

# ***St. Edwards School / Ecole St. Edward***

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## **Parent Newsletter, Thursday 30, 2008**

### **Staffing Update**

Staff and students of St. Edward's would like to welcome Ms Juliana Szeto, grade 1 Early French Immersion and Ms. Karen Eddy, grade 1 English. Both teachers were hired recently and will be on our staff for the remainder of the school year.

### **Safety Issues and Halloween Parties**

Several students in our school have a **life-threatening allergies to all peanut/ nut products** - including peanut oil. In addition we have several students that are severely allergic to eggs and fish. These allergies are so severe that if an allergic student **TOUCHES** or comes in contact with these food items an allergic reaction will occur. Parents must not send to school any food which contains peanut butter or nut products. In addition, parents must not send eggs and fish products to school. We would ask all parents to be mindful of this when sending snacks and treats tomorrow. Furthermore there are many persons in our building that are sensitive to scented products. We would ask parents and students not to send or bring containers of hair spray into the school. Please note: Halloween parties will take place this Friday afternoon.

### **Grocery Tape Collection**

Unfortunately Dominion and Sobey's have decided to cancel their Save a Tape program. (Sobey's canceled their program in September) Dominion Stores will redeem tapes up until the end of December. Our school has participated in the Save - a - Tape Plan for the past 8 years. This program has proven to be a very worthwhile fundraising endeavor for our school. The last day that Dominion tapes can be sent to school will be Friday, December 05. This will allow us time to tabulate the tapes and submit them to Dominion. Our school will receive \$2.00 for every \$1 000 in grocery tapes collected. Simply send the grocery tapes to your child's homeroom teacher with their full name and the teacher's name on the back of the tape. There will be a prize draw for eligible students for October, November and December.

### **Healthy and Active Living**

One of our school development goals for our students this year is Healthy and Active Living. Next Friday afternoon, weather permitting, all students will be walking on the track commencing at 2:05. We would ask parents to sign the attached permission slip.

**School Walk Permission Slip for Friday, November 07, 2008**

Friday, November 06 2008, I give permission for my son/ daughter  
\_\_\_\_\_ to walk to school from Pond Road under the supervision of  
teachers from St. Edward=s School.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_