

## DATES TO REMEMBER:

### March:

18<sup>th</sup> – Grade 4 Parents' Meeting 21<sup>st</sup> – World Down Syndrome Day – Lots of Socks

- 27<sup>th</sup> Teachers Professional Development Day
  - NO SCHOOL for Students

## 28<sup>th</sup> – BRAIN BREAK – NO SCHOOL

- 31<sup>st</sup> Spiritual Baptist Holiday NO SCHOOL
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### April:

5<sup>th</sup> – MRGS Walk A Thon 8<sup>th</sup> – SEA MASS (Gr. 5 Parents invited) 9<sup>th</sup> – School Closes for Term 2 (1/2 day) 10<sup>th</sup> – SEA EXAM 11<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> – EASTER VACATION 29<sup>th</sup> – School Reopen for Term 3 Please check our school's website for easy access to school's calenda



# LET'S ROCK OUR SOCKS

World Down Syndrome Day will be celebrated on Friday 21st March and this year MRGS will be partnering with The Down Syndrome Family Network and Rocking our Socks.

Lots of Socks is a campaign promoting and bringing awareness to World Down Syndrome Day on March 21st to celebrate persons with Down Syndrome and other disabilities.

The Down Syndrome Family Network will have socks for purchase at MRGS.

Socks are priced at: \$30.00 - kids

\$40.00 - Adults/teens (can fit the 4s and 5s)

and will be on sale on from Monday 17th – Wednesday 19th March.

# LENT AT MRGS!

Every day our student community is given a new Lenten Activity to complete. It is also being sent to our students via Schoology. This is a wonderful way for them to stay involved in their faith during this season of Lent.

In addition, we have placed the Stations of the Cross around the Perimeter of the school for students to observe and discuss during their Religious Education classes.

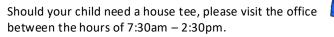
During the month, we will also be discussing the Pillars of Lent, "Prayer, Fasting & Giving" with the students.

To live the spirit of giving, every Friday students will have the opportunity to contribute to help those in need. At the end of the term, all donations will be tallied and given to support the less fortunate. Contributions, no matter how small, make a difference.

Thank you for your generosity and willingness to share with others.



Our annual walkathon will be held on Saturday 5th April, 2025 from 7:00am.



Food chits for Bake & Shark, Bake & Cheese, Donuts, Pholourie and Doubles will be on sale at the office from Wednesday 19th March, 2025.

Walk A Thon sheets are due on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> April.

## CARNIVAL CELEBRATIONS AT MRGS!

MRGS had a fabulous time for both our Calypso Fiesta on Tuesday 25th and our Carnival Jump Up on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup>.

Here are few pics from the celebrations!

We would also like to say a special thank you to Mr. Dirk Allahar for the lovely video of our Jump Up.

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Check our website for additional pictures.