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Winter Carnival is upon us! The PPO/H&S would like to thank all the brave volunteers who came out to help build our annual ice castle. Hopefully, Mother Nature will cooperate and let us admire the ice castle for at least a day or two!

The PPO/H&S would also like to thank our volunteer bakers who whipped up some yummy treats for the St. Edmund Open House in January. The parent-led tours were a success and helped to convince some potential young students that St. Edmund is the best around!

Book your babysitters folks...The PPO/H&S is throwing its first ever Trivia Night on March 25th! Strain your brain and see who you can outwit in the St. Edmund community. Limited tickets are available so hurry up and get your team together. Tickets purchases are due March 9.

Have you heard? The PPO/H&S donated all the food from the "Dagwood's & Pizza Plus Lunch" on the February 7th snow day to the West Island Association for the Intellectually Handicapped. Thank you to Pixie Drury for braving the weather conditions and making the delivery possible!

Thanks to a few dedicated PPO volunteers, some grateful families received a Holiday Basket from St. Edmund in early December. Our volunteers helped sort and organize all the generous donations given by the St. Edmund community into lovely baskets just

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Did you attend the Cycle 1 & 2 music shows? The PPO definitely did! We helped fund the costs of music sheets and some costumes for our talented children up on stage. Our hardworking PPO volunteers also helped with the stage set-up and takedown.

Thanks to the PPO, our students got to warm-up their chilly hands after handling all those frozen ice blocks for the Winter Carnival Ice Castle with a nice cup of hot chocolate. The PPO/H&S will also be funding the prizes for each grade for the upcoming Hula Hoop contest taking place on Friday.

Are you ready for Junglesport? The PPO/H&S is giving an allotment of \$1000 to help turn the St. Edmund gym into an action-packed, climbing jungle gym for the entire school. Hopefully, this will help calm our students after the week long spring break so that they can focus their young, bright minds on some higher learning and education.



Staff Appreciation Week is just around the corner! Keep an eye out for emails as the PPO/H&S will be looking for volunteers who are willing to shower our dedicated St. Edmund Staff with gratitude and recognition for all the hard work that they do.

Mark your calendars! The PPO/H&S is planning another Movie Night for May 1st. Hopefully this will help usher in the good weather for spring.

Have a great March break everyone!