# **Trustee News** Greater St. Albert Catholic School's Board of Trustees

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#### **Celebrate With Us!**

It has been a fantastic year of celebrations. Each of our schools has taken some time to celebrate 150 years, and honour our founding members, the Grey Nuns and the significance of their contribution. At the same time, students have enjoyed some good old fashioned fun! Whether it was a day for only chalkboard instruction, playing old time games like pick-up sticks or marbles, the students enjoyed learning about the past.

Our attention now is on the future; we are planning a public Mass on the Hill on June 11th and we will be joining our Foundation Board members in putting on an outstanding Gala on June 13th. Please join in on the celebrations and God Bless! *Noreen Radford, Chair* 

#### **Good News**

We are continuing our conversation regarding the importance of high school programming in our community. Thank you to the 1400 participants who shared their thoughts online regarding ways to approach high school programming and for weighing in on specific recommendations. Information is now being consolidated and the Board will be reviewing a report to recommend further action at the upcoming Board Planning Session taking place on April 11th and 12th.



The 150th Anniversary Committee invite you to attend the Gala event on June 13, 2015. There will be a silent & live auction. Bid on a fabulous VIP Trip to the Vatican!

#### Gala Tickets Early Bird Deadline is April 30, 2015

If you haven't yet purchased tickets to the Gala, gather your friends and colleagues to join us for a fabulous evening. We are also inviting interested organizations to make contributions to our silent auction event.

Danny Hooper has a packed agenda that will bring some excitement and nostalgia to this evening as he auctions off some fabulous packages including a VIP trip to the Vatican and an exclusive opportunity to attend a NCAA football match at Notre Dame University this fall.

Proceeds raised through the silent and live auctions will be held in a legacy fund by the Greater St. Albert Catholic Schools Education Foundation to enhance the educational and spiritual opportunities of current and future students.

Tickets for tables of 8 and individual seats are on sale now at: gsascrd.inviteright.com/150 gala.

This is a formal event and we hope that you will be able to join us!



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At 121 events and counting! Schools have found interesting and fun ways to recognize 150 years of Catholic Education. Celebrating this milestone with our students allows them to carry history forward to new generations.

#### **Follow Us or Like Us!**

This year our District has used social media to provide our community with information on the latest news and events within our schools. Please consider following us on Twitter or on our District Facebook page.

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# UPCOMING EVENTS

April 11 & 12, 2015 - Board Planning Session April 17 - 19, 2015 - St. Albert Tradeshow & Lifestyle Exhibit May 4 - 8, 2015 - Education Week May 6, 2015 - Community Conversation (see below) June 11, 2015 - Mass on the HIII - 9:45 a.m. (public welcome to attend) June 13, 2015 - 150th Anniversary Gala

### Join Our Community Conversation - May 6, 2015

Join us on Wednesday, May 6, 2015, at St. Albert Catholic High School, 33 Malmo Avenue, St. Albert.

7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Help us answer the following question:

#### How can we prepare students to maximize the benefits of digital literacy so that they can make wise and healthy decisions with their online and social media activities?

Register by April 24, 2015. Visit www.gsacrd.ab.ca to reserve your spot at our community conversation.





# **Celebrating 150 Years** at **ESSMY**





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