



St. Theodore School

Where the knowledge of God is the foundation of learning

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Christ the Teacher Roman Catholic School Division #212



October 2025 Newsletter

Dear Parents,

Welcome Back! With September behind us and Thanksgiving just around the corner we have much to be thankful for.

We are settling into the routines of school and the many events that come with the start of a new school year. Take time to talk to your child about the things that go well at school and the things they still need help with. Our division theme this year is MANY AND ONE. We read in 1 Corinthians 12-31 that we are one Body with Many parts. Let us work in ways to contribute to something larger than ourselves yet know what each of us has an important part in this world.

We welcome you to come to our school events and share in all events. Wishing all a bountiful harvest and a Happy Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Tammy Morrison



Reminders

**** Please contact the school if your child is going to be away from classes. If we do not hear from you by the start of class time, a call will be made to see where your child is.**

**** Please return your INFORMATION UPDATE forms sent home last week. Up to date information ensures we can contact you in case of an emergency.**



♥♥♥ to for supporting the SCC Mom's Pantry Fundraiser this fall

♥♥♥ Fr. Antony from St. Gerard's parish and Mrs. Pellatt our Religion Coordinator for blessing our school year with our opening Mass.

♥♥♥ To Ms. Allen who has joined our staff as our school counsellor. We look forward to having you with us.

♥♥♥ To the returning staff: Mrs. VanCaeseele, Mr. Dzuba, Mrs. Kim, Mrs. Aglupos, Mrs. Karapita and Ms. Wilkinson we are blessed to have you on our school team.

♥♥♥ to the Grishich family for sharing the abundance of their garden with us. We all enjoy the fruits of your labour.



Parish Information

St. Gerard's Roman Catholic Church, Yorkton

Saturday Mass: 5pm

Sunday Mass: 9 am and 11:00 am

www.stgerard.ca

St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Yorkton

Saturday Divine Liturgy: 5pm (English)

Sunday Divine Liturgy: 9 am (Ukrainian) 11 am (English)

www.saintmarysyorkton.com

National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

September 30th is the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation to honour survivors, their families and communities. The Catholic Church has a significant role and responsibility for Truth and Reconciliation in Canada. We'd like to encourage you to look for events in your community that you can participate in or find other ways to educate yourself on truth and reconciliation.

Dates to Remember

Tues Sept 30	Truth and Reconciliation Day/ Orange Shirt Day HOT DOG lunch for students and community 11:45pm
Sun. Oct 5	World Teachers' Day
Mon. Oct. 6	Band students attend U of R Wind Ensemble and Jazz Band Concert @YRHS@ 12:30 pm
Fri. Oct 10	SCHOOL PHOTOS
Mon. Oct. 13	Thanksgiving - No School
Tues. Oct. 14	Teacher Inservice NO CLASSES for students
Fri. Oct. 24	Nonperishable food donations due
Thurs. Oct. 31	Halloween costume dress-up 12:30 pm Parade at Health Center at 12:45pm
Sat Nov. 1	All Saints Day
Sun. Nov. 2	All Souls Day
Mon. Nov. 3	SCC meeting at 5:30pm
Fri. Nov. 7	Remembrance Day Service-1pm at the school. SHEHO LEGION will be joining us again this year. All community members welcome

Band Reminders!

- ✔ Congratulations to Hailey for attending Yorkton Band Camp. She performed in Full Band, Woodwind Ensemble, and even Jazz Ensemble.
- ✔ Mon. Oct. 6: Band students will attend a Band concert by the U of R Bands.
- ✔ Be sure you can play both anthems very well as we are now working on our new piece. Play along with the videos on Google Classroom.
- ✔ Chocolates are coming soon.

Congratulations Cross Country Athletes!

The Christ the Teacher meet took place on Sept. 19 at Sacred Heart/ Jaycee Beach.

All of our Grade 3-8s participated!

We were very proud of all our students.

Special congratulations to our top 10 finishers:

- Gr. 4 - PAUL GRISNICH- 5th place ribbon
- Gr. 5- EASTON PRYSLIAK- 6th place ribbon
- Gr. 5 -HAYS GRISNICH- 4th place ribbon
- Gr. 7- OLLY GIBSON- 8th place ribbon
- Gr. 7 - FLINT VOGEL - 9th place ribbon

Paul, Easton, Hays and Flint competed in the Saltcoats Summit on Friday September 27th.

We are proud to have our runners represent us at these meets. Thank you, parents, for taking them!

FOOD DRIVE

We are encouraged to share our generosity with others this Thanksgiving season. We are collecting for the YORKTON COMMUNITY FRIDGE. Items accepted for donation are dry goods, canned goods, hygiene products, cleaning products. Store bought bread (NOT EXPIRED), garden produce.

Food items will be collected at the school until Friday October 24th

Food items may be dropped off at the office.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Halloween Activities Friday, October 31st

We are taking our parade of costumes to the Theodore Health Center at 12:25pm. Students will walk to the Center and share their costumes and a few songs with those there. Parents are welcome to come and join us there. Kindergarten parents are welcome to bring

- ✔ Costume dress up at school at 12:30 pm. Please refrain from fake weapons or costumes that may be inappropriate or scary for little children to view (ex: fake blood).
- ✔ Please limit Halloween treats in lunches to 2 treat items.

BACK TO SCHOOL INFO:

- KINDERGARTEN SCHEDULE

- Day 1, 3, 5 on the school calendar

♥ Parents, please ensure all children dress in layers as the fall weather begins. We ask that each student have a non-marking indoor and a good outdoor shoe to wear outside each day. Students are required to change shoes from inside to outside at recess times.

♥ All students need a reusable water bottle for school to fill from the water coolers. These should be taken home daily for cleaning.

♥ If you need to get ahold of staff or leave a message for your child before the end of the school day, please call the school phone line. This is the best way to ensure your message is received. Please refrain from texting your child's teacher, as personal phones are not readily available during instructional time.

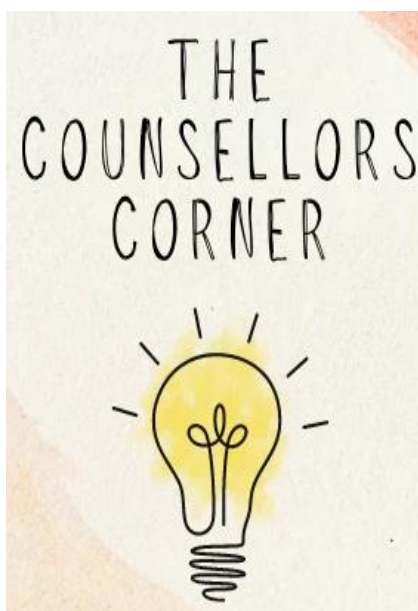
***Communication is important between home and school. PLEASE check your child's AGENDA daily for messages. Parents are also encouraged to leave messages for teachers in the AGENDA as well.** Teachers use this Agenda as a daily form of communicating information daily. Have your child show it to you every night. Please check the pocket at the front of the AGENDA for any notes sent home as well.

*If your child will be absent or late any day, please contact the school with a note or a phone call so that teachers can be made aware of his/her absence.

*Supervision of students by staff is provided starting at 8:40am. Please ensure your children do not arrive prior to supervision time.

* Mrs. Aglupos is in the office Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday mornings and phones will be answered by her. In her absence we have an answering system, so please leave a message and it will be checked at the next available break.

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us at the school.



MS. EMILY ALLEN
School Counsellor
ST. THEODORE SCHOOL

Ms. Allen is available to support students and families in our school. Contact her at allee01@cttcs.ca

