

Good Afternoon St. Margaret Mary Community,

Good luck to our Senior Boys and Senior Girls Flag Football teams who are beginning their playoff season this week!

For any families that have ordered the navy blue school hoodies, we still have not received a delivery date from the manufacturer. As soon as I hear when to expect the sweaters I will let you know.

Last call for any outstanding chocolate money - if you have been unable to sell the entire case please return the unsold chocolate. Thank you for your continued support!

SEE ME IN HWCDSB: On October 19th all families received an email from HWCDSB regarding the student and staff survey. The HWCDSB's "See Me in HWCDSB" student demographic survey launched on October 20. By better understanding our student population, the HWCDSB will be better able to implement practices and policies to ensure that our students are not only seen but represented at all levels of the HWCDSB. Parents/guardians will receive a secure link in their child's email and be asked to complete the survey on their child's behalf. Participation is voluntary. More information can be found at : <https://parents.hwcdsb.ca/student-demographic-survey>

UPCOMING DATES:

Thursday, October 27 - WEAR PURPLE DAY (dress down for students and staff). Ontario Dress Purple Day is led by the Children's Aid Societies across the province. It is a day of action to raise awareness about the community's responsibility to look after children and youth.

Monday, October 31 - Halloween: Students and staff are invited to dress in a school-appropriate costume (leave all masks and toy weapons/accessories at home) or orange and black. Our student council has planned lots of great activities for the day.

Tuesday, November 1 is photo retake day. LifeTouch has let us know that we should be receiving the fall photos by the end of the week or by Monday. Any students who wish to have a retake photo done on Tuesday will have the opportunity to do so. Uniforms are to be worn.

Tuesday, November 1 is All Saints Day: is celebrated annually on November 1 by the Catholic Church. It is dedicated to all recognized and unknown saints who have attained heaven.

Wednesday, November 2 is All Souls Day: this day is also known as the Commemoration of the All the Faithful Departed. It is a day of prayer and remembrance for Roman Catholics for all those who have passed away.

Wishing everyone a wonderful week,

Mrs. Coletto