

Quick Snapper September 23 2022



News from the Office:

School Photographs: The Artona Group facilitated our photography today. Your child was provided a unique Student card to bring home. The card identifies your access code, specific for your child, it is the key to accessing their photos online. **Retakes will be Friday, Oct 14th.**

You can **expect an email shortly**, that your child's photos are available to view online.

https://www.artona.com/schools/STJA/programs/school_photo

Truth & Reconciliation Day: Please find attached a letter from Bishop Joseph in regards to Friday, September 30 Truth & Reconciliation Day.

Terry Fox Run: Please find attached an introduction letter for our SJS Terry Fox Run happening this Thursday, September 29. We are in need of multi volunteers to share this wonderful annual event with our students and staff. Please advise the office if you are available to participate @ 250.542.4081 or office@stjamesvernon.com

Volunteers: require a Criminal record check prior to volunteering in the classroom, going on field trips etc. Attached is the online process or contact the office for a paper submission.

Saints of Service - Parent Participation Program

SOS was created to engage and build relationships amongst our SJ families. The opportunities to volunteer are many and quite diverse. Whether you have time to come into the school or prefer to assist from home, you will find areas of interest. Whether you are a gardener, fixer-upper or have a creative side, there will be lots of opportunities to share your many gifts. We are currently gathering suggestions and ideas with staff and will then provide volunteer opportunities. Contact the office with any questions or to sign up for an available opportunity.

Available Opportunities

- Terry Fox Run
- Join PSG - become involved with fundraising activities
- Church Ministries - become involved as a Reader, Usher, Eucharist Minister
- Referral program - refer a new family to SJS (criteria attached)

Hot Lunch (HL):

October's Hot Lunch menu is attached. If your child is **currently on HL** please **provide payment by Friday, September 30** or advise that your child will not participate. If you are interested in having your child participate in the Hot Lunch program please contact the office.

Take Home Supper (THS):

October's Take Home Supper menu is attached. Please ensure your **order & payment** are received by **Monday, noon** for THS that Wednesday. Payment can be made at the school office by cheque, cash, dr/cc, or etransfer as per the following required format: **THS \$amt, size of order, and date ordering for pick up**. Send etransfer to payments@stjamesvernon.com

Sept 26 - 30 School events

- Sept 26
 - ProD day - **NO School**
- Sept 27
 - no events
- Sept 28
 - 8:40am School Assembly
 - Kindergarten to Davison Orchard
 - 2:45pm - 3:45pm Boys Volleyball away - Vernon Christian School
- Sept 29
 - 8:45 School Assembly kick off Terry Fox Run
 - 9:00am Terry Fox Run - Polson Park Oval
 - 2:45pm -3:45pm Girls Volleyball away - Vernon Christian School
- Sept 30 -
 - Truth & Reconciliation Day - **NO School**

Upcoming events:

October 3: 2:45pm - 3:30pm Girls volleyball practise

October 5: Half day - Early dismissal

October 6 & 7: **NO School** Staff Retreat

October 10: Thanksgiving Day - **NO School**

Attachments:

Bishop Joseph Letter Truth & Reconciliation

HL October menu

THS October menu

SJS referral program

CRC online process