

JUNE CALENDAR

June 22: Primary Wildlife Park Field Trip (9:15-2:30AM)
June 22: Last day of classes for High School students (see details below)
June 25: Prince Charles Park Grades 4 & 1
June 26: Grade 7 Graduation (6:00PM in the SAA gym)
June 26: SAA Store will be open *Final Day* 2:00PM-300PM
June 27: Last day of school!* (Grade 8 & 9 students NOT required to wear uniform this day)

Elementary Assembly at 8:45AM in the gym and dismissal at 10:30AM.

High School Assembly at 11:00AM in the gym and dismissal at 12:30PM.

Report cards for elementary and high school students sent home

Bus run on last day – pick up at normal time in the morning; only one return run at 10:45 AM for

Elementary students (no second bus for High School students that day).

Sept 5: First Day of School for the 2018-2019 year (full day)

PARISH-SCHOOL NEWS

Vacation Bible/Sports Camp at St. Ann's Academy July 9 – 13. Join us for a fantastic time. Discovery Mission Catholic Vocation Bible School! What is Discovery Mission? It's a brand new Catholic VBS program that teaches children about vocations! It's filled with fun activities and meaningful content about single life, marriage, priesthood, and religious life, and then offering an optional afternoon Basketball Camp. The program is for ages 4 – 12 (VBS) and Grade 4-7 (Basketball camp). Cost is \$50 for VBS and \$75 for Basketball or \$125 for both. Registration may be made at the Cathedral website www.sacredheartkamloops.org or by calling Sr. Analisa at 250-372-5470 or the Cathedral parish office at 250-372-2581. **DEADLINE to register is June 17! We need volunteers – adults and older children. Please call Sister Analisa if you can assist in any capacity. 250-372-5470**

K-12 NEWS

PLAYGROUND VOLUNTEER NO LONGER NEEDED

Thank-you very much to all the parents that offered to volunteer this Saturday with the playground installation. We no longer need any volunteers, Urban Appeal Landscaping will be bringing in a crew of workers to finish the installation on their own. Thank-you to Urban Appeal Landscaping and thank-you to the many parent volunteers who made this project happen.

YEARBOOK ORDERS

Each family will receive one copy of the 2017-2018 yearbook in September 2018. If your family would like to order additional copies for \$45 each, please email Miss. Reiswig at:

Monique.reiswig@st-anns.ca.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

The main office will be open July 3 through to July 6 from 9:00am – 3:00pm (closed on July 2 due to Canada Day holiday). We will then be closed for summer break! The office will then re-open on August 20 at 9:00 AM.

MOVING DURING THE SUMMER?

If any of our families are moving throughout the summer, please provide the office with your new address so we will be able to send you your yearbook for next year. It is important that we have your most current contact information on file at the school office (email address, phone numbers, emergency contacts, mailing address, etc.). Thank you.

UNIFORMS GRADES 1-10 (2018/2019 School Year)

ALL students in grade 1-10 must be in uniform supplied by TOP MARKS, our current uniform supplier. Please visit the Top Marks web site at: www.topmarks.ca to purchase school uniform. The school password is **SAA01** (01 are #'s). Please place your students uniform order as soon as possible if you have not already done so, to ensure delivery before the start of the next school year. For grades 1-7, gym strip may be purchased directly through the SAA office.

LOST & FOUND

Reminder to please check the lost & found for your children's belongings before the end of the school year. All unclaimed items will be donated to charity by 8:00AM on Friday, June 29.

CANTEEN CARDS

A friendly reminder that the office **will not be loaning any canteen tickets** for the rest of this school year. Any students who have punches remaining on their Canteen Card at the end of this school year will have their cards stored at the main office and the punches will be transferred to the next school year. Canteen Cards should not be brought home unless all punches have been used.

Canteen cards will continue to be sold for \$30.00 next year which is good for ten lunches at the canteen (\$3.00 per lunch). This does not include a drink. New next year – High School students will also be able to purchase canteen cards!

2018-2019 CALENDAR DATES

To assist in your planning, the following dates have been confirmed for next year. We are still working on finalizing Professional Development days.

- September 5 – First Day of School for students (full day)
- Dec. 24-Jan. 4 – Christmas Break
- Feb. 3-8, 2019 – Catholic Schools Week
- March 18-29, 2019 – Spring Break
- June 26, 2019 – Last Day of School for students

ELEMENTARY NEWS

ELEMENTARY YEAR-END ASSEMBLY

The final Elementary Assembly of the year will take place on Wednesday, June 27, 2018 in the school gym. The Assembly will begin with the presentation of Intermediate Awards at 8:45 AM during our Celebration of Excellence. The Intermediate Awards will recognize students in grades 4-7 for outstanding effort and achievement in certain areas.

At approximately 9:30 AM, Primary students will join the Assembly and be recognized in their own special way. The Assembly will end with our final slideshow of the year. Parents are invited to attend the Assembly. Elementary students will be dismissed for summer holidays at **10:30 AM** on Wednesday, June 27.

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

LOCKS

For those graduating or leaving SAA at the end of this school year, students can return their locks at the school office and receive their \$10 reimbursement.

LAST DAY OF CLASSES & YEAR-END ASSEMBLY

The last day of classes for High School students will be Friday, June 22. All High School students need to return to school on Wednesday, June 27 for the High School Year-End Awards Assembly at **11:00 AM**. After the Assembly, students will receive their report cards. Please note that the SAA school bus will not be available for High School students to return home on this day (only elementary) so please plan accordingly.

HOMESTAY OPPORTUNITY

St. Ann's Academy is excited to welcome international students for the next school year. We are looking for dedicated families who will open up their homes for a cultural experience. Homestay families are required to supply a room, three meals a day, and a warm, welcoming environment. We have a variety of students from different countries and age groups looking for homes. Homestay families receive \$825 per month per student. For more information, please contact Mrs. Bernita Leahy at bernita.ties@gmail.com 250-374-6540
Thanks for your interest.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

PLEASE KEEP CHECKING FOR FALL OPPORTUNITIES

COMMUNITY NEWS

CODING WORKSHOPS AT TRU

TRU is hosting a series of one and two day computer workshops this summer. Topics include coding, photo editing, and web development. Information is available here: <https://www.tru.ca/science/programs/compsci/code-school.html#workshops>

These are reasonably priced (\$50 for two day and \$15 for one day, including food) and available to all students (though children under 12 need to bring an adult).

LEE'S MUSIC

Creative Confidence Mini Summer Camp for ages 8-11 & 12-15 (sponsored by Lee's Music)

The summer camp is a confidence course and aims to help young people develop the skills to increase resiliency, self-worth and tools to actively pursue what makes them unique and awesome! For more info please visit link: <http://www.passionigniter.ca/youthleadershipkamloops>

SUMMER CAMP

Kamloops Track & Field Club is sponsoring a summer camp located at

- Hillside Stadium from July 9 – 13
- Times are 8:00 am to 12:00 noon each day.
- This camp will be available for children ages 9 - 12 only.
- Registration will be done online through http://www.trackiereg.com/2018KAMLsummer_camp or call 250-319-6321
- Fees are \$100 per registration plus \$15.75 for non-members of BC
- Athletics (registered BC Athletics members are already covered).

MESSAGE FROM HEALTH UNIT REGARDING BATS

Please see attachment from the Interior Health on how to reduce the risk of contracting rabies this summer.

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