



SACRED HEART SCHOOL
May 2025 Newsletter
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Principal's Message

Dear Sacred Heart Families,

As we enter the month of May, our hearts are filled with a mixture of sorrow and hope. We join the global Catholic community in mourning the loss of our beloved Holy Father, Pope Francis. His profound wisdom, compassion, and unwavering commitment to the Gospel have inspired us all. We give thanks for his life and legacy, and we continue to pray for his eternal rest and for the Church during this time of transition.

At the same time, the joy of spring surrounds us—renewing our spirits with sunshine, blooming flowers, and the energy that comes with longer, brighter days. This season brings a renewed sense of purpose and hope, both in nature and in our school community. Our students are flourishing, and their enthusiasm for learning is as vibrant as ever.

We are also excitedly looking ahead to our upcoming school play, *Hansel and Gretel*, which will take place on **May 14th**. The students have been working incredibly hard under the guidance of our dedicated staff, and we can't wait to share their talents with you. Admission to the play will be **by donation**, with all proceeds going to our **Angel Bursary Fund**, which helps support families in need of tuition assistance. Your generosity will help ensure that every child has the opportunity to experience a Sacred Heart education.

Thank you for your ongoing support and for being such an important part of the Sacred Heart community. May this month be filled with peace, growth, and gratitude.

In faith and kindness,

Mrs. Kyra Sienaert
 Principal



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Month At A Glance

- ~May 7
*PSG meeting at 6:30pm by Zoom
- ~May 9
*Panther Spirit Day—PJ Day
- ~May 11
*Mother's Day
- ~May 12
*Council meeting at 6:00pm
- ~May 14
*Class Photos @ 9:00am
*Hansel & Gretel Performance @ 10:00am & 6:00pm
- ~May 15
*School Mass @ 9:00am
- ~May 16
*NON INSTRUCTIONAL DAY
- ~May 19
*NO SCHOOL-Victoria Day
- ~May 24
*Confirmation @ 2:00pm
- ~May 25
*First Communion @ 9:00am
- ~May 30
*Northern Spirit Soccer Tournament
- ~May 31
*School/Parish Mass @ 5:30pm

**Sincere Thanks For Your Incredible Support Of Our
 2025 GALA Fundraiser Event
 \$24,570 Raised To Date Towards A New Classroom Space!**

Sacred Heart School Presents
**Remember To Watch For Information About Our Next
 GALA—March 2026**

School Start—School Supply Packs

We have partnered with School Start for the option of pre-ordering school supplies for the 2025-26 school year; packs will be delivered to the school before the first day of school. Please check out our [website](#) for the link and instructions for ordering from [School Start](#). Please forward any questions directly to the School Start team. If you prefer to purchase supplies for your child's respective grade yourself, our in-house lists are posted as well.



It is with great pride that we acknowledge our work on the unceded, ancestral lands of the Lheidli T'enneh First Nations. We understand that this land was very important for Indigenous people who lived on it before us; that this land is still important for Indigenous people today. We are grateful that it is on this land that we support and work for our students.

R O A R—Respect, Optimism, Acceptance, Rejoice

Year-End Field Trips: Teachers are in the process of planning their year-end fieldtrips. Permission slips with information about the individual trips are sent home prior to the event. These slips must be signed and returned to the school before your child can be taken from the school property. Please make note of the upcoming events for your child—be sure permission slips are signed and returned to the school along with any payment that may be necessary. As well, be sure your child has the supplies/gear they need for the trip.

education
& field trips

Parents/guardians, please remember that if you wish to volunteer, a police record check must be on file at the school office. If you will be driving, a driver's abstract along with a copy of your insurance and driver's license are required as well. Follow this [link](#) to our website to apply online—quick and easy! Many thanks to our volunteer parents and friends!



ATTENDANCE: As we approach the end of our school year, our classrooms are very busy and every minute is valuable learning time. Attendance at school every day is vital to success in the classroom. Please remember to **email** the school office first thing in the morning on days your child is away from school for any reason. **The attendance audit will take place in May. Please ensure that emails excusing absences are submitted daily.**

DRESS CODE REMINDER: As the weather warms, please be reminded of the acceptable dress code at Sacred Heart School. Collared shirts are expected; t-shirts are not accepted uniform wear. Navy blue shorts may be worn but must cover the thigh. *Open toed-shoes; flip flops or open sandals are not allowed for your child's safety. Panther T-Shirts may be worn on spirit days and while on field trips.*



Calling All Sacred Heart Parents & Guardians!

Our Sacred Heart PSG and School Council are always looking for new members!

GET!
INVOLVED!

It's not necessary to be an expert on education to join. We need interested people who care about our school community and are willing to help make it grow in a positive and vibrant manner.



Please contact the school office at sacredheart@cispg.ca for more information.



PARENT SUPPORT GROUP NEWS

NEXT PSG MEETING:

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, May 7th at 6:30pm by Zoom - Please join us!

PANTHER LUNCH Menu for May

Pizza: **Monday**, May 5th, 12th, & 26th

Booster Juice: May 6th & 22nd

PSG Hot Lunch: May 2nd, 7th, 9th, 21st, 23rd & 28th



ARTKNAPP FUNDRAISER

From May 9th to May 19th, 2025 (5:00 pm), Art Knapp Plantland will donate 10% of your purchases of bedding plants, annual planters, hanging baskets, vegetables and herbs to Sacred Heart School. Simply present this letter, or show your phone, to the cashier at Art Knapp's **prior to your order being rung into the till** and your purchase of these select items will be earmarked so that 10% of the dollar value will benefit Sacred Heart. This letter will be honored at both Art Knapp Locations, (Hart Highway & Highway 16 West).





Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Pizza Day	Booster Juice	PSG meeting 6:30pm by Zoom		9 Panther Spirit Day	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Mother's Day	Pizza Day Council meeting @ 6:00		Class Picture of Day Hansel & Gretel Production 10:00 & 6:00	School Mass @ 9:00	NON SENSE DAY	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	Victoria Day		freshii	Booster Juice Speech Arts @ IC	Pizza Hut	Reconciliation @ 10:00 YOU ARE FORGIVEN
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
First Communion @ 9:00	Pizza Day		Wasabi Sushi		Northern Spirit Soccer Tourney (Gr. 6-7)	Parish/School Mass @ 5:30