

KAIROS RETREAT APPLICATION 2018-19

RETREAT DATES: *(Circle your first preference)*

- ✓ October 23-26, 2018
- ✓ November 20-23, 2018

- ✓ March 12-15, 2019
- ✓ April 23-26, 2019

[Note: The Oct & Nov retreats are designated for students in Grade 12, while Mar & Apr are primarily for Grade 11s. The March retreat may involve a mixture of 12s and 11s, while the April retreat is reserved exclusively for Grade 11s.]

STUDENT NAME: _____ [please print]

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

PARENT EMAIL: _____

PHONE: HOME (204) _____ WORK (204) _____

PARENT CELL: (204) _____ / (204) _____

Parental permission: I hereby give my son permission to participate in the Kairos Retreat Program run by St Paul's High School at the St Benedict's Retreat House on the above dates. I also give him permission to make use of the transportation supplied by St Paul's High School to and from the retreat house. I understand that this is a school event with my son's obligation to conduct himself appropriately.

Parental signature: _____ Date: _____

Are both parents at the above address? Yes / No (circle one)... If no, please attach a second address:

Second address: _____ Phone: (204) _____

Allergies or dietary restrictions: _____

The retreat program: This is a special "time of the Lord," as that is what the word "Kairos" means in this context. It is a Christian experience of prayer and reflection, run by a team of adults and students. Students from other faith traditions are welcome and will be accommodated. Student responsibility and commitment are essential to the effectiveness of the retreat. For many students, this retreat will be a highlight of their time at St Paul's. Further information will be forwarded to parents and students closer to the retreat date.

Cost: Because of the length of the program (room & board from Tuesday night through Friday afternoon), it is necessary to ask for a fee of \$150.00 to help cover the costs (the real cost approaches \$275 per person). However, no student will be turned away because of money. *See either the President, Mr Booth, or Dr Puchniak, the Kairos Coordinator, if the cost is an issue. We do have funds available to make the retreat a possibility for everyone. No student will be turned away because he cannot afford to pay.* Tax receipts will be issued for amounts beyond the minimum (\$150) contribution. If you are able, please consider making a donation that will make the retreat accessible to other students.

This form should be returned to the front desk/reception. Priority will be given on a first-come, first-served basis. If you have any questions, please contact Dr Puchniak directly. There may be a waiting list for each of the retreats, so please let us know as soon as possible if your plans change and you are unable to participate during your requested date. Please consider other co-curricular commitments, which may lead to scheduling conflicts with some retreats. For example, the October retreat is usually not a good fit for football players; the November and March retreats are often not good for hockey players; actors should consider the dates of rehearsals and production; basketball and volleyball players should also consider their league and travel schedules. Ask if you are unsure.

A deposit of \$75 is requested when handing in the application form. The remainder is due when the retreat is over.

For office use only:

Date of registration: _____ **Initial deposit:** \$ _____