

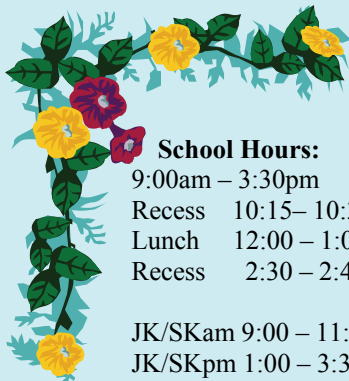


*End of June, 2011*



*Celebrate Canada Day  
July 1st*

*Have a fantastic summer!  
May God watch over you and your  
families. First day of school—  
Tuesday, September 6th.*



**School Hours:**  
9:00am – 3:30pm  
Recess 10:15 – 10:30  
Lunch 12:00 – 1:00  
Recess 2:30 – 2:45  
  
JK/SKam 9:00 – 11:30  
JK/SKpm 1:00 – 3:30

**Attendance Line**  
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**Superintendent:**  
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# St. Edith Stein School

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<b>Principal:</b>	Ann Marie Slak	<b>Superintendent:</b>	Denise Oude-Reimerink
<b>V-Principal:</b>	Mike MacDonald	<b>Trustee:</b>	Esther O'Toole
<b>Secretary:</b>	Basie Candiano	<b>Pastor:</b>	Fr. Mark Villanueva
<b>School Council Chair:</b>	Deborah Zeloway	<b>Vice-Chair:</b>	Patricia Scire

## Go With God *A Summer Prayer*

*Go with God!*

*Take this prayer with you and keep  
it in your mind and heart.*

*As you take leave of our school for  
the summer, and lay aside  
notebooks, textbooks, pencils and pens,*

*Go with God, as God goes with you.*

*As you begin new projects*

*Or a well deserved family vacation*

*As you meet and make new friends*

*Go with God, and God will guide you.*

*As you enjoy the summer sun  
and the summer's cool blue waters,*

*Be wise and safe.*

*Respect the beauty of the earth,*

*As God's gift to you,*

*Go with God as God goes with you.*

*As you go to quiet places to reflect  
and to pray,*

*Enjoy the peace and beauty  
of private space,*

*and the bounty of your 'senses'.*

*Enjoy this new opportunity to  
experience, to learn and rest well.*

*Go with God*

*as God goes always with you,  
and enjoy a wonderfully  
restful summer!*

## **Principal's Message**

We decided to send home one last newsletter to highlight some of the wonderful events this month and School Council Year End Report!

Our Track & Field Team was very successful at the Family & Board meets. Congratulations to all the students that participated and thank you to the many coaches that supported the many track & field events.

On Wed. June 22nd our SK students charmed parents and all with songs, poems and chants learned this year in kindergarten. They have graduated and are moving forward to Grade 1!

We thank Father Mark for presiding at our annual Friendship Mass where our JK students accompanied our graduating grade 8 students to show the continuum of elementary education. We thank Ms. Blazevic, Mrs. Powidajko and grade 7 students for preparing the Grade 7 choir and hosting the Friendship gathering.

Later in the afternoon we honoured our volunteers at our Volunteer Appreciation Tea. This year, on behalf of our St. Edith Stein volunteers, we made a \$500. donation to Credit Valley Hospital Child Care Unit. A copy of the certificate along with the names of our volunteers are included in this newsletter. All the students and staff at St. Edith Stein thank our volunteers for their gift of time and talents they share with us.

On Mon. June 27th we gathered at the Mississauga Convention Centre to celebrate the successes of our graduating grade 8 students. It was a night to remember with numerous awards, an amazing DVD prepared by Mrs. Lourenco that commemorated a great year! A delicious dinner followed the graduating ceremony and wonderful dance! Congratulations to all of you and we wish you all the best!

"CLAP OUT" We end the year with our traditional Grade 8 graduate "Clap Out!" Students, staff and parents line the hallways clapping to the Rocky theme song—wishing our grade 8's all the best as they move on to high school!

On behalf of Mr. MacDonald and myself, we extend our sincere gratitude to all the staff, students and community for their support over the years and our thoughts, prayers and best wishes will always be with all of you!

Ann Marie Slak & Mike MacDonald

**Thank you** to Mrs. Kennedy from M&M's on Derry and 10th Line for donating drinks for our Primary Play Day! It was well appreciated on such a warm day! Everyone had lots of fun!

## Closed for the summer – See you in September

The school will be closed as of Friday, July 1st and will re-open for registrations starting at the end of August. Office hours for Monday August 31<sup>st</sup> to Friday, September 2<sup>th</sup> will be from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm.

## New Registrations

Parents/Guardians should bring the following documents when registering their child:

- Proof of age
- Original Baptismal Certificate from a Roman, Greek or Ukrainian Rite, for both the parent and child
- Updated immunization records
- Proof of Canadian citizenship or Landed immigrant status
- Proof of address within St. Edith Stein catchment area

## First Day of School – Tuesday, September 6th

Class lists are tentative due to some possible changes over the summer months. To that end we are asking that students meet in the following areas on the first day of school, Tuesday, September 8th at 9:00 a.m.

Students are asked to line up at the designated doors. There will be labels posted.

