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#### A note from the Principal



As mentioned in the October bulletin, you will be able to access your child's first report card via the Fusion portal by the end of the day on November 20<sup>th</sup>. Please note that for the second year appointments will be done on line via the Fusion portal like the Senior Campus. An Email will be sent to you in this week explaining the procedure. If you do not have access to the internet, please advise the office.

Our parent meetings will be conducted on the evening of Wednesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> and the morning of Thursday, Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup>. **Do not arrive at school without an appointment.** We also ask that you please respect the time and length of your child's interview.

In order to better understand the evaluation and reporting process, parents are encouraged to visit our school website <http://stjohnfisher.lbpsb.qc.ca/> and look for the evaluation icon under the administration section of the Jr. Campus.

#### Library

We have been working hard updating the library. Phase 1 is almost complete. We are hoping to open the library this week.

We are still in need of volunteers to read to the children, lend books and reshelved the returns. It is easy and fun work with on the job training. The shifts that are most desperate for volunteers are

Tuesday afternoon, Wednesday afternoon and Friday afternoon.

We would also like to build a list of volunteers who may be able to replace regular volunteers on an occasional basis. For more information or to sign up please contact Christine at [dairchris@gmail.com](mailto:dairchris@gmail.com)

#### Punctuality is a priority



##### Being on time sets the tone for the day!

The lineup bell is at 8:10 a.m. and staff is on duty as of 8:00 a.m.

#### Winter Wear



Winter is fast approaching or is it? Needless to say, please make sure that your child is dressed appropriately for the weather.

#### Calendar

- Nov. 15 Home & School meeting (Sr. Campus)
- Nov. 15 School nurse visit in Kindergarten
- Nov. 16 Grade 2 Nature walk in Terra Cotta Park
- Nov. 18 HandS Holiday Fair (Sr. campus)
- Nov. 20 Report cards available via Fusion Portal  
**No hard copies sent home!**
- Nov. 22 Evening interviews (3:00 – 8:00 p.m.)
- Nov. 23 Morning interviews (8:00 – 11:30 a.m.)
- Nov. 23 Pedagogical day (Daycare is open)
- Nov. 24 **School and Daycare are closed for teacher's convention.**
- Dec. 1 Kindergarten outing in the morning
- Dec. 6 Governing Board (7:00 p.m.) TBC

## Daycare Reminder



Our next ped day is Thursday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>. We are going to Cinema Beaubien to watch *Le Manoir magique*, a French animated movie. Registration deadline is this Thursday, November 16<sup>th</sup>.

Please note that Friday, November 24<sup>th</sup> the daycare will be closed as all support staff are attending their annual general meeting.

We still have a few children who do not have an extra pair of shoes for daycare. Please send in a pair if you haven't already done so!

Donations: If anyone has any paper that they could donate for the children to color on, we would greatly appreciate it! Even if only one side is usable, the children don't mind! We also need about 80 small empty water bottles, the 500 ml size, for our next ped day.

## Virtues



The virtue of the month is Friendship. This is part of the school Peaceful School committee initiative.

## Home and School News



The first deadline to hand in the FundScrip paper order form is Friday November 17. Send in your form and payment to: H&S FundScrip.

### Halloween Boxes:

Thank you very much for your participation in this campaign! The total of the money collected will be relayed back to us from The Montreal Children's Hospital Foundation in the coming months.

TCBY: Upcoming dates are Tuesday, November 21<sup>st</sup>.

Subway lunch: Upcoming date is Friday, December 1<sup>st</sup>.

### Upcoming Events:

The Christmas Fair & Vendor Fair is this week and H&S needs your help at most stations. Should a station not have enough volunteers, it will be

closed. Grade six students and high school students are welcome to volunteer.

### Where would you like to help?

Friday evening set-up: Fair games, raffle table, lunch café, craft corner, face painting, Santa's workshop, fair treats, bake sale.

Hospitality is your gift? We need a cheerful greeter at the door; someone is needed between 11am - 2pm, let H&S know if you can help for an hour or two.

Not able to volunteer? That's ok because we need bakers! Baked goods are needed for the bake sale!

Please drop off your delicious delights on Friday Nov 17, 8am-3pm and 6:30pm-7:30pm at *the table by the Sr school main entrance*. Email H&S to sign up **OR**, if you can get kid-friendly raffle prizes...we'll take those too!!!

**To sign up to help at any station, bake or greet - please email [sjfhands@gmail.com](mailto:sjfhands@gmail.com)**

We're looking forward to a great day of fun! 40+ vendors will be selling their goods. Vendors are featured @sjfhands events. Come prepared to shop, buy raffle tickets for amazing prizes and enjoy the Fair Games! The HandS Hub will be there too - selling FundScrip cards and SJF Apparel. Let the festivities begin!

**Contact Us** at [sjfhands@gmail.com](mailto:sjfhands@gmail.com) for any information about our events and activities.

### Lost and Found:

Unlabeled items will be put on display on Nov. 22-23 in the school lobby during parent-teacher meetings. Please take the time to look for your lost items. Unclaimed items will then be donated to charity.

**Next Meeting:** Last meeting of 2017 is on **Wednesday, November 15<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm** at the Junior Campus. All are welcome! **No meeting scheduled in December.**

