

NEWS FROM HOLY SNACKS

Holy Snacks is happy to be entering our fifth year of serving Healthy meals to the students, staff, and volunteers of Holy Cross School and St. Boniface Diocesan. We'd like to welcome all the new students, parents, and staff, and look forward to the privilege of providing some home cooked goodness to your children. A few things we'd like you to know about the canteen. HOLY SNACKS is operated by Nicole Carter and Marnie St. Cyr. All meals are prepared in our commercial kitchen with Food Safety and Quality Control Policies, and is regularly inspected by HEALTH INSPECTORS. We abide by the **Manitoba Schools Nutrition Guidelines**. Our meals are low in sodium and fat and are prepared using wholesome ingredients. We abide by the Anaphylaxis Policy. Our kitchen is **PEANUT/NUT FREE**. ALL of our meals are also NUT FREE as are all ingredients used. NEW this year, we will also be offering vegetarian options on specialty Lunch Days like Hot Dog and Hamburger Days.

* The canteen is open for lunch daily at 11:30 am until 12:30 pm

* Meal cards and Snack cards can be purchased for credit for students...we keep track so they don't have to.

* We encourage using the daily order forms (we have no idea how much food to prepare otherwise). Orders can be handed in to the office by 9:30 am.

* Meal/Snack cards do not count as "Pizza Order" Pizza order forms MUST be completed and submitted in to teachers.

*** As per previous years, PIZZA LUNCH will be offered every second Thursday. Order forms and payment are due in by 9:30 am Wednesday. Because we need to place our order by noon, NO LATE ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED. A limited amount of extra pizza will be purchased and available, "walk ups" will be limited to one slice, and even then, we cannot guarantee enough for everyone.** New this year, pizza is \$3.00/slice or 2 slices for \$5.00 -- Cannot be shared between siblings or grades. I am sure you can appreciate that with over 400 students, we cannot keep track of all students and their siblings and grades. It creates too much work for teachers and us at HOLY SNACKS. For the same reason, an order form MUST accompany EACH child. A family can choose to submit all individual order forms and payment via one child. (ex: a family could submit 4 order forms with one cheque to the oldest child's teacher). Pizza orders are to be paid with EXACT change (no change will be given, overages will be considered a donation) or cheques can be made payable to HOLY SNACKS! In the event a child is absent, the order form and payment will be honored for the following PIZZA LUNCH only.

* We welcome your comments and feedback. We are available if you have questions or concerns, or have dietary restrictions/allergies as we believe NO child should be left out.

* HOLY SNACKS has been proudly offering nutritious meals for \$5.00 for the past 4 years. Due to the soaring costs of fresh produce and meat, we have had to amend our prices. Daily meals will increase to \$6.00. Please refer to the menu and amended price list for changes.

* In order to keep prices affordable, we cannot continue to provide utensils and condiments to students NOT ordering. Utensils will be \$0.05 each and Condiments will be \$0.25.

*NO TABS will be available.