



February 1, 2012

Dear Holy Trinity School Parents,

Our students will be participating in numerous activities in celebration of Catholic Schools Week. Grades 1 – 5 attended a regional Cape Cod Catholic Schools Mass at St. Francis Parish in Hyannis on Monday. A schedule of events was sent home last week. We have added a new event for Friday. Students may come to school in their “Patriots” team attire to support our upcoming Super Bowl! Go Pats!

The “Cape Cod through the Ages” evening is Thursday, February 2nd from 6:00 – 7:00 PM at Holy Trinity School. Parents should go directly to their children’s class to view what they have researched and prepared, and then feel free to browse the other classrooms. The students researched from the 1900’s through the present. We are looking forward to spending the evening together viewing the information they found regarding the different time periods.

Thursday, February 9th we will celebrate our 100th day of school! The teachers have incorporated the 100th day into their curriculum with various tangible ways to teach the concept.

HTRS Valentine’s Day Dance is February 10th from 6:30 – 8:30PM. Mrs. Reen and Mrs. Felix have organized a great evening of fun for our students.

During the month of February our mission for charity is focusing on Ryan. He is a 2 ½ year old boy who is battling leukemia. An assembly was held on the 20th of January to begin the campaign is entitled “Pennies for Patients”. Every classroom has a container to collect loose or spare change to help Ryan. Last year we rose over \$800.00! We want to encourage our students to not only be aware of the many battles families have to overcome in their lives, but to be thankful for all that they are blessed with.

Please make sure that your children are dressed warmly. If you send your child into school with boots, please remember to send in a pair of shoes for them to change into. We are making every effort to bring the students outside for recess, and if they are not properly dressed they can not go out. I do believe in bringing them out for fresh air; however we need to protect them by making sure they are dressed properly. The other

issue is of course the ice factor that may be out in the play yard. We will do our best with what God gives us.

Holy Trinity Regional School will be closed on Friday, February 17th as scheduled, followed by February vacation. Lent begins during vacation week with Ash Wednesday on the 22nd.

We continue to pray for our Holy Trinity families, teachers and staff. It has been a difficult few weeks for all of us. We will however make the most of our last weeks and months together.

Sincerely,

*Mrs. Linda Mattson
Principal*

Have a wonderful month!

“When I approach a child, he/she inspires in me two sentiments: tenderness for what he/she is, and respect for what he/she may become.” Louis Pasteur