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May 24, 2022

Dear Parents/Guardians,

It has been both an honor and pleasure to have had the opportunity to teach your children these past four years. To celebrate the students' completion of middle school, we have scheduled a Farewell Celebration for St. Thomas Aquinas Middle School's grade 9 students on Thursday, June 16. An outline of the day follows:

10:30 am- Schoolwide farewell mass led by Father Mirek, from St. Mary's Parish.

11:30 am-12:00 pm - Student procession rehearsal at the church

12:00-1:00 pm- Pizza lunch (provided by the school)

1:00-3:20 pm- Student activities organized by the Grade 9 team

4:15 pm- Grade 9 photo behind the school on the hill by the basketball courts

4:45 pm-6:00 pm- Parents are invited to join their children at the church for a Grade 9 Farewell program and presentation of gifts.

6:15 pm- For interested families, a ticketed BBQ dinner will be held at St. Thomas.

Students are permitted to come to school dressed up in formal attire if they wish, but this is not mandatory or required. For students who are not able to return home at the end of the day and be back at 4:00 pm for the grade photo, the school will remain open for them to get ready for the evening's events.

If you are interested in purchasing a Grade 9 Farewell shirt for your child, or BBQ tickets for your child and their guests, **please complete the attached form and return it with payment to the school no later than June 2, 2022.**

Sincerely,  
St. Thomas Staff

If your child is interested in receiving a Grade 9 Farewell shirt, that will be signed by their classmates, please indicate the size and return with the payment, no later than June 2, 2022, to allow time for ordering and production. The cost of the shirts is \$10.



Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Homeroom:    9-1            9-2            9-3            9-4            9-5

Size:     \_\_\_\_S     \_\_\_\_M            \_\_\_\_L            \_\_\_\_XL            \_\_\_\_XXL

Paid:        \_\_\_\_cheque        \_\_\_\_cash        \_\_\_\_credit/debit

\_\_\_\_\_ No shirt required

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If your family is interested in attending the Grade 9 Farewell BBQ, after the celebration at the church, please indicate how many tickets you would like (including your child). Tickets are \$10.00 each and will cover the cost of the BBQ and dessert.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of BBQ tickets requested \_\_\_\_\_

Paid:        \_\_\_\_cheque        \_\_\_\_cash        \_\_\_\_credit/debit

\_\_\_\_\_ We aren't attending the BBQ