

"IF YOU TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR YOURSELF YOU WILL DEVELOP A HUNGER TO ACCOMPLISH YOUR DREAMS" -- LES BROWN

# NOTRE DAME CES

VIRTUE: RESPONSIBILITY



May 2024

UPDATES

Tel: 905.895.5001

**Notre Dame is a busy place.... mark your calendars we are grateful for all who make this possible**

- May 20 - Victoria Day --- NO SCHOOL
- 21 - Gr. 8 Grad Trip - all day
- 22 - Grade 5s & 6s - Kettleby Trip
- 22 - Gr. 2 - Scientist in the School
- 23 - Gr. 4 Tree Top Trekking
- 23 - Gr. 7/8 Immunizations
- 24 - Grade 5 STREAM - Ms. Visconti
- 24 - Welcome to Kindergarten / First Impressions
- 24 - Gr. 3 "Swim to Survive"
- 27 - Fr. Carlos Visit
- 28 - June 10 - EQAO Primary/Junior
- 30 - CSC Staff Appreciation Luncheon (Thanks to CSC!)
- 31 - Gr. 7 Scanlon Creek Trip
- 31 - Gr. 3 "Swim to Survive"
- June 5 - Gr. 3 Georgina Pioneer Village
- 6 - Gr. 3-8 Spelling Bee in the gym - 10:00
- 7 - PA Day (Report Card Writing Day)
- 10 - Jump Rope for Heart - thanks for your support
- 11 - Gr. 1-8 Power of Perseverance presentation
- 12 - Grade 8 / Year End Mass @ 10:00 am - gym
- 14 - Gr. 3 "Swim to Survive"
- 14 - Play Day Fun Fair (Thanks to CSC!)
- 18 - Track and Field gr 4-8 at St. Max Kolbe
- 19 - CSC Meeting - 7:00 pm
- 20 - Grade 8 Graduation - 5:00 @ Stonehaven Hall
- 27 - Last Day of school - Full Day



Congratulations to Nicholas B. in grade 8 and Sierra B. in grade 6 who represented NDE at the Area Oral Communications Festival. They demonstrated courage and confidence in sharing their speeches. Nicholas placed 1st and we wish him luck as he moves on to the Board finals next week.

We thank families who continue to support our no cell phone policy. We are trying to help our students gain the ability to focus and pay attention without distractions and we can't do it without your support.



**If your child is absent please report**  
Phone: 1-855-856-7862  
Website: [go.schoolmessenger.ca](http://go.schoolmessenger.ca)

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For up to date info, calendar of events and messages



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SCHOOL WEBSITE

## WANTED

At our last Catholic School Council meeting we discussed the need for Kindergarten playground equipment. We are inviting the community to donate any gently used items that they feel we could safely use in our kinder playpen to drop them off at the office. Items to consider: tricycles, bouncy balls, skipping ropes, PlaySkool kitchen centres or playhouses.



## Notre Dame needs LUNCH TIME SUPERVISORS

If you or someone you know has an hour of time (11:15-12:15) and would like to do this important job at our school please reach out to the office and put your name forward.



The office has been receiving far too many calls where the secretary then calls into the classrooms and interrupts the learning. We ask that parents email their child's teacher or put the appointment into their child's agenda so that we refrain from the constant interruptions. This includes ensuring that your child has what they need for the day (ie. snack shack money) and to use the lunch table for any lunches that need to be picked up by your child. We ask your cooperation in this matter as it is becoming far too overwhelming for students and staff.