

St. Helen's School Newsletter

June 2021

Principal : Mr. Waldemar Sambor

Vice Principal : Mr. Anthony Canosa



As the 2020/2021 school year draws to a close, I want to express to all of you my deepest appreciation for your support and a most earnest commendation for a job well done.

We had an extremely successful year at St. Helen's School. I would like to thank all of you for giving the staff and myself complete support in the education of your children. Many thanks also to our staff for their never ending enthusiasm, professional leadership and dedication. During this pandemic year, we managed to provide all our regular programs and modified a few to accommodate our students including field trips, outdoor education, bamfield, confirmation retreat etc.

We extend a special welcome to our new Kindergarten class who attended their orientation day on Wednesday, May 12th via zoom.

To our Grade Seven students and all others who are leaving St. Helen's, we wish you much happiness. We trust that the Christian attitude you have developed and the skills you have learned will contribute to your success in the future.

Thank you very much for believing in what we are trying to do for our young people.

Sincerely in Christ,
Waldemar Sambor
Principal

June Calendar



2020-2021 Book Fair

- 3RD — SPRING MUSICAL
- 4TH — VIRTUAL DINNER FUNDRAISER
- 7TH — YOUNG ENTREPRENEUR FAIR (GR.7)
- 8-10TH—CONFESSION (8 AM—12 PM)
- 11TH— SPORTS DAY & TALENT SHARE (12 PM DISMISSAL)
GR. K-3 & GR. 7 ORGANIZING
- 14TH— SPORTS DAY & TALENT SHARE (12 PM DISMISSAL)
GR. 4-7 & GR. 7 ORGANIZING
- 15TH— KINDERGARTEN GRADUATION
- 17TH— GR.7 COMMENCEMENT (GRADUATION)
- 18TH— GR.3B MASS
- 20TH— FATHERS DAY
- 29TH— LAST DAY OF SCHOOL / 10:30 AM DISMISSAL
REPORT CARDS ONLINE

On May 12th, 15 students from grades 6 and 7 participated in the Gauss Math Contest through The Center for Education in Mathematics and Computing at the University of Waterloo. Congrats to all the students that participated and especially to **Paolo Di Fluri** who received a certificate of Outstanding Achievement. As well as **Alessandro Troisi**, **Giuseppe Gargiulo** and **Keanna Oulovsky** who received certificates of distinction.

STAFFING

Allocations for classes and teachers will be announced at the end of August.

We want to thank Ms. Chavez, Mrs. Erlic and Ms. Ruggier for their years of dedication to the St. Helen's community. We wish you all the best on your future endeavors.

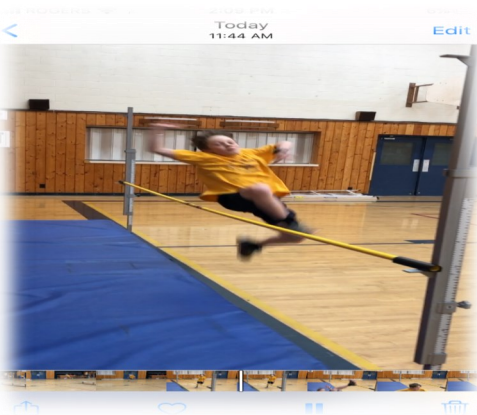
A big congratulations to Mr. Belmonte, Ms. Cerminara, Ms. Pantusa, & Ms. Joel who have all been accepted in the PDP full time program.

Congratulations to Ms. Coughlan on her marriage at St. Patrick's Parish.

THANK YOU!

- A big thank you to Lidija and Derek Bosa for their generous donation for our new piano.
 - Thank you to everyone who supported our annual book fair. We raised \$3000!

Searchers Athletics



Track and Field

Searchers News

Science Fair 2021 Covid Edition

Today St. Helen's intermediate students proudly displayed their Science fair projects in the gym. Each cohort enjoyed their time exploring all the different displays. All the students' creative and well thought out projects made the Science fair fun, interesting, and very successful.

