

**TUESDAY, JUNE 4 - HOTDOG LUNCH DAY**

If you ordered hot dogs last week, today is the day! Hot Dog Day are organized by the Parents' Guild under the guidance of our Coordinators, Lesia Bybel & Olga Buduykevych. Revenues are earmarked for busing transportation on field trips.

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5 KINDERGARTEN - GRADE 3 FIELD DAY**

The Kindergarten to Grade 3 students will be having their Annual Field Day at Gateway Recreation Centre (1717 Gateway Road). Rain or shine the Field Day will happen. If the weather is nice we are outside, if it's rainy we will use the indoor field house. Each of the students have been placed on a 'colour team'.

Please check the previous note that was sent home with information on the colour of the t-shirt your child should wear. All the students will travel to and from the Field Day by school bus. Please dress according to the weather and don't forget the hats, sunscreen and water bottle! It is recommended that students come to school already wearing sunscreen. There will be a barbecued hotdog, watermelon and juice lunch provided compliments of the Parents' Guild. Thank you to all the volunteers who have signed up to help! **We are still in need of a driver with a truck /heavy lifter!**

**THURSDAY, JUNE 6 - LIBRARY BOOKS DUE**

The Library is closing very soon for some exciting updates. Check those backpacks and bedside tables! Please return any borrowed materials! It's never too late to return borrowed items, even if they are found over the summer!!

**THURSDAY, JUNE 6 - GR. 5 & 6 BOYS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT**

Hosted at IHMS, teams from other schools will participate in a basketball tournament beginning from late afternoon, all the way into the evening. A canteen service has been organized by Ms. Grant and the Gr. 8 Graduating Class for players to purchase food and snacks beginning from 4:00PM. Thank you to Mr. Dedio for organizing. All parents and guests are invited to cheer on the teams!

**VOLUNTEER PROGRAM**

Families that still have hours to complete, there are jobs available under the June tab. Go to Please use our [Volunteer SignUp link](#) to book your slot!!

**FRIDAY, JUNE 7 - FIRST SOLEMN HOLY COMMUNION DIVINE LITURGY**

All parents and family of First Communicants are invited and encouraged to attend at 9:00AM, Friday, June 7 at Sts. Vladimir & Olga Cathedral. Congratulations to all students who received their Sacraments of First Confession and Solemn Holy Communion this past month. Receiving these 'sacraments of initiation' are important milestones in every child's spiritual journey. It is Immaculate Heart of Mary School's preference that students receiving these sacraments receive them in their home parish first.

**IHMS ANNUAL PICNIC**

Save the date!! The Annual IHMS Family Picnic is scheduled for September 25, 2024. This is an event hosted by the Parents Guild and put on by the helping hands of the whole school community as a way to welcome back to a NEW school year! Mark it in your calendars ... we hope to see you there!

**EXAMINATION SCHEDULE**

Exam information for Grades 7 & 8 was emailed to families on June 1. The experience of preparing for, and writing an exam, are important skills in the student's overall development. Exams will be written on Tuesday, June 18th.

PARENTS' GUILD NEWS - ANNUAL SCHOOL PICNIC HELP

The IHMS Family Picnic is an annual community-building event that will take place on Wednesday, September 25, 2024. This event is solely run by volunteers. The IHMS Parents' Guild is seeking help to fill essential Coordinator roles for the School Picnic. Being a coordinator fulfills the yearly volunteer hours for your family, and allows you to have direct input into picnic planning. Meetings will start taking place over the summer, typically over online meetings. Each Coordinator role would be helped by other volunteers.

The Coordinator roles are listed below and includes which roles are currently open:

- Food and Beverages Coordinator - Olha Tovarnytskyy
 - Donations and Prizes Coordinator - Heather Stephen
 - Activities and Decorations Coordinator - OPEN
 - Meetings and Records Coordinator - January Luczak (FINAL YEAR).
- Parents' Guild is looking to have someone interested in taking over the Meetings and Records Coordinator role for the 2025 picnic, and work with the current coordinator to shadow the role.

More information is available for each Coordinator role by request. Please contact Mrs. Wozny in the School Office (204) 582-5698. These volunteer hours would fulfill the hours for NEXT school year (2024-2025).

**SCHOOL FEES**

Any outstanding balance on tuition fees are due on June 1st. Invoices have been sent out periodically throughout the school year. Families would have received one last week.

Residual balances will be charged a 5% late fee after June 5.

Families making use of the Before and After School Programs must have their fee paid up in full by Friday, June 14.

Payments can be paid to the school office by eTransfer (eft@ihms.mb.ca) with a memo what the payment is regarding) / debit / Visa / Mastercard, cash, or cheque.

