

75th Annual Rotary Christmas Carol Festival

The 75th Annual Rotary Christmas Carol Festival was a success on all counts. In the traditional venue of the Knox Metropolitan United Church the 75th Festival started on Monday, November 30 and ran until Thursday, December 3. The congregation or audience sizes were at record levels as they enjoyed the festive atmosphere, the choirs' enthusiasm, and the superb acoustics of the Knox Metropolitan Church. Thanks to our outstanding students and staff members who helped create "magic" with their music.

The participating Division schools included:

Deshaye Catholic School - Sacred Heart Community School - St. Augustine Community School - St. Catherine Community School - St. Gabriel School - École St. Mary Miller Comprehensive Catholic High School (Ukrainian Program) - Pictured



St. Luke School - Remembrance Day



The St. Luke Remembrance Day Liturgy was organized by teachers, Mark Winter and Dorinda Hase. Students from classrooms throughout the school participated, both behind the scenes and within them. Many hours went into the preparation of the liturgy, which was extremely powerful. Students were sitting throughout the "battlefield," among the soldier's grave. As the spirit of the Soul Dier came by, collecting the spirits of the fallen soldiers, graves opened among the audience, revealing the fallen soldiers' spirits. The audience, comprised of teachers, students and parents, sat among simulated razor wire fencing, a recruitment center, machine gun bunkers, a med-evac hospital and soldiers' graves. After the playing of Taps, the students left the gymnasium in silence.

École St. Andrew - Remembrance Ceremony

Our Remembrance Day ceremony was held Tuesday, November 10. Merci to the many government, military and police service guests who were able to join us. Thank you for who you are and what you do for us, for our country and for our world.

Thank you for supporting the Toonie for 2 minutes of Silence. Because of your generosity, we were able to present the Royal Canadian Legion with \$441 today! On top of that, Club du Souvenir made a \$100 donation from their hard-earned school drink recycling program. The Legion supports Veterans and their families in a variety of ways.

Thank you for helping making a difference in their lives.



Archbishop M. C. O'Neill Catholic High School - FCC Food Drive

With the help of their lay chaplain, Ms. Corinne Pirot and head coach Jason Duczek it was determined that the O'Neill Titan football team weighs approximately 8000 pounds. First, each player was photographed and weighed then these were posted in the classrooms. Each class was asked to raise the weight of 1 or 2 of the football players in food. Next, the SRC sponsored a push-up-a-thon where students went up against the staff to see who could do the most push ups in a row. Also, the community was asked to pledge the participants and the results where phenomenal! This is sure to be an annual event! With the support of the SRC, all staff and students, the Titan community raised 3,400 lbs of food and \$1,400.00 was more than enough to buy the additional pounds for the FCC Food Drive in support of the Regina Food Bank.

Thanks to Ms. Baumgartner and her foods classes who cooked for the top 10 push-up participants and Mr. Knight's class who was first to raise their goal of 299 pounds in less than a week!



Michael A. Riffel Catholic High School - We Scare Hunger

Michael A. Riffel Catholic High School partnered with Capital Ford Group through the Free the Children “We Scare Hunger” program. Riffel students and staff raised thousands of pounds of food for the Food Bank.



Adam Enis, former Riffel graduate, works for Capital Ford marketing department. Adam came out took pictures and put together this [video](#).