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STUDENT SPOTLIGHT STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTIONS

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT ASSUMPTION ASTRONAUT TRAINING

June 1st
Student Council
Applications due

Applications due Tues., June 1st. Anyone interested in running for a student council position, must fill out an application package by Tues., June 1st at midnight. Click [here](#) for more information and for a link to our application form. **Virtual campaigning from Wednesday, June 2nd to Monday, June 14th.** Students can promote their platforms virtually by sharing their posters and videos with us via Instagram. **Virtual election held on Tuesday, June 15th.** An electronic ballot will be created for each grade. **Results announced on Wed., June 16th.**

Linda Klocokova, a grade 10 student at Burlington's Assumption Catholic Secondary School is one of 52 young Canadians from across the country who will virtually join astronauts, engineers and scientists from the Canadian Space Agency (CSA) for an exciting week of space training. The participants were selected through a random draw from a pool of eligible candidates who had previously completed online Junior Astronauts activities in three streams – science and technology, fitness and nutrition, and teamwork and communication – which represent the different types of knowledge and skills needed by astronauts. The plan was to have the youngsters get the training at the Space Agency headquarters in Montreal but COVID forced a change in plans to a virtual event. The young space enthusiasts will be challenged through a series of activities, from operating a real rover during a simulated Moon mission, to solving Earth problems using satellite imagery and working out with astronauts and space fitness experts. The camp will offer them a unique chance to learn about space careers as well as the scientific, physical and leadership qualities they will need to develop if they strive to participate to a future mission to the Moon. Click [here](#) for story. [Here](#) for more.



June 2nd @ 6:00 pm
School Council
Meeting –
Meeting Link
[here](#)

STUDENT SENATE APPLICATIONS
Students interested in leadership and student advocacy are invited to apply [here](#) to represent Assumption as an HCDSB Student Senator for the 2021/22 school year! The HCDSB Student Senate acts as an advisory board to the student trustees and helps bring the concerns and needs of the student body to the school board. Senate also runs a number of leadership projects and initiatives, both within schools and across the board. This is an excellent leadership opportunity - if you have any questions, please feel free to contact Ms. Taylor. Applications are due Friday June 4th and students must be logged into your student office 365 account to fill out the on-line application.


June 28th
Last Day of School

Virtual Graduation

June 29th
P.A. Day



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CRUSADERS IN ACTION
WATER BOTTLE FREE ASSUMPTION
Our Crusaders in Action Justice & Service Team is encouraging Assumption staff, students, and families to stop using bottled water and turn on the tap! As part of Development & Peace's Laudato Si School plan, CiA students have been researching the harmful effects of bottled water on the environment and human health, and has begun educating their peers through videos and social media posts. You can check out these short videos yourself to discover why bottled water isn't as great as people think it is:

[The Facts About Bottled Water](#)
[The Story of Bottled Water](#)

Our Administration Team has made the commitment to become a bottled water free school by stating that we will no longer be offering or selling bottled water at school events. The school now sports multiple bottle filling stations and encourages staff and students to bring a reusable bottle to school each day. Crusaders in Action is also asking staff and students to [sign a pledge](#) (using your gobluego account) to stop purchasing/using bottled water and help make Assumption bottled water free!



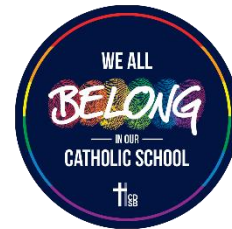
GUEST SPEAKER SERIES

GET REAL PRESENTATION
Assumption will be having the Get REAL organization come in to speak to some of our students about inclusivity with a 2SLGBTQ+

lens. This guest speaker engagement will be on June 9th and they will be speaking to our grade 9s and our Student Leadership groups from grades 10-12 throughout the day

JUNE IS PRIDE MONTH HCDSB ANNOUNCEMENT

June is the designated Pride Month in Canada, and throughout the month, we will join other schools in our district in raising awareness, and nurturing our call to build safe and inclusive learning environments where every student and every member of the community is welcomed, valued, and respected.



HCDSB Rainbow Day ~ Tuesday, June 1st

We will kick off our Pride Month celebrations with Rainbow Day on Tuesday, June 1st.

Students and staff are encouraged to dress in their most colourful clothes as we celebrate the rainbow - a sign of God's promise to love us and a symbol of inclusion for all in our community!

