



## **SPX BULLETIN #30**

**April 29, 2021**

### **EARTH DAY:**

Congratulations to our Student Council on the organization of a very successful Earth Day last Thursday. All classes participated in activities and below are the names of the charities chosen by each grade:

- Kindergarten: Earth Rangers
- Grade 1: Earth Rangers
- Grade 2: Pacific Salmon Foundation
- Grade 3: World Wildlife Fund-Adopting Bumble Bees
- Grade 4: World Wildlife Fund
- Grade 5: Ocean Wise-Sustainable Seafood Movement
- Grade 6: The Red Cross
- Grade 7: World Wildlife Fund

### **SPRING UNIFORM AND UNIFORM BURSARY:**

A reminder to all families, as of May 3<sup>rd</sup> students may wear their spring uniform to school. There has been an update to the dress code in which the shorts are available for both girls and boys. While not mandatory, the spring uniform may be worn in place of the regular uniform until the first Monday of October.

Should any St. Pius X family require financial assistance to purchase the uniform, we now offer a **Uniform Bursary** to families in need through our Parish office. This bursary may be applied to *any* St. Pius X uniform item sold through Cambridge Uniforms.

To apply for the bursary, please call (604-929-1404) or email [parish.spx@rcav.org](mailto:parish.spx@rcav.org) the Parish to arrange an appointment with Father Horgan.

### **JEANS DAY:**

St. Pius X School is participating in Jean Up month by wearing jeans and bringing \$2 on **Wednesday May 5<sup>th</sup>**. As the only hospital in the province devoted exclusively to children, more than a million kids count on BC Children's Hospital. The funds you raise will support ground breaking research and advanced technologies to help conquer the illnesses that affect our province's children and families.

\*Friendly reminder, no ripped jeans on May 5<sup>th</sup>.

## **GRADE SEVEN DAYLILY PLANT SALE:**

If you ordered a Daylily plant, they will be ready for pick up on Friday, May 7<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. They will be out front of the school labeled with your name. There will be extra for sale if you would like to purchase some.

## **TRACK AND FIELD:**

Our track season this year looks a little different as all CISVA meets have been cancelled. We will still hold practices to continue skill development, and track and field events will be a focus in PE during these final months of school. Reminder: the school cannot make exceptions for kids missing their day to replace with another day, we are not mixing cohorts. Students can wear their PE strips to school on their Track practice days.

- Monday- Grades 6 & 7
- Tuesday- Grades 4 & 5
- Thursday- Grade 3

## **SUN SAFETY:**

Reminder with sunny days ahead, please send a hat to school with your child and apply sunscreen in the morning before coming to school.

## **MASKS:**

Following the PHO guidelines, students in grades 4-7 are required to wear masks at school. Please ensure your child has their mask (reusable or disposable) with them each day.

## **RAFFLE TICKETS AND ONLINE AUCTION:**

Thank you to those families that have returned sold raffle ticket booklets. Although the due date is not until May 25<sup>th</sup>, if you have sold your tickets, we are asking that the booklet with the stubs be returned along with the cash or cheque (payable to St. Pius X Fundraising). Also, a reminder that you can request additional books that we can send home with your child. Families that sell 3 or more books will have their name entered in a draw to win a wine basket valued at \$250.00.

**Change of Draw Date: May 31<sup>st</sup>** (due to cancellation of the Open House on May 30<sup>th</sup>)

The classes have been working hard on their projects to be auctioned during our May online auction. Bidding will begin on May 23<sup>rd</sup> (more information on this to come), and close on May 30<sup>th</sup>.

**Change of when winners will be announced: May 31<sup>st</sup>** (due to cancellation of the Open House on May 30<sup>th</sup>)

## **CAMBRIDGE UNIFORMS:**

Attached is the 2021/2022 information letter for the coming school year.

**Your discount week is set for: June 21st to July 5th, 2021.**

All orders placed online during this period will receive an automatic 5% discount.

## **HOT LUNCH DATES:**

Friday, April 30<sup>th</sup>      Subway & Lift Juice

Friday, May 7<sup>th</sup>      Arka & Maxfruit

Friday, May 14<sup>th</sup>      Wellfed & Lift Juice

Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup>      Pizza & Lift Juice

Friday, May 28<sup>th</sup>      Presto & Maxfruit

## **CWL SPRING PLANT SALE:**

Orders will be available for pickup on Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup> between 10:00 am and 2:00 pm at the Gym at St. Pius X School. If you are unable to pick-up your order during this time, please contact Miriam at [mtirving2019@gmail.com](mailto:mtirving2019@gmail.com) to make alternate arrangements.

COVID-19 protocols will be observed including wearing masks before entering the gym and maintaining social distancing. Curbside pickup is also available; please contact Miriam at [mtirving2019@gmail.com](mailto:mtirving2019@gmail.com) to arrange.

A small quantity of hanging baskets (\$30), petunias (\$30) and marigolds (\$25) are available for sale on Pick-up day. If you would like to reserve one of these items, please contact Miriam at [mtirving2019@gmail.com](mailto:mtirving2019@gmail.com). [Payment](#) by Cash or Cheque only at time of pickup.

Thank you so much for supporting our fundraising!  
St. Pius X Parish CWL Council