

# From the Office...

March 26, 2015

Dear Parents,

**Welcome back!** We hope that you all had a fun and restful Spring Break. Here at school we are well into Term 3. Grades 2-7 went to reconciliation this morning and Grade 4 will lead us through the Stations of the Cross tomorrow.

## Hot Lunch – Week 1

Thank you to all those who supported our first hot lunch day. Today, seemed to be a big success in many ways. The students were happy with their lunch choices and organizationally speaking all ran smoothly. Thank you, once again, for your support and encouragement in this new initiative.

## Musical Update

Play practices are going well as we step up the commitment students must make as we get closer to our performance date. Costumes should be shown to teachers as soon as possible, but definitely before April 25th. Notes were given to students today regarding areas that parents have been assigned to help. Please check their bags.

Next week's rehearsal schedule will be sent in tomorrow in a separate e-mail. Thank you.

## Autism Awareness Assembly – Monday, March 30

Ms. Sij and the Grade 2 class will be hosting the Autism Awareness Assembly on Monday, March 30th to kick off Autism Awareness Month. All are invited to attend this assembly.

## Holy Thursday Retreat – April 2

Once again, we will be having a school-wide retreat on Holy Thursday. All parents are invited and encouraged to attend.

The themes and **approximate** times for the sessions in the gym are as follows:

Theme 1: Trust in God – 9:20 – 10:10am

Theme 2: Commitment - 11:00 – 11:45am

Theme 3: Courage – 1:00 – 1:30pm

Theme 4: Forgiveness – 2:00 – 2:25pm

Final Gathering – 2:25pm

Regular dismissal time

## Pass The Torch – Saturday, April 18 (3 weeks to go)

We are very excited to let you all know that we are officially online with ticket sales for Pass The Torch! Tickets can be purchased at the following link:

**[passthetorchgala.eventbrite.com](https://passthetorchgala.eventbrite.com)**

We hope this level of convenience will help spur along ticket sales and we can sell out well in advance of the event night! Ticket prices remain the same at **\$75 per Adult** and **\$65 per Senior**, however service charges will apply to those purchased online. Details can be found on the webpage. In addition, here is a fun YouTube video of last year's PTT event that can be shared:

**<https://youtu.be/9mmE71MKhOw>**

Thank you for your continued support of Pass the Torch!

## Upcoming Easter Date Reminders:

Holy Thursday Retreat – April 2

Good Friday – April 3 – No classes

Easter Sunday – April 5

Easter Monday – April 6 – No classes

Please take time this weekend to discuss with your children how you and your family will be celebrating Holy Week and Easter.

Have a wonderful weekend.

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