



October 28, 2022

Dear Parents,

On October 31, 1517, Martin Luther nailed his 95 theses (or statements of wrong theology) on the door of All Saints' Church in Wittenberg, Germany. This was the beginning of the Reformation or re-forming of the church based on the Biblical teaching that we are "saved by grace."

As we approach October 31, much of Canada and the USA will celebrate a holiday based on death, violence, and the occult. They will dress up their children as evil demons, axe-wielding killers or even allow them to dress in costumes that look like lingerie.

As a Christian, I choose to celebrate God and what He represents rather than Halloween and what it stands for. In light of this, I want to remind parents that NCCS will not be participating in any dress up event on Monday. Please do not send your child to school in a costume. Thank you.

It was good to see such a great turnout last night at the AGM. We set plans in motion for this year and relayed the vision of NCCS for 2022-2023. If you missed it, we will have another in the spring.

One other item of importance is our Playground. We ask that parents refrain from wandering on the playground unless they are a designated supervisor. Watching and supervising all of the children that are running around playing before, during, and after school is an important job. Having extra adults wandering around—even parents—adds to this task. So we ask that you drop off your children and then say goodbye and let them play. Thank you for your understanding in this.

All Parents of NCCS will be receiving an email from the school in the next few days. It is a survey that will provide our school with vital information regarding our school and where we are doing well as well as areas that could use some improvement. This is a vital piece of data for our school in terms of long term planning. We ask that you prioritize completion of this survey when you receive it and thank you so much for your attention and support in this endeavor.

# What's Been Happening...

## October Chapel Awards



Grade 8 ADST Class made soup.



Grade 9 ADST Class learned about changing tires.





Here's a *Glance* at some upcoming Dates:

**November**

**3, 10, 17, 24** Swimming Grades 3-6

**9** Fun Fair at NCCS (details to be announced)



**10** Remembrance Day Assembly (10:30-11:30)  
(Parents are welcome to attend)

**11** Remembrance Day Holiday (no school)

**18** Library Day

**25** NI Day (no school)

Until next week,  
God bless,  
Bruce Birch