



## St. Augustine Catholic Elementary School

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Dear Parents, Guardians, St. Augustine CES & St. Mary CSS Community:

As you may already be aware, Evan Hewitson, the son of Mr. Scott Hewitson and Rebecca Moublow passed away on June 11th, 2022. Mr. Hewitson has been a teacher at St. Augustine school for 21 years. His son Evan was a former student of St. Augustine Catholic Elementary School and more recently a student at St. Mary Catholic High School.

Evan's story began at a very young age when he suffered complications from meningitis. Evan was confined to a wheelchair, unable to walk, talk or feed himself. Scott and his family have spent 17 years caring for their son. Their devotion to providing their son the best life possible is nothing short of admirable. Evan was a happy boy who knew just how loved he was by those around him.

Evan enjoyed his time in the park with his parents and grandparents and could be seen there multiple times a day enjoying the weather and nature. Upon hearing of Evan's passing, the St. Augustine community has come together in support of this incredible family. Our hope is to raise enough money to plant a tree (with a plaque dedicated to Evan) in the Dundas Driving Park. This could become a place of remembrance and prayer, not only for our school community, but for Evan's family as well.

If you are willing or able to donate, we would be so greatly appreciative. All funds will be directed to St. Augustine School and will be used for the following:

- 1) To pay for a tree and plaque to be planted in the Dundas Driving Park
- 2) Any amount of donations that may be left over will be donated to McMaster Children's hospital in Evan's memory.

Please help us support this amazing family by giving what you are able. Please feel free to share this information with your family and friends who may know Evan, Scott, Rebecca or their family members. Any questions or concerns can be directed to Elise Harold at St. Augustine Catholic Elementary School.

Sincerely,

The St. Augustine Staff and School Community.

**Please follow the below steps if you wish to donate to the Evan Hewitson Memorial:**

**From your phone:**

1. Go to our School Cash Online <https://www.hwcdsb.ca/schoolcashionline/> and then click on the blue link again. Note: It will show “link to register” but you do not need to register.
2. Click on the shopping cart.
3. Select other items.
1. Click on donation for the memorial of Evan Hewitson and follow the prompts to select your donation amount.
2. If you do not have a School Cash Online account, select continue as guest.
3. Follow the prompts to complete the transaction.

**From your computer:**

1. Go to our School Cash Online <https://www.hwcdsb.ca/schoolcashionline/> and then click on the blue link again. Note: It will show “link to register” but you do not need to register.
1. Go to the word “Items” on the top right side of your screen.
2. Click on donation for the memorial of Evan Hewitson and follow the prompts to select your donation amount.
3. If you do not have a School Cash Online account, select continue as guest.
4. Follow the prompts to complete the transaction.