



June 17, 2009

Theme: "Hands of Hope"

News #39

"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him,
so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." Romans 15:13

Calendar of Events:

- June 16 - JK Celebration Ceremony - 2:30 p.m.
- June 18 - JK End of Year Field Trip/Party at Mrs. Baker's
- June 18 - Grade 8 Graduation - 8 p.m. Fellowship Church
- June 19 - Last day of School - Closing Assembly at 12 noon /
SK Graduation / Dismissal at 12:30 p.m.**
- June 20 - Mom to Mom Sale - 8 a.m. to ???

Summer Dates to Keep in Mind:

- August 22 - Golf Tournament
- Sept. 12 - Amazing Race



From the Principal's Desk:

This is the last newsletter of the 2008/2009 school year. The staff and I want to wish all the families of STCCS a wonderful summer where many happy memories are made. We hope you enjoy some much deserved rest and relaxation with no agenda books to sign or projects to supervise.

When all the students are gone the teachers and I will be evaluating our year and making plans for the new one. The staff has also volunteered to do some painting this summer in the school as part of our theme to be people who overflow with hope.

In early August you should be receiving a letter from me explaining what to expect for the new year. Until then, put your feet up and enjoy your children. See you in the fall.

- ▶ **You Should Know:** The Lost and Found items will be donated to the Bibles for Missions on June 25.

General:

- * **Closing Assembly and SK Graduation** - You are invited to attend our school's closing assembly on Friday at 12 noon in the gym. Come and witness the SK graduation and help us end the year with praise to God for his faithfulness and blessings.
- * **Financial Registration Forms** - If you have any questions, please contact the office or email Mrs. Aileen Pennings, our school treasurer, @ jpennings@motionlink.net Postdated cheques for tuition and the grocery rebate program along with your **financial registration form** and membership fee **are now due.**
- * **CERTIFICATES** - As in previous years, certificates will be available over the summer months. To make it easy for everyone, we will allow you to place a large order in June and provide post dated cheques for the summer months. We will also designate some order dates at which time you will be able to place orders normally and then pickup at our home on a specific day. We will have these set up by June and you can see which dates work into your schedule.

* **Mom to Mom Sale Fundraiser for STCCS:**

When: June 20, 2009 8am-? Rain OR Shine!

Where: 77 Fairview Ave at STCCS

What: Children's clothes, toys and maternity items.

Vendors: Cheeky Baby Slings, Hair Clips, Shaklee, Diaper Cakes, Epicure

and other baby items. The Shaklee Rep will be giving 25% of the sales made on Saturday back to the school! So even if you don't have a need for baby items come out to purchase earth friendly cleaning products!

Youth for Christ will be attending selling Strawberry plants.



* **School Pictures Needed** - Our school year book editor, Linda Koopman, would love your pictures of year end class trips (or any school activity/event) to include in the yearbook. There are blank cds available in the office for you to put your pictures on so that we can pass them on to her. The yearbook will be compiled this summer and available in September.

* **Fun Pass for 2009** - Once again the Ministry of Tourism and Ministry of Culture are pleased to offer the Fun Pass for 2009. Each fun pass provides one free child's admission, with one paid adult or senior's admission, to enable every child 14 and under to visit the provinces best attractions this summer (June 27 to September 7, 2009). Students will be taking a fun pass home today. Please look for them and enjoy our provinces great attractions this summer!!

* **Moms In Touch** - Plans are being made to start a Moms in Touch prayer group here at the school. *Moms in Touch International* gathers moms together to pray specifically and Scripturally for our children and school. Their purpose is to be an encouragement and positive support to schools. Please prayerfully consider if you would like to become a part of this group and let Judy Groenenberg know. You can check out the Moms in Touch website at <http://www.momsintouch.org>

* **SHORT TERM INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS:** Our school is preparing to host some international students to come to STCCS for short term stays for the school year of 2009-2010. Please find the attached information sheet with this newsletter to find out more about this exciting endeavour! We are looking for families who may be interested in hosting a Korean student, from a Christian family, in their homes for a 3 month period (5 month stays are also a possibility). Our Advancement Director, Nancy Baker will be leading and facilitating this program at our school.

JUNIOR KINDERGARTEN - MRS. BAKER

This week in JK we continue to work toward reaching our goals. We will finish the school year tomorrow, learning that we can ask God to help us choose and reach goals.

Thank you to all the parents, grandparents and friends who came out to our Year End Celebration on Tuesday.

God is so good and we thank and praise Him for our wonderful year of learning and growing in JK.

On Thursday, we look forward to our class trip to Mrs. Baker's back yard for fun and games. We will have a barbecue lunch, so please do not send a lunch. Do send car seats, permission slips and bathing suits.

SENIOR KINDERGARTEN - MRS. VANDENBRINK

SK Graduation - Cake and Punch Reception: 11:30 a.m. Ceremony: 12:00 noon

**Please bring a bag to collect your child's belongings.

JR. BAND - MISS LAGEER

Please be at Fellowship Church tomorrow night by 7:30 p.m. to tune your instruments, etc. Please meet in the double meeting room at the end of the education wing. You are asked to wear dark bottoms and the band shirts.