

St. Padre Pio Catholic

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# May 30th, 2025





## Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

We are looking forward to many events next week. Our Grade 8's will be participating in their Year-End Trip on Thursday and we are eagerly looking forward to our Catholic School Council BBQ on Friday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Also, a friendly reminder that the Mr. Corn Pre-Order Forms are due on Monday.

Lastly, every Friday in June we will be having free Spirit Wear Days. Students are invited to wear their Spirit Wear on Fridays to show their school spirit.

Please see the information below for our upcoming week at St. Padre Pio.

Yours in Catholic Education,

Mr. A. Modica Principal

**Interim Director of** Education Mr. J. De Faveri

**Catholic School Trustee** Ms. M. Barbieri

**School Superintendent** Ms. A. lafrate

Pastor Rev. George Parayil

> **Principal** Mr. A. Modica

To report student absences and lates, call 1-855-856-7862 or visit go.schoolmessenger.ca

**Our School Day:** 8:15 - Supervision Begins 8:30 - Classes Begin 9:50-10:05 - AM Recess 11:25-12:25 - Lunch 1:45 - 2:00 -PM Recess 3:20 - End of Day

# YORK CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD CATHOLIC VIRTUES

A virtue is the power or attitude to do good. A Christian virtue is based on the message of Jesus, leading us to become more like God. Virtues are many, but all our virtues are rooted in the seven traditional virtues.

### A PRAYER FOR INTEGRITY

God of all that is good,

Help us to be the people you call us to be. Guide us to love honestly and to speak and act in ways that are sincere and just. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



# VIRTUE INTEGRITY

Key Words: SINCERITY, WHOLENESS

Integrity as a virtue means being consistent in one's thoughts, words, and actions as a disciple of Jesus. In the Catholic Church, the saints are noted for their holiness or integrity; they practice what they preach and this brings them closer to God.

"The Gospel calls individual Christians to live lives of honesty, integrity, and concern for the common good." -Pope Francis



MODELS OF INTEGRITY

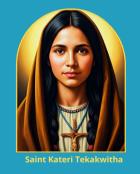
Some Saints Who Model this Virtue:

- Saint Kateri Tekakwitha
- Saint Thomas More

Others Who Model this Virtue:

• those who serve in parishes

Scripture Passage: Find All Virtues in Jesus. \_\_\_\_\_\_(John. 14: 5-6)



# WHEN WE MIGHT NEED THIS VIRTUE: 🔀

- when using social media
- when facing new experiences
- when feeling stressed





# **"I WILL" STATEMENTS**

- I will reflect the virtues in all that I think, say and do.
- I will live in harmony with others.
- I will be sincere and truthful.

# JUNE: INTEGRITY

# S SEAR END BBBB FRIDAY

ST. PADRE PIO SCHOOL CSC PRESENTS

# JUNE 6, 2025 5:00 -8:00 P.M.

VESTA LUNCH ON WHEELS BBQ TRUCK - ONSITE ORDERS

MR. CORN FOOD TRUCK - PRE-ORDER ONLY ICE CREAM TRUCK - FUNNEL CAKE DREAMS DESSERT TRUCK FACE PAINTER- AIRBRUSH TATTOO ARTIST LEGO STATION - LIVE DJ

### SAFE & CARING SCHOOL COMMUNITY

### **KINDERGARTEN ENTRY & RECESS UPDATE**

Beginning Monday, June 2nd, 2025, we will be reverting back to our regular entry routines. With the warmer weather upon us, students will be able to enjoy the 15-minute recess instead of having direct entry as we have been doing for the winter/colder months. Thank you for your continued support.

Secondly, beginning the week of Monday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025 our Senior Kindergarten students will begin using the larger Primary Yard for both first and last recess. This change is to help them gradually prepare for the outdoor recess routine they will follow in Grade One. A note to SK parents will be going home in the coming weeks.

### **ALECTRA UTILITIES PRESENTATION**

On Tuesday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025, we welcome presenters from Alectra Utilities for a special presentation on electrical safety and conservation. Our Kindergarten to Grade 3 classes will have their presentation at 9:00 am. Our Grades 4 to 8 classes will have their presentation after our first recess at 10:05.

### QUALITY LEARNING FOR ALL

### EQAO

Next week our Grade 3's complete their EQAO assessment. Our Grade 6's will begin on Tuesday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025.

To assist us with the completion of the assessment, we kindly ask the following:

- Wherever possible, please avoid appointments during these dates.
- Make sure students arrive at school on time at 8:30 am.
- Ensure that your child eats a healthy breakfast.
- Ensure that your child has a good night's sleep and that they go to bed early, so they are well-rested and alert for the test.
- Send your child with a quiet activity to complete when they are done with their section of the assessment.

Thank you.

#### June

**Tues. June 3rd - Tues. June 10th** Gr. 6 EQAO Assessment

**Thurs. June 5th** Grade 8 Year-End Extended Day Trip

Fri. June 6th CSC BBQ

Mon. June 9th PA Day

**Thurs. June 12th** Track and Field Meet at York University

Wed. June 18th SK Growing Celebration

**Thurs. June 19th** St. Padre Pio Graduation Mass at St. Padre Pio Parish (10:30 am)

