

# SCA Newsletter

## Principal's Message



Mr. Luke Morse, Principal

**Tip!**

**Survival Tip:**  
Make sure you sign your child in and out when they are late or have to leave early!

In the month that holds both Valentine's Day and Family Day, it is especially appropriate to stop and consider the true nature of love. Far too often in our culture, we equate love with a feeling, which unsurprisingly leads people to fall in and out of love. But love was never meant to be a name that we give to feelings of affection, whether romantic or familial. Love is a choice. When Paul writes in his first letter to the Corinthian church that "love is patient, love is kind," he is not describing how feelings of affection might cause us to behave (1 Cor. 13:4-8). Nor is he breaking love down into component parts. Rather, he is simply stating that when we are patient with someone (especially when it's difficult), we are showing them love. When we are kind (again, especially when it's difficult), we are showing them love. When we withhold our prideful boasts to build someone else up, we are showing them love. When we choose to trust someone (even when it's difficult), we are showing them love. When we persevere with someone through difficult circumstances, we are showing them love. Love is a choice. Love is an action. And we, as Christians, are called to love everyone, even when it's difficult. Especially when it's difficult. So show someone today how much you love them.



See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are! 1 John 3:1



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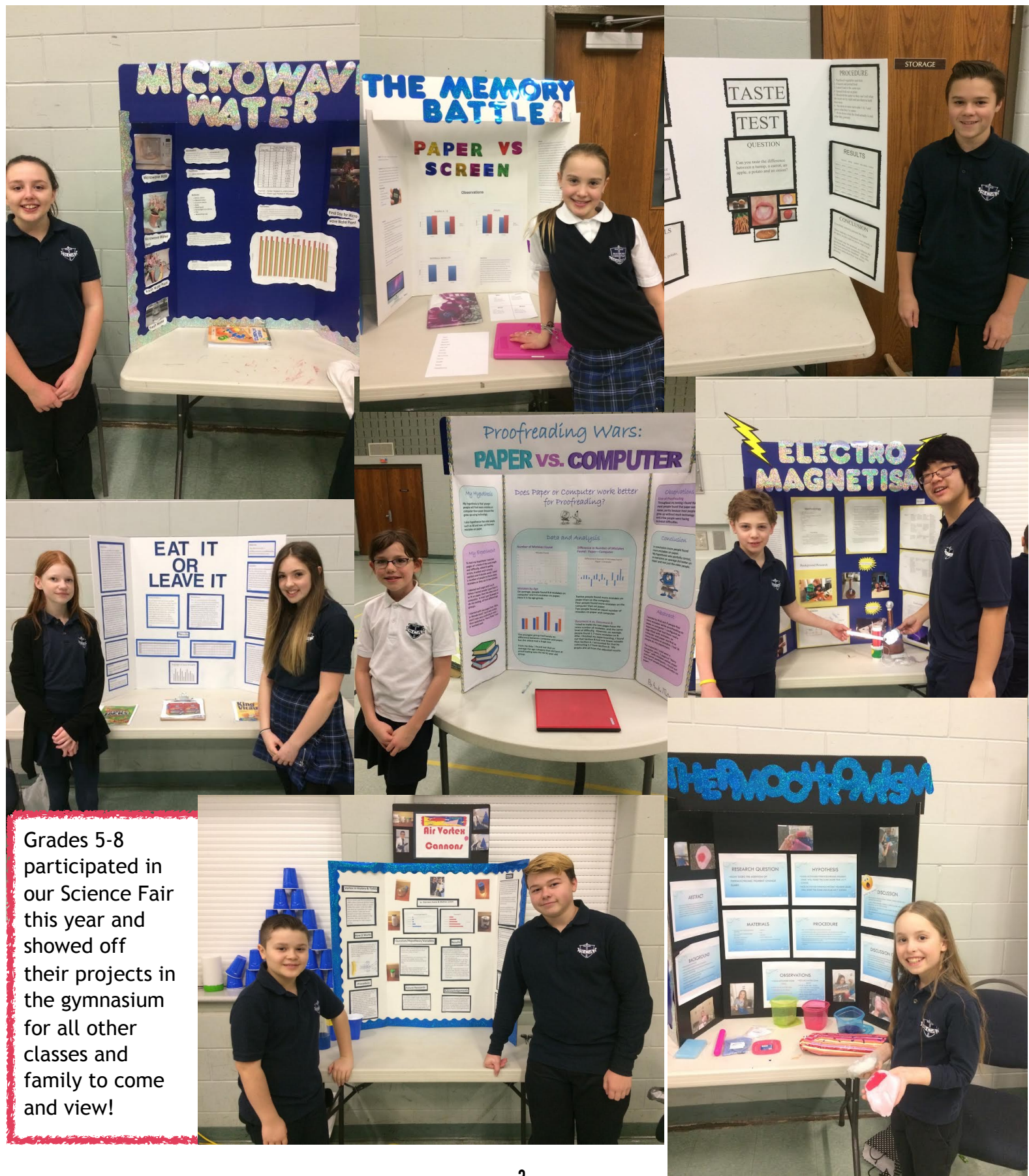
# Winter Fun Day



Winter Fun Day took us to Laurentian University Recreation Centre as we stayed in from the cold and went Rock Climbing, visited the Bouldering Caves, played organized games in the gym and went swimming in the Olympic Gold Pool! Fun was had by all!



# Science Fair



Grades 5-8 participated in our Science Fair this year and showed off their projects in the gymnasium for all other classes and family to come and view!



# February Events



This month we enjoyed lots of outdoor play in the snow and sunshine! The JK/SK class celebrated 100 days of school with a parade around the school, our SCA Eagles have been dominating on the basketball court, and Mr. Morse and Miss Moriah participated in the Coldest Night of the Year walk to support the Samaritan Centre!



## March Special Events

- Mar 1—EARLY REGISTRATION CLOSES!
- Mar 3—Spelling Bee @ 1:30pm in chapel
- Mar 9—Hot Lunch - Pancakes and Sausages
- Mar 10—Jump Rope for Heart Kick-Off
- Mar 13-17—March Break - NO SCHOOL!
- Mar 20—First day of Term 3
- Mar 22—Highland Dance Club starts
- Mar 23—Hot Lunch - Tomato Soup and Half a Grilled Cheese
- Mar 24—Report Cards go home
- Mar 27—Gr. 7/8 Wastewater Treatment Plant Field Trip & Early Dismissal @ 2:30pm
- Mar 28—Treat Tuesday - popcorn
- Mar 29—Grade 1/2 Chapel @ 8:30am



See you next month!