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Dear Parents and Guardians,

On behalf of Frank Ryan Catholic Intermediate School, I extend a warm welcome to all of our students and families during this first week of school. As a community of Catholic learners, our focus is to develop the whole child. Spiritual, academic, athletic and extracurricular opportunities for learning are extensive and I encourage your child to become actively involved in the life of this great school community.

Frank Ryan CIS is very proud of its history of community involvement. The annual Turkey Trot of Hope engages stakeholder communities to raise funds for many local and global organizations. In preparation, each homeroom will design its own Turkey Trot T-shirt at a cost of \$10.00 per student.

At present, we are seeking \$45.00 per student or \$75.00 per family. The Frank Ryan student fee supports a number of school activities. Some examples are listed below:

- Student Agenda, student lock and Yearbook
- Leadership experiences and opportunities
- Social justice initiatives
- School-wide presentations

The success of activities is dependent upon the collection of student fees and we encourage parents to sign up for our [School Cash online program](#). This online software allows for the payment of fees and other items. Please visit ocsb.schoolcashionline.com to register.

I ask that parents review the [Frank Ryan CIS website](#) regularly for news and updates. Also, please follow us on social media to celebrate learning and leadership at school. Follow us on Twitter: [@FrankRyanSchool](#) and [Facebook](#). On Tuesday, September 20, 2016, please join us for "Meet the Teacher" at 6:00pm in the gym. The first meeting of School Council is scheduled for Monday, September 26, 2016 at 6:30pm in the Learning Commons.

It is an honour to represent a safe, accepting and inclusive school community led by a staff of very caring adults. I look forward to meeting each parent and guardian.

If you require any assistance, please contact me without hesitation.

Sincerely,

Philip Capobianco

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Principal

