

# St. Francis Xavier Catholic Elementary School

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<https://www.ycdsb.ca/sfx/our-school/calendar/>

## June 2021

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Happy Summer! As the weather has improved, so have our hopes for a summer where we will once again be able to share the outdoors together. On behalf of the entire staff, we would like to extend a sincere thank you for your kind support of our efforts while working online together.

Together with our Catholic School Council parents this year, we were able to allocate funds to building community and increasing the resources that we need with resources in technology and virtual learning.

The Brent and Sarah Magic Show was so very well received! We had over half the families sign up for the magic night that made us all feel so included and part of the same family. The Pro Grant funds that we had received from last year were used to cover the \$500 cost of the show. Remaining carry over funds from last year will be allocated at our next meeting on June 16th at 7:00 pm. We hope that you learned something to share with your family and friends too!

Thank you for your donations non-perishable food items to our Food Drive! Your generosity has made a positive impact on many families in our community. It is so good to know that our help can make all the difference for some of our families.

We are currently compiling the class lists for next year 2021-2022. This will be effected by the need for some families to continue with the remote learning model. YCDSB will be sending you a survey to determine who still requires this option. Please keep in mind that class lists may need to change because of the variety of needs changing as well. A deadline in August is to be expected.

May this summer bring your families much faith, hope and love. Let our daily actions be a true reflection of our commitment to leading inclusive, compassionate and Christ-centred lives.

Kindergarten registration time is still open for all new students! For further information regarding the registration process please read the important inserts in this newsletter.

Yours in Catholic Education,

Ms. E. Naccarato  
Principal

Ms. C. Cabral  
Vice Principal

**CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF FAITH**



May Virtue Winners for RESPONSIBILITY

Ms. Wong - Joshua L, Benjamin Z, Anyssa R

Ms. Spano- Theodore M, Mateo R Emma W

Ms. Iyora Katherine, Annette, Isaac

Ms. Mazza - E. Sebastian, Marvin J

Ms. Sunn - Rowan R, E. B

Ms. Ngaa - Kristen W, Emily L

Ms. Hanna - Justin Y and Avah M

Ms. Julius/Gomes - Josephine P, Boa Z

Ms. Kurdari - Cody He Joyce F

Ms. Bahen - Paula S, Katelyn W

Ms. Uy -Lucas A., Ella H

Ms. Marcelli - Elona A. , Darren P.

Ms. Gelis- Emily, Cairo

Ms. Vieira - Riddhi D and Siddhi D

Ms. Gomes: Nathan C, Vickie C, Thamisha T,

Ms. D'Agostini: Maisy L, Audrey W

Ms. Badali: Michelle M

Ms. Tomasone: Janice Y, Porter Y

Ms. Kirwan Alex L, Amia M

Ms. Cardinale: Joshua Camara, Justin Lee

Mr. Venier Jemial V

Ms. Melino Christian Poon

Mr. Coutts. Melissa L

Ms. Morra – Noah D, Jade W, Ava M

June Virtue Winners for HONESTY

Ms. Wong - Matias M, Jayden D, Jasmyn N, Elijah P.

Ms. Spano -Leiah, Jaden A, Melissa, Valentina

Ms. Iyora- Anna, Hugo, Miguel

Ms. Mazza - Sherlyn M, Katherine W

Ms. Sunn- Navin B, Shania M

Ms. Ngaa - Joshua R, Rafael B

Ms. Hanna - Jayden Y, Arjun L

Ms. Julius/Gomes - Kaitlyn C, Fabian P

Ms. Kurdari Marcus Alexander J, Anthonia U

Ms. Bahen - Jesus Urda P, Kaitlyn D

Ms. Uy - Nicholas C and Catherine S

Ms. Marcelli: Abijan T., Troy L., Christine Y.,

Ms. Gelis- Grace, Kyla

Ms. Vieira - Gashon C.

Mr. Sunn Celeste Rex

Ms. Gomes: Hayden M, Ryan H, Keelian B

Ms. D'Agostini: Kaila Ann N, Angelo O

Ms. Badali: Kale P

Ms. Ge - Grace, Kyla

Ms. Tomasone - Amelia C & Cajetan J

Ms. Kirwin Alex, Amia

Ms. Cardinale- Ronald C

Mr. Venier. Christian R

Ms. Melino - Baileigh S

Mr. Coutts Zi Fan G

Ms. Morra- Andrei , Johan A.



