

COMMUNIQUE

le 28 Octobre/October 28, 2010

SOYEZ LA BONNE NOUVELLE
BE THE GOOD NEWS



WEEKLY REMINDERS

- Oct. 28 - School Mass
Curriculum Development
12:15 p.m. dismissal
- Oct. 29 - Pumpkin Prance 11:30am
wear black and/or orange
- Nov. 3 - Hot Lunch - Crazy Hat Day
- Nov. 4 - Walkathon Assembly
- Nov. 7 - Spirit Day

OCT. 28, CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT - DISMISSAL 12:15PM

This is the first curriculum development afternoon for this school year. This afternoon, as we focus on our school goal of improving writing, the teachers will address assessment of student writing across the grade levels.

WALKATHON 2010/11

Congratulations everyone! With your Fatima enthusiasm and energy to canvass for pledges, we raised \$28,531.03 for Walkathon 2010/11. The assembly is to be held Thursday, November 4, at 2:30 p.m..

HALLOWEEN NIGHT - SUNDAY OCT. 31 - EARN 2 PPHOURS - 1 MORE VOLUNTEER NEEDED



Parents of Fatima School, we need one more volunteer to complete the third set of three for the 11:00pm - 1:00am shift. We are asking for two hours of your time on Halloween night to secure the parish and school grounds. Cell phones and flashlights are required. Please email your intent to participate in this PPH activity via maintenance@fatimaschool.ca. This is a PPH activity and the hours will be applied to your PPH requirement. Thank you to the eight who have already responded. PEC.



VOLLEYBALL NEWS

The grade 5 girls finished their volleyball season with a bang on Monday. They played 2 tough teams and defeated them. Their sportsmanship and team spirit made Fatima proud!

HALLOWEEN CANDY DRIVE

Agape Street Ministry are in great need for wrapped candies. They give out 36,000 candy bags each year, which are made up of 5 pieces of wrapped candies and two chocolate bars, as well as scripture verses and detox/recovery information card. Please no tubs of loose unwrapped candy. The candy can be dropped off at the school office or classroom next Monday morning.



PHOTO DAY

Life Touch Canada wanted to remind parents of families with three or more children, the third child's photo is free. Life Touch also informed us that this includes families with children attending Our Lady of Fatima and Archbishop Carney combined.

Photo Retake Day is booked for Friday, November 12 @ 10:45 a.m..



SOCCKER NEWS

Congratulations to the Grade 4/5 boys soccer team! They beat Star of the Sea 4-1 and then defeated Queen All Saints 8-1 to make it to the Gold Medal match. The final game against Our Lady of Sorrows will be at 2:15pm on Tuesday, November 2 at the Burnaby Sports Complex. Come on out and support our team! Gook luck boys!





HOT LUNCH ORDER FORMS NEXT WEEK QUIZNO'S SUBS - TAKE NOTE

The Catering Committee have a few requests, they would like parents to take note when placing their child/children's orders.

1. Do not pay for your orders in pennies - NO PENNIES.
2. Each child must hand in their own individual order form to their classroom teacher. For example, if you have three children, each individual order form is returned with each individual child to their own teacher. Payment is attached to the oldest's child's order form and PAID - SEE OLDEST CHILD is written on the younger sibling's form.
3. Payment: When writing cheques, make payment with one cheque; attach it to your oldest child's order form.

This is a big job for our parent volunteers and your co-operation will be much appreciated. Thank you.



PUMPKIN PATCH

The grade 1F, 1E, and 2F classes went on their annual fieldtrip to the Laity Farms Pumpkin Patch. They spent a beautiful day outdoors learning about life in the country and going through the corn maze, before carefully choosing the perfect pumpkin. Students were busy the next day weighing, measuring and counting the ridges on their pumpkins, before taking them home for Halloween.

PARENT PARTICIPATION HOURS AVAILABLE

Parent participation hours going, going, going, now. Get your hours completed early. The timeline to follow is: November 30th you should have reached 9 hours, February 28th, 15 hours and May 31, 30 hours.

SNOW REMOVAL (LOOKING AHEAD): Volunteers will be needed for early morning and afternoon snow removal at the school in the event it snows. Weekdays 7:00 - 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. Please email parent coordinator Krista Pennal: krista@pennal.com. (If you live within walking distance of the school this might be something for you to consider.)

JANITORIAL WORK: A parent coordinator and volunteers are needed for weekday after school or weekends.

- Steam Clean Carpets (supplies will be provided) - once a month on the weekend.
- Wipe all baseboards - once a week
- Dust all high-reach areas - once a month.

Please email Janet: parentparticipation@fatimaschool.ca or 778-998-8098

PLAYGROUND SUPERVISION: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday lunch time 11:55 - 12:45pm; Monday to Friday 3:00 - 3:30pm

PARKING LOT: Monday to Friday 2:50 - 3:30pm
Contact: Sarah Gaucher - 604-464-6403 or email supervision@fatimaschool.ca



**HAVE A SAFE
AND
HAPPY
HALLOWEEN**