Primary students worked with their teachers to create a class display on a project that they did together. All students in grades 4-7 were asked to choose to do an experiment on something that they were interested in by following the scientific method. Teachers and judges were looking for students who thoroughly detailed their process and clearly displayed their purpose, results, and conclusions.

Congratulations to all our winners. The top three students from each class were recognized for their outstanding achievement. The winners are as follows:

Grade 7A

Hayden Ruus
Isabel Elm
Paulo DiFluri

Grade 5A

Mason Iorio
Isla Bosa
Michela Caldarella

Grade 7B

Amadeo Perizzolo
Elijah Clarke
Caleb Parrotta

Grade 5B

Morgan Park
Marta Pizzolato
Gia Carolo

Grade 6A

Andrea Saligumba
Alyssa Bartolone
Kamryn Murray

Grade 4

Jake Drlje
Myles Jacobucci
Logan Auchter

Grade 6B

Annie Kwok
Isla Lopez
Adrianna Loverro



In addition to the class winners, three overall winners were chosen from the grade 6 and 7 classes to win the Young Scientist award. These students will have their names engraved on a plaque at the school and take home their own award to keep. This year's Young Scientists are:

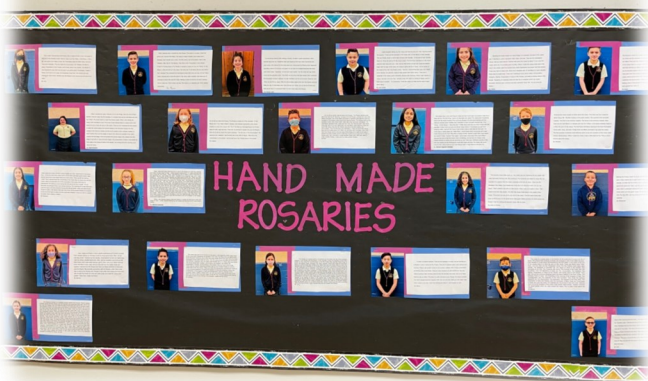
Caleb Parrotta
Alyssa Bartolone
Annie Kwok

A special thank you to Mrs. Utini, Ms. Bean, Mrs. Erlic, Mrs. Drlje, and Mrs. Kenny who coordinated the Science Fair and helped it to run smoothly.

[Science Fair](#)

Click the link to view photos from our Science Fair

Searchers Art Work



Since parents were unable to visit the school this year, here are some bulletin boards that the students and teachers made.

Searchers History

Our 100 year anniversary will take place Sept 2023!



Class of 1938



<https://event.auctria.com/f44ceb94-8546-4666-b096-9668515a7e0a/09480e501ee611eaa945bb9e2ddcf87f>

Getting ready for our Pre-centennial event on June 4th. To book your admission to our Virtual Fundraiser, click here.

Searchers Excellence

The following students are recognized for their efforts in the published class work:



KA

**Agostino Fortugno
Albert Wang
Max Kim
Emilia Meneses**

KB

**Mateo Iorio
Lorenzo Mincieli
Frida Wang**

1

**Esabella Pantelakis
Ethan Kooistra
Ethan Zamprogno
Alyssa Utini
Sohan Sodhi**

2

**Ondre Oulovsky
Jello Puzon
Romano Rinaldo**

3A

Alexis Ross

3B

**Olivia Ciccone
Aviana Lee**

4

**Juliusz Krol
Holiday Lee
Eli Luketic**

5A

**Elessia Cioffi
Neviah Higgoda-Gamage
Noa Campanile
Sienna La Chimea**

5B

**Valentino Crudo
Ella Green
Alexander Cremona
Robert Jelic
Joseph Laurino**

6A

**Markus Katusa
Rem Funagayama**

6B

**Alexa Ferrari-Buttedahl
Isla Lopez
Sachin Rattan
Penelope Williams
Dominic Iachetta
James Rogers
Lenny Poersch**

7A

**Gianni Bosa
Domenic Jir
Julia Kalamlarian
Joesph Lecce
Jonathan Lee
Layla Nakhla
Blake Tagulao**

7B

**Milano Peloso
Amadeo Perizzolo
Rocco Sandi
Luca moretti
Darius Bezic**

