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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Our school year started off very successfully this week. It was fantastic to welcome our students and staff back to the Pius hallways. We are grateful to our entire school community for making the first week be such a positive one!

We have a few pieces of information to remind you about - there is already lots going on!

### **SCHOOL PHOTOS**

Just a reminder that our school photo day is scheduled for September 13. Please click [HERE](#) for additional information.

### **MEET THE TEACHER**

Our Meet the Teacher event is scheduled for Thursday September 14. We are pleased to welcome you to the school from 5-6:30pm to say hello to your student(s)' teachers. We will gather at 5pm in the cafeteria for a brief opening and then the staff will be around the cafeteria and atrium for you to meet.

### **STUDENT FEES - INCLUDES THE YEARBOOK**

We recognize that everything has become more expensive for families. In an effort to reduce costs, our Student Fee this year will INCLUDE the purchase of the yearbook. The fee is \$50 per student and it is payable through School Cash Online.

### **SPIRIT WEAR WEDNESDAYS**

We are looking forward to students becoming involved in activities, clubs and teams during the upcoming weeks. We encourage students and staff to wear their Spirit Wear on Wednesdays to showcase their Pius Pride. There is Spirit Wear on sale right now - please visit the website for additional information.



## **SCHOOL COUNCIL**

Our initial School Council (Parent Council) meeting will be held on Tuesday September 19 at 6pm. The meeting will be held virtually. If you are interested in participating, please email the school ([PiusX.High@ocsb.ca](mailto:PiusX.High@ocsb.ca)) so that you can receive the link to the meeting.

If you were on the Council mailing list last year you do not need to sign up again. You will be automatically continued to be included in any communications for the Council.

## **UPDATES**

Please continue to watch for updates through School Messenger and on our website. If you are reading this on the website, please double-check your settings in School Messenger and on the Parent Portal to ensure that you are receiving all messages from the school.

Thank you for partnering with us! We are looking forward to a wonderful and positive school year.

All the best,  
Carrie-Lynn Bowie  
Principal, St. Pius X High School