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RE-REGISTRATION FOR 2024 - 2025... due Wednesday, January 31, 2024



All information regarding re-registration was sent home in an envelope, on Monday, January 15, with your oldest, returning child. New for this year, please look at the pre-populated fields on the Re-Registration Form and make any changes directly on the Form, as well as, fill in any missing information. Families with a new student, registering for Kindergarten in the fall of 2024, will receive a Registration Form upon request.

Please return your Re-Registration Form, along with Registration Fee, to the school office prior to January 31. Both the Form and the fee are required to complete the re-registration.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30 - KINDERGARTEN NEW DROP OFF PROCEDURE

As we continue to build independence with the children in the Kindergarten program, beginning Tuesday, January 30, children in Kindergarten arriving between 8:15AM & 8:40AM will stay outside to play, and line up their backpacks by the wall of the gym. Some other important information:

- ... If children arrive before 8:15AM, they will continue to come inside for Before School Program.
- ... If children arrive after 8:40AM, they MUST enter though the front doors and attend to the office for a late slip.
- ... In case of bad weather, all students will be dropped off inside the school.
- ... If dropping off at the back gate, parents can 'stop, drop and go' in the back lane but NO PARKING.
- ... If dropping off at the front gate, parents must park on an adjacent street and walk your child to the gate. There is NO STOPPING ON FLORA AVENUE IN FRONT OF THE SCHOOL.

For more information, please refer to the note sent home to all Kindergarten families.

IHMS UNIFORM SHOP NEWS

brought to the School Office.

Need new uniform pieces? ... an appointment MUST be booked to visit the IHMS Uniform Shop through our ongoing <u>Uniform Sign Up</u> <u>NEW!! The appointments have increased to 20 minutes</u> per family slot. The next day the Shop is open is 3:00 - 5:00PM, Wednesday, February 14. Alternatively, uniform attire can be purchased online.

To access the Uniform Shop links go to: IHMS Uniform Shop Page The IHMS Uniform Shop is encouraging families to bring in any slightly used uniforms, that can either be sold on consignment (for a fee of \$4.00), or donated. Used uniform items can be

Uniform Shop Open Dates: February 14, 2024

March 13, 2024 April 10, 2024 May 8, 2024

Student

Assessment

June 12, 2024

MIDDLE YEARS ASSESSMENT - GRADE 7 & 8

(competencies) of mathematics at Grade 7, and in reading and writing at Grade 8. In addition, in Grade 7 there will be a report on students' involvement with their learning (student engagement). The Middle Years Assessment reports will be distributed to parents with the Term Two Reports Cards on Friday, March 8.

JANUARY

29 NO CLASSES - IHMS Professional Development

31 Re-Registration Due for 2024-2025

FEBRUARY 'I LOVE TO READ MONTH'

- 8 7:00PM Parents' Guild Meeting (online)
- 12-16 MB Catholic's Schools' Week
- 12 First Day of Lent
- 13 Hot Dog Order forms sent home
- 14 Uniform Shop Open 3:00-5:00PM
- 15 Hot Dog Orders Due
- 15 2:00PM Early Dismissal
- 16 NO CLASSES MB Catholic's Schools' Day Inservice
- 19 NO CLASSES Louis Riel Day
- 22 9:00AM Lenten Prayer Service
- 22 Hot Dog Lunch Day
- 25-29 I love to Read Week

SADOCHOK / NURSERY PROGRAM

IHMS operates a Nursery (Sadochok) School Program at St. Anne Ukrainian Catholic Church (35 Marcie Street) in North Kildonan. The Lubov Nursery School has been in successful operation for nearly 20 years.

IHM Lubov Nursery School is a "learning through play" experience for children age's two

to five. More Information can be found on the Lubov Website.



PARENTS GUILD FUTURE FUNDRAISERS

Please keep in mind some future fundraisers coming soon!!

Koubassa & Cheese Fundraiser - February Glenlea Plant Fundraiser - March

Everyone is welcome to join the parents' Guild monthly meetings and participate in the planning of events, fundraisers and volunteering at the school ... ultimately for the benefit of the students! Join us at our next meeting online, from the convenience of your home: February 8, 2024 at 7:00PM

Spring into <u>Fundraising!</u>

As part of the Middle Years Assessment, all Manitoba schools will report to parents on the achievement levels of their Grade 7 and Grade 8 children in certain key competencies (important skills).

Students' performance will be compared to mid-grade provincial criteria in certain areas

IHMS FUND RAISING DINNER ... SAVE THE DATE!



After a few years of not hosting the Dinner, IHMS is pleased to announce this popular community event is returning! Families in our school community are encouraged to mark this date on the calendar and support this important fund raising event for the school. The IHMS Fund Raising Dinner is wonderful evening taking place at Holy Eucharist Parish

Centre and will include a spectacular meal, entertainment, as well as, fabulous raffle prizes. All proceeds from the Dinner will be directed towards the academic, spiritual and cultural programs at Immaculate Heart of Mary School. Gather a group of friends and book a table! Tickets are \$150 each, which includes a charitable contribution receipt (issued after the event). Tickets are available in the School Office beginning February 1.



All proceeds are for the academic, spiritual and cultural programs at Immaculate Heart of Mary School.

VALENTINE'S DAY AT IHMS



IHMS focuses on teaching students to make healthy choices when it comes to diet, and as well be vigilant to allergy concerns. Therefore

families wishing to share a fun treat on Valentine's Day should only bring an inexpensive toy or Valentine's Day card ... NO FOOD OR CANDY PLEASE! Thank you.



Basketballs Teams in action at the IHMS Gym. https://ihms.mb.ca/ monthly-calendar/



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