



# Immaculate Conception School

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Dear Parents,

Jesus taught us to *"Love one another as I have loved you."*

Our teaching this month is on Love. Throughout this month we will focus on how to show love and kindness to all. The greatest commandment Jesus gave us was to love God and the second was to love our neighbour!

This month, students are encouraged to spread love within their homes, school and greater community; simple acts of kindness, done with love. Let us be a light and spread our love to others!

This month students will be making Valentine cards and these will be delivered around town to varying agencies on February 14.

On behalf of all the staff, we wish you all a joyful month. In the words of Mother Teresa, *"Spread love everywhere you go. Let no one ever come to you without leaving happier."*

## Musical Theatre

Rehearsals for Musical Theatre are well underway and the troupe are looking for some items to be used for dress rehearsals and the production. Please find the prop and set list [HERE](#). Items can be brought with students or you can drop them off at the office. You can also email Caitlin Ceaser at [cceaser@cispg.ca](mailto:cceaser@cispg.ca) if you have any questions or for information.



## Upcoming School Events

### February 4

MunchaLunch opens for March ordering, 3 PM

### February 6

Explore Friday Project resumes, 1 PM

### February 7

School Mass, 9 AM  
Gr 2-7 UNBC Fieldtrip, 10:45-1:30 PM

### February 14

Valentine's Day- Red, White and Pink Day  
Explore Friday Project, 1PM

### February 16

Parish School Mass, 11 AM

### February 17

Family Day-NO CLASSES!

### February 18

MunchaLunch closes at noon  
PSG Meeting 7 pm

### February 21

NID Day- NO CLASSES!

### February 25

Shrove Tuesday-Pancake Lunch in the hall, 12 PM

### February 26

Anti-Bullying Day-wear pink!  
Ash Wednesday  
Choir at PG Music Festival, 9:15-12 PM

### February 27

Explore Friday Project, 1 PM

### February 28

Gr 5, 6 & 7 Purden Ski Trip

# Faith Matters

## Parish/School Mass

Parish/School Mass will be held on Sunday, February 16, at 11 AM. Please join us.

If your child would like to volunteer to participate in Ministries at Mass, please contact the office.

## Parents

### Grade 8 Online Transition

*The Transition Process will close at 3:00 pm on February 4, 2020.*

*Student Transfer Process will open on February 5, 2020 at 9:00 am and close on March 5, 2020 at 3:00 pm.*

### Explore Friday

Explore Friday Project will resume on Thursday, February 6, due to the Gr 2-7 UNBC Fieldtrip on Friday. If you are able to help with an activity, please sign-up [HERE](#) or contact the office.

### UNBC Gr 2-7 Field Trip

There has been a change to the scheduled bus pick up for Gr 2-7 students who will be attending the UNBC field trip on Friday, February 7. The new bus pick up time is 10:45 AM at the school. Parent volunteers can ride the bus with students at 10:45 AM or meet at the sports centre at 11 AM. Hot lunch will be delivered to the venue for students who have ordered hot lunch that day. Students will be bussed back to the school at 1:30 PM

### Re-Registration for 2020-2021

The re-registration/verification forms will be sent home shortly. Please ensure that all information on the form is correct. Please note any changes on the form for our records. Please sign and return this form by Friday, February 28, to secure your child's space for the coming year.

**All forms must be returned to the school by February 28, 2020.**

## Faith Matters Important Dates

### School Mass

Join us in prayer Friday, February 7, at 9 AM led by Grade 6. Coffee and fellowship to follow. Please join us.

### Parish/School Mass

Our Parish/School Mass will be held on February 16, at 11 AM. Ministries at Mass will be performed by students.

### Mass Schedule IC Parish

Daily Mass 9 AM M – Sat  
Sunday 9 & 11AM, 7 PM  
Pastor: Fr Chris Lynch  
[www.icparish.ca](http://www.icparish.ca)

## Important Information and Forms Due

### **February 3**

Gr 2-7 UNBC Fieldtrip Form due

### **February 6**

Basketball Game IC@St. Mary's  
3 PM

### **February 10**

Purden Ski Permission Form and online registration for Gr. 5, 6 and 7 students due

### **February 13**

Basketball Game Cedars@IC  
3 PM

### **February 14**

Valentine's Day card delivery

### **February 20**

Basketball Game IC@Cedars,  
3PM

### **February 27**

Knights of Columbus  
Tournament begins

### **February 28**

2020-2021 Re-Registration/Verification Sheets due.

## **Basketball**

Basketball season is underway. Game schedules were sent home with students and the Knights of Columbus Tournament will be held afterschool on Thursday, February 27, Friday, February 28 and on Saturday, February 29. The Gr 5, 6 and 7 students will be on their annual ski trip to Purden on Friday, February 28, so games that day have been scheduled to accommodate travel time.

## **Purden Ski Trip**

The bus will be leaving the school at 8:00 AM on Friday, February 28, for the Gr 5, 6, and 7 ski trip. Please ensure that you arrive at the school ahead of time if you are riding the bus to the hill. The bus will depart from Purden at 3:45 PM and is expected to reach the school by 4:30 PM. Please have the permission form and online registration completed by Monday, February 10.

## **Thank You**

A huge thank you from the Grade 5 class to everyone who came out to our movie night and helped support our trip to Barkerville in June.

## **Yearbook Photos**

We are looking for photos for the yearbook. If you have any photos of students or school events, please email them to [kames@cispg.ca](mailto:kames@cispg.ca).

# Parent Support Group

## **PSG Website Link**

The next Parent Support Group meeting will be on Tuesday, February 18, at 7 pm in the school library. All parents are welcome to attend. You can keep up to date with PSG information from the IC School Website [HERE](#).

## **Parent Support Group**

### **PSG Hot Lunch FB Page**

Please check out the IC Hot Lunch Support Group Facebook page. You can find the link [HERE](#)

### **PSG Dates To Remember**

#### **February 18**

PSG Meeting 7 pm

## **Northern United FC**

Please see following updates provided by Northern United FC.

This is a busy time for us as we just started our winter indoor programs and we are also preparing for our 2020 outdoor season. Saying that, we would like to pass on a few important items to our membership.

### **2020 OUTDOOR REGISTRATION** (Early February)

The coaching staff is working extremely hard planning our 2020 outdoor season. We are doing something different this year as we are going to start in April. We are still finalizing the details but the older groups will start April 7th and the U5-8 Grassroots will start April 11th. All training will be up at the NSC until May 9th, then we go outdoors. NUFC's 2020 outdoor registration should be online the second week of February or sooner! We anticipate more players this year so this leads to our next item...

### **COACHES**

The foundation of our programming is based on experienced coaching! With membership increasing we will require coaches for our outdoor programs. If you are an experienced coach or you just love the game and would like the opportunity to learn, NUFC's Tech Team wants to hear from you! If you are interested please send us an email with the subject Coach and we will get back to you.

### **FAMILY DAY** (February 17th)

NUFC is once again working with Engaged Sport North up at the NSC for Family Day on Monday, February 17th, 2020. Come and join us as we will have some fun soccer activities set up from 9:30am to 12:30pm. What a fantastic way to spend the day with family and you could also win some pretty cool prizes as well.

### **AGM** (March 11th)

NUFC's AGM is scheduled for Wednesday, March 11, 2020 in the Wolf Den up at the NSC. The AGM goes from 6-9pm and we would love to see everyone there. There are 4 vacant positions on the board that need to be filled. If you are interested and would like to be part of the future of Northern United FC we kindly ask you to attend.

Should you have any questions, feedback and/or suggestions to further improve our club, please feel free to be in touch.

Regards,

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