## AGENDAS

The current and ongoing changes to the ways that we teach has made the use of our regular paper copy agendas, less useful. We are therefore looking at other options at this time.

## Clothing and School Items Left at School

It's that time of year where we look for some of the lost items we may not have seen for awhile.

We will keep you informed as to when we are returning to school but please feel free to let us of items that you may need at home in the next few weeks.

## **NEW!** HELPFUL TIPS FOR HOT SUMMER WEATHER DAYS

1. When in the sun, always wear sunscreen and a hat if possible.
2. Remember to stay hydrated every couple of hours or sooner!
3. When running, where loose/light clothing and light reflective clothing at night.
4. Try staying out of the sun when it is at its hottest (12:00 pm).
5. Enjoy dinner outdoors!

## SAFE & CARING SCHOOLS

### VISITORS TO THE SCHOOL

Visitors are not to enter the school during hours of operation unless identified through a pre-arranged exception. It is expected that parents/guardians **contact the school by telephone first at 905-470-2225 if assistance is required.** Visitors will only be allowed to enter after they have reviewed the self-assessment notification posted at the front door. Visitors will be admitted individually by buzzer and remain in the front foyer. Visitors are expected to wear a mask at all times when inside the school and to sanitize their hands upon entry. If visitors are invited to enter the office beyond the foyer, a reminder to please respect a two-metre physical distance at all times. As usual, all permitted visitors must confirm their arrival by signing in/out. If a parent/guardian needs to meet with the Principal or teacher, **the meeting must be scheduled in advance.** While we are always willing to partner with you regarding any questions or concerns you may have, **drop-in visits to speak with the Principal or a teacher are not permitted at this time.**

*St. Francis Xavier Catholic School Council Annual Report*

*June 29, 2021*

*To all of the children, parents and guardians of St. Francis of Xavier community, your parent council thanks you for participating in and celebrating with our school community for the past year 2020 -2021.*

*We would like to give a heartfelt thank you to this year's Parent Representatives as well:*

*Tracy Boodhan, Anthony DiMilta, Michelle Goland, Vanessa Plummer, Nancy Triestino, Karen Thompson, Linda Spataro, Sharda Dammar, Leenal Smith and Teacher Representative:*

*Perry Manti*

*Thank you as well to all those parent volunteers not listed here for your help along the way and to all the teachers who contributed so much. It is truly appreciated. Some of the events your council was involved in this year included: Scientist in the Schools, Trivia Nights, Gr. 7/8 Virtual Trip, Gr. 8 Graduation Hats and Graduation Awards. We also dedicated our ProGrant Ministry of Education funds to our community building event - Brent and Sara Magic Show. Everyone had a great time! Please check the school website for agenda and minutes, including newsletters.*

*We thank-you fellow parents, for the money that you generously donated last year that was carried forward this year. This money was always well-spent, for the benefit of all of our children, with your participation in the various events. We all thank you for your gracious generosity. Money was allocated according to teacher wish lists as follows:*

*Scientist in the School \$1400*

*Chromebooks \$4000*

*Document Cameras \$ 2000*

*In conclusion and on behalf of your entire parent council, we'd like to thank you for your ongoing support and warm, inviting catholic spirit. It was a great honour for all of us to serve as your Council this year and we welcome you all to join next year.*

*God Bless,*

*Melanie Larivee, Kristina Wheeler, Nadia Camara*



# Kindergarten Registration

## Registration for the 2021-2022 school year begins January 4, 2021

Parents are invited to register online at:

[www.ycdsb.ca/admissions](http://www.ycdsb.ca/admissions)

Following submission of an online registration, you will be asked to upload the following documents via a secure link:

- Roman Catholic Baptismal Certificate (child or parent) or a Catholic Church in Communion with the Holy See of Rome
- Proof of age
- Proof of legal status in Canada
- Proof of residency
- Proof of Separate School Support (i.e. MPAC Assessment Notice), or you can complete a school support form that is included in the registration package.

**JK:** Children must be 4 years old by Dec. 31, 2021 (born in 2017)

**SK:** Children must be 5 years old by Dec. 31, 2021 (born in 2016)

*If your child is already attending a YCDSB school for JK registration is not required.*

For information, contact the Admissions Department:



[www.ycdsb.ca/admissions](http://www.ycdsb.ca/admissions)



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