS! The Indigenous cultures of the West Coast, emphasize the intelligence of crows. Some nations believe it to be a trickster, recounting many of its tales of mischief. Others credit the crow with conveying divine wisdom from heaven above. The crow is an intelligent creature that has a unique talent for observation and intuition that many other animals lack. This spirit animal is defined by its curiosity about the world around it and its creative thinking and problem-solving ability.



## HALLOWEEN at SCHOOL

On October 31st students are welcome to come to school in their halloween costume. Please remember no scary or violent costumes or props, and no candy at school. Thank you for your attention to this!



SAVE THE  
*date*



### Photo Retakes

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The individual photos have arrived and you are invited to place your order online or using the envelope provided.

The morning of **Nov 3rd** is our photo retakes for students who wish to retake their photo or missed the individual photo day.



### KINDERGARTEN OPEN HOUSE

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Coming up! For **Thursday, November 16th at 5pm in the kindergarten classroom**. Please spread the word and share with family and friends.

# FORMED

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October is the month of Mary and to honour our Lady we encourage you to pray the rosary as a family and to pray for our school and parish community.



## Ecole St-Sacrement 2022 Walkathon

Raising funds for Blessed Sacrament Parish

**\$21,629.00** raised of \$45,000.00

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# ESS WALKATHON

THANK YOU TO OUR MORE  
THAN 125 VOLUNTEERS WHO  
MADE THIS YEAR'S  
WALKATHON A FUN SUCCESS

## FUNDRAISING FOR

- New sports team jerseys
- Classroom enhancements
- Seismic upgrade fund
- Community outreach
- Outdoor school enhancements

1. Garden program
2. PALS program
3. Additional picnic tables
4. Recess equipment



THANK  
YOU!



We're still fundraising  
[canadahelps.org/en/charities/118849470RR0046-blessed-sacrament-parish/p2p/Marcheton2022/](https://canadahelps.org/en/charities/118849470RR0046-blessed-sacrament-parish/p2p/Marcheton2022/)

# MARCHETON FUNDRAISING



**THERE'S STILL TIME  
TO COLLECT  
PLEDGES!  
FAMILIES HAVE  
UNTIL OCTOBER  
26TH!**



# MARCHETON WALKATHON

*Merci* ❤️



# Our Living ROSARY





# ESS ELITES

## CISVA CROSS COUNTRY MEET

We are so proud of our students who represented our school with great sportsmanship on October 5th at Swangard Stadium. Bravo à nos athlètes! Both boys' Soccer and girls' Volleyball seasons are underway now.



## Upcoming Sports

SPORTS	TEAMS	SCHEDULING	SEASON (Start-End)
CROSS COUNTRY	44 contestants	-	Sept-Oct
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BOYS SOCCER	Juvenile Gr. 4*/5	Big 8 Nov 7th	Sept.19th-Oct.28th
	Senior Gr. 6/7	Big 8 Nov 8th	
VOLLEYBALL	Girls Gr. 4/5	Sep. 14	Sept.21st-Oct.28
	Girls Gr.6/7		Girls-Final Nov 15th
	Boys Gr.4/5		Boys Final Nov 29th
BASKETBALL	Boys Gr.4/5	Dec. 5th	Jan.9th-Feb.15th
	Girls Gr.4/5		Playoffs Jan.21st
	Girls Gr. 6/7		1/4Finals Feb.28th
	Boys Gr. 6/7		Final Mar.2nd
	Boys Gr. 4*	-	-
GIRLS SOCCER	Juvenile Gr.4/ 5	Big 8 - Apr. 27th	Mar.27th-Apr.21st
	Senior Gr. 6/7	Big 8 - Apr. 28th	
BADMINTON	Team is build after i	Zone Apr10-14	FinalApr17-21st
TRACK & FIELD **	Discus (DCS)		May.31st-June.7th
	Sprints		
	Relays/Medley		
	Sprints		
	Long Jump (LJ)		
	High Jump (HJ)		
	Shot Put (SP)		

