



News from Student Council

Student Council had a raffle daily during the last five days before Christmas break. Each day a winner from a Period 2 class would win a prize from the Student Council. The following prizes were awarded:

Monday 19 : Candy canes - ENG 2D Mr. Manson
Tuesday 20: Chocolate Chip Cookies- MHF 4U- Mr. Richer
Wednesday 21: Hot Chocolate - FIF 2D- M. Longtin
Thursday 22: Chocolate chip Muffins - ENG 1D- Ms. Bauer
Friday 23: Pizza Party - HFN 20 - Mrs. Baker

House points—update
Justice: 4879
Hope: 5059
Courage: 4355
Hope: 5059

Christmas Activities:

The door decorating contest was a huge success and the competition was fierce!! After one week of preparations, the classes during Period One prepared doors that fell under the theme Of "Christmas Movies." Doors were judged by Mrs. Cameron and the criteria was Faith, Houses, HT spirit, presentation and relevance to theme. Student Council also showed films in the cafeteria for the last week of school. Students enjoyed "Elf" and "Home Alone."

Christmas Karaoke was held on Tuesday the 22nd- with many students and staff partaking in singing carols for the people eating lunch.

Crazy Christmas sweater day was held on Thursday, the 22nd and the hallways were filled with many different knitted Christmas themes . And what can we say about crazy hair day! It was definitely a sight for soar eyes. Hot Chocolate sales were also huge on Wednesday and students enjoyed the tasty drinks.

The last house rally of 2011 was a huge success. The houses came out in full force making the rally and the competitions some of the best yet. The annual Santa run obstacle course was a resounding hit with students giving their all to win the race. Houses were asked to dress a teacher up like Santa, sing a rendition of "Frosty the Snowman" and create a Nativity scene. Congratulations to all of the houses for their hard work.

January:

January is a very quiet month for Student Council as students are very busy with academics, culminating activities and exams. However- stay tuned for the first week of the new semester when we have a Charity Week benefitting the Cornwall Hospice. This week promises to be full of many fun and interesting activities; including the second dance of the year!!

News from the 7/8 wing

The new semester will begin February 7th

Catholic School Council

Our next Catholic School Council meeting will take place on February 22nd. We encourage all of our parents to come and join us. Lots of positive discussion takes place regarding our school. Everyone is welcome. The meeting will begin 6:30 p.m.

HT welcomes their feeder schools in a big way!

On January 12th, HT will be welcoming each and every student in surrounding elementary catholic schools to the **Falcons' Nest**. **Our up and coming future gr.9 students will be** coming in to learn more about what HT has to offer. Students will learn about course selections, the different pathways being offered and they will benefit from a shortened rotation to really get a feel for the various courses at HT. Our HT gr.8 students will have their own orientation on January 13th. The orientation will begin at 9:00 a.m. and will end with a free pizza lunch at 12:00 p.m. for both our feeder school students and our own.

The HT Ski Club will begin as soon as we have snow...

Watch for announcements to join this exciting club. The group will be touring various ski hills to hone and improve their ski skills. Mrs. Trisha Longtin will be heading up this club. We hope to see our students have plenty of skiing opportunities.



Happy New Year! We hope that all students and families had a joyful and restful holiday season. The last week of classes leading up to the Christmas holidays was a fun-filled time for students. We had a movie afternoon, a dance afternoon, a pep rally, and an exciting teacher versus student volleyball competition. A lot of fun was had by all! Now it is time to get back to the books! Report cards will be going home on February 15, 2012 and parents will have another opportunity to meet with teachers. It is always important to keep the communication lines open so we encourage all parents to attend. More details on interview times will be sent home with the report card. Grade 8 students will be receiving information concerning high school registration; teachers will be sending home recommendations for placement in high school and students will need to select their courses for next year. Basketball tryouts are underway for the tournament that will be taking place in March. We will be entering 2 boys and 2 girls teams and the tournament will take place here at Holy Trinity. **We would like to remind students and parents alike that all students are required to wear the Holy Trinity gym uniform to gym classes.** Also, only black or white tops can be worn under the regular school uniform. As always, we thank parents for their continued support as we work with their children!