- ✦ Kindergarten – Kindergarten yard
- ✦ Grade 1 – 3 – Doors of the port-a-pack
- ✦ Grade 4 to 6 – Main yard by custodian's doors and Day Care yard
- ✦ Grade 7 & 8 - North Yard Intermediate doors



## Are You Moving?

If you are planning to move or have already moved please notify the school office. If you have moved out of Peel Region, register at your local school so taxes will be directed to the board in which you reside. Your cooperation is appreciated.

## Up-Date Information

Please inform the office of any changes to telephone numbers, work numbers, cell phone numbers and contact people! We cannot stress enough the importance of this information. This includes any medical information that may jeopardize the health safety of your child (ren).

## Report Cards

Reports cards went home on Tuesday, June 28<sup>th</sup>. On the 4th page is a "Response Form" to be completed, signed and returned. Use this page with your child, as a "plan for next year's goals." In the event of changes in staffing, the report card will only state the grade level for next year.



## Thank You and Good-Bye to

Mrs. Marchioni & Mrs. MacMillan for their work with our special needs students. We wish them well in their new placements in Mississauga North.

## Dates to Remember

### September

- 6 First Day of Classes
- 12 Lamontagne Fundraising Kick-Off
- 16 School Council Nomination Forms Due
- 16 P.D. Day – Re-Organization Day
- 22 School Council Meeting - 7 p.m.
- 29 Open House
- 29 PhotoVision Picture Day!

### October

- 10 Thanksgiving



**St. Edith Stein's Shining Stars & leaders participated in the Mississauga North Day of fun activities!**

## Thank You & Good-Bye to:

Mrs. Ellery, Mrs. Ryan and Mrs. Davis for their professionalism and dedication while at Stein! We wish them all the best as they await new opportunities in teaching for September.

## Bus Transportation 2011-2012

Transportation is provided for students who reside more than the following distances by road, path or walkway from the school they are eligible to attend.



Kindergarten	1.0 km
Grade 1 - 4	1.6 km
Grades 5 & 6	2.0 km
Grades 7 & 8	3.2 km

Once, all eligible students have been provided with seats, then students who are not eligible may apply for an "EMPTY SEAT." Requests will depend on availability of seats and need. Application forms for "Empty Seat Request" can be picked up in the office. Requests will be granted by the end of September.

## *Stein Makes a Difference*

St. Edith Stein gave witness to her faith and taught us how one member of a community can make a difference. Collectively we can make a difference and that is why we work together in helping others in need. Every year the students and families of St. Edith Stein support numerous charities—below is a list of charities we have supported throughout the year.

### ***Charities to date:***

- September—Terry Fox, \$3017.00
- October—St. Vincent de Paul Food Drive
- Halloween Candy—3 large garbage cans filled with candy, chocolates, chips and a huge assortment of treats brought to Dr. Simone—Canada Food for Children
- November—Eden Food Bank “Toonie Tuesday”
- December— Angel on the Tree with 150 gifts for St. Vincent de Paul
- Christmas Baskets for 5 families of St. Josephine Bakhita Parish & 5 for St. John of the Cross Parish
- World Vision \$537.00
- Peel Region Police “Toys for Tots”
- April—Share Life Easter Raffle \$543.00
- Daffodils for Cancer
- May—Hats off for Kidz—Sick Kids Hospital \$300.00
- Friends-Helping-Friends Walk-a-thon \$300.00
- June—Credit Valley Hospital donation on behalf of Volunteers—Child Care Unit \$500.
- St. Josephine Bakhita Parish Building Fund \$1000.00

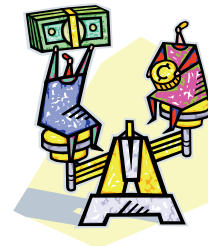
We thank the St. Edith Stein community for their generosity and making a difference in the lives of all our families and our community!



## School Council Budget Report 2010-2011

### Money Raised

Balance at start of the year	\$3006.85
Popcorn	\$744.97
Lamontagne	\$5,539.12
Bazaar 2010	\$4,793.23
Gift Cards	\$400.60
SPC Cards	\$5.00
Movie Nights	\$793.14
Rush Embroidery	\$196.00
Shorty's Meats	\$20.00
Bazaar 2011	\$840.00
<u>Gov't Grants/HEAL</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>
<b>Total Raised</b>	<b>\$16,838.91</b>



### Money Spent

OAPCE seminar	\$65.00
Walk a thon freezies	\$70.00
Bank charges	\$204.17
White boards (17)	\$4,250.00
Grade 8 Grad	\$600.00
Screen 12x12' with installation	\$5,000.00
Teachers wish list*	\$2,735.00
Communion	\$200.00
PALS	\$300.00
<u>Virtues in Action Program</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>
<b>Total Spent</b>	<b>\$13,924.17</b>

\* Teachers Wish List Included: Phys Ed equipment, Special Ed resources, Chess club, French program and each grade.

### *“Special Thanks to School Council”*

Thank you for your hard work, dedication and continuing support for our students and school. Without your support we would not have special events such as movie nights on the fabulous ‘big screen,’ the Christmas Bazaar, treats like popcorn days and popsicles for walk-a-thons; white boards in all our classrooms and other wonderful things in our classrooms!

Hope you all find time to relax and recruit new members to help out for 2011-2012. Many hands make light work!