

**MONDAY, APRIL 29 - MINDFUL MONDAY**

Bring \$2 and it is a N.U.T Day (No Uniforms Today)! Mindful Mondays is a SMAC initiative with money going towards their new project - K9 Advocates! On non-uniform days students must adhere to appropriate attire. Disrespectful slogans on t-shirts, crop tops, and torn or tattered jeans are not permitted. Thank you for your cooperation.

**HOTDOG ORDERS**

Forms will be sent home Monday, April 29. Please use the Hotdog Order Form to place an order with the homeroom teachers. Exact change is appreciated. Orders after 12:00 noon cannot be accepted. Single Hotdog - \$2.50 / Full meal (Hotdog / Chips / Drink) - \$4.50

Order Forms Due: Wednesday, May 1 LUNCH Day: Wednesday, May 8

**PIZZA LUNCH DAY!**

Pizza is sold for \$2.50 per slice (cheese or pepperoni). Students bring their pizza money by Tuesday morning and order through their homeroom teacher. Pizza must be ordered by noon - no late orders! Other food and drinks can be brought from home to supplement snack time and lunch. ORDER day: Tuesday, April 30 LUNCH day: Thursday, May 2

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1 - IHM LUBOV NURSERY SCHOOL VISIT

The four year old children of IHM Lubov Nursery School will 'live the life' of an Immaculate Heart of Mary student for the afternoon! They will hop on a school bus and visit the Kindergarten classroom, play some games in the gym, and read a story in the library. Welcome Lubov Nursery School!

GO SPIRIT GO!

Badminton season is in full swing with the Manitoba Catholic Schools' Tournaments! Thank you to Mr. Dedio for coaching the teams! Congratulations to our top finishers in last weeks Divisional Tournaments:

- April 23 - Grade 7 Singles ... Elise Luczak in 2nd Place overall!!!
- April 24 - Grade 7 Boys Doubles ... Luka Hawaleshka & Eric Nowosad in 2nd place overall!!!
- April 25 - Grade 8 Mixed Doubles ... Sofia Pereira & Lucas Rogelio 4th place overall!!!
- April 25 - Grade 7 Mixed Doubles ... Elise Luczak & Matthew Szun in 3rd place overall!!!

Good luck to this week's Grade 6 Badminton Teams!

RUNNING CLUB NEWS!

Back in February, the Grades 4-6 Running Club students participated in the 2024 Manitoba Catholic Schools Elementary Relay at the University of Manitoba. The results are in, and the teams that placed in the top three are ...

- **2nd place Girls in the 8 x 40 Relay Shuttle:** Isla Asselstine (4), Mya Carait Smith (4), Katherina Fast (5), Dalia Garg (4), Mary Kalashnikova (4), Maura Keleed (4), Solomiya Lehkar (6) & Alicia Wozny (4)
- **3rd place Gr. 4 Girls in the 4 x 200 Relay:** Mya Carait Smith, Dalia Garg, Maura Keleed & Alicia Wozny

**FIELD TRIP PROTOCOL**

Many teachers have been busy planning some fun outings for our students! Students are expected to continue to follow school rules during field trips. They are also expected to follow any additional rules laid out by the site to be visited. This would include the school rules on electronics, uniforms, non-uniforms etc. Please review this with your child. The IHMS Handbook can be found in the front of the Agenda Book, or on the IHMS website at <https://ihms.mb.ca/school-life/handbook/> under 'Student Rules and Regulations. Field trip permission forms are sent out prior to the off-site event. Look for Parent Volunteer opportunities if indicated on the form.

**VOLUNTEER PROGRAM**

New volunteer tasks will be posted on Monday at NOON. If your family still has volunteer hours to complete, please sign up for a shift.

MAY DEVOTION TO MARY

It is a centuries old custom for all Catholics to dedicate the month of May to our Blessed Virgin Mary. During the month of May the school will be praying devotional prayers for Mary. On May 31st a special rosary prayer celebration will take place where the whole school will pray together as a community.

**APRIL**

- 29 Hotdog Orders sent home
- 29 Mindful Monday
- 30 Pizza Lunch Order Day
- 30 MCSAA Grade 6 Badminton Singles Tournament

**MAY**

- 1 Lubov Nursery School Visits IHMS
- 1 MCSAA Grade 6 Doubles Badminton Tournament
- 1 Super Spring 50/50 Early Bird Draw
- 1 Hotdog Lunch Orders due
- 2 MCSAA Grade 6 Mixed Doubles Badminton Tournament
- 2 Pizza Lunch Day
- 6 2024-2025 Kindergarten Orientation
- 8 Hotdog Lunch Day
- 8 Super Spring 50/50 Early Bird Draw
- 8 IHMS Uniform Shop Open 3:00PM - 5:00PM
- 9 2:00PM Early Dismissal - Staff Meeting
- 9 7:00 PM Parents' Guild Meeting (in person)
- 13 Glenlea Greenhouse Order Pick-Up Day
- 14 IHMS Track & Field Meet (Grades 4-8)
- 16 International Vyshyvanka Day - N.U.T Day
- 17 Super Spring 50/50 Final Draw
- 20 NO CLASSES - Victoria Day
- 24 9:00AM Annual Oratorical Contest
- 27 Mindful Monday
- 28 Pizza Lunch Order Day
- 30 Pizza Lunch Day
- 31 9:00AM Rosary Prayer Walk
- 31 Freezie Friday

SUPER SPRING 50/50 RAFFLE

Congratulations to our 1st Early Bird Draw winner on April 24, 2024 - Ivanna Zeleniuk (IHMS parent). Purchasers have two more chances to win in Early Bird Draws on May 1st and 8th.

All IHMS families who sell tickets, have a chance to win the 'top sellers grand prize' of an Apple iPad! All IHMS families that sell tickets are entered into the 'sellers draw' and can win a \$100 Roblox Gift Card! For every \$50 worth of tickets sold by your family team a ticket is entered into the 'sellers draw'. Good luck to all the 'family teams'!

A confirmation email will be sent to those families who have not yet had any tickets purchased under their Family Team.