

PEC NEWS

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WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL

The St. Bernadette Elementary School Administrative Staff, Teachers and Parish Education Committee (PEC) happily welcome back all students who will be returning to St. Bernadette next week. We also extend a warm welcome to all students who will be new to our school family this year. We hope everyone had a great summer.

As we prepare to head into fall we invite all St. Bernadette families to share in our excitement for another wonderful year for our school community. This year we hope to continue to build on our achievements as a school community in the previous year, as well as make improvements where needed, to keep making St. Bernadette a place for our students to learn, build meaningful relationships and grow in our faith. Together, let's make this another year to remember!

WORK BEE – SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST

The school grounds are needing some cleaning and sprucing up before school re-opens next week. We invite you to bring your work gloves (all other tools will be provided) this Saturday, September 1st and **get a jump start on your volunteer hours for the new school year!** Work will begin at 9:00am until completion, and lunch will be provided. Please contact Marc Fournier at mf4@telus.net if you would like to help out at this Work Bee.

WELCOME BACK PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The Knights of Columbus will once again be hosting a Pancake Breakfast for all students and their families on the first day of school - Tuesday, September 4th. This will be held at the Parish Hall, starting at 9:00am.

All new families are asked to visit the PEC table to pick up a Welcome Package. All students and families are welcome to attend, including those in Kindergarten who may not have classes on that day due to the gradual entry schedule (Students must be in proper uniform).

The Pancake Breakfast will be followed by the Flag Raising Ceremony at 10:15am.

MEET THE TEACHER / PARENT INFO NIGHT

Please mark your calendars for **Meet the Teacher / Parent Information Night on Thursday, September 13th**. The evening will begin at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall. The school will be sharing important information regarding the upcoming school year.

After the short gathering, parents will then proceed to their child(ren)'s classroom(s) to meet the teacher. Teachers will share information for the year ahead. It is really important that you attend this evening; one (1) hour of parent participation will be given to every family who attends. **This is one of two mandatory nights for families so please make arrangements to attend (the other night is the AGM/Parent Support Night in January).**

SAVE THE DATE: FALL SOCIAL

Please save the date for this year's Fall Social, which will be held on **Saturday, October 20th**. Details will be sent home through the students very soon. We hope for your support in this event and in all fundraising events this year.

EVENT CALENDAR

September 4

First Day of School

September 7

School Mass
(8:45am School Start Time)

September 13

Meet the Teacher /
Parent Info Night

September 19

Timberline Fundraiser
(Non-Uniform Day)

September 20

Photo Day (Individual)

September 21

Outdoor Family Movie Night

September 25

Individual Photo Retakes

September 28

Pro-D Day (No School)

Please check the school calendar regularly for all school events/activities:
stbernadetteschool.ca/school-life/school-calendar

STINGERS CLUB

Before & After School Care:

7:00-8:30am / 3:00-6:00 pm

***Wednesdays: 2:15 to 6:00 pm**

Email: stingersclub@stbernadette.ca

YOUR P.E.C.

ANGELA LEW, Chairperson / CISVA Delegate

CATHY LAN, Vice-Chairperson / Fundraising Committee Co-Chair

CAMILLE EVANGELISTA, Secretary / Parent Participation

CHERYL CHIANG, Treasurer

MARC FOURNIER, Maintenance Committee Chair

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