

April 2024 Newsletter

A A Wright Public School

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EASTER MONDAY APRIL 1 AND PA DAY APRIL 8

Easter Monday is Monday April 1st and this will be a holiday for our students. The next PA Day is Monday April 8th and students will not be at school on this day. Please note that the PA Day on Friday April 26th is cancelled and has been moved to Monday the 8th.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION



Our next Kindergarten Registration Day is Wednesday April 3rd from 9:30 until 4:00 pm, stop by the school on this day to register and please don't forget a valid birth certificate and proof of residency. Remember, parents can register their new to JK (or SK) child at anytime. Please contact the school at 519-627-2581 for more information about registration.

FAMILY CENTRE BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM AT AAW

The Family Centre has spaces available in the before and after school program. Register at www.chatham-kentchildcare.ca Contact Courtney at 519-627-4441 for more information.

WILDCAT SPIRIT WEAR

Are you interested in purchasing Wildcat Swag? Go to <u>Link to Wildcat Spirit Wear</u> to shop. There are lots of great options and colours to choose from including T-shirts, hoodies, sweaters, jackets, pants, bags, hats and so much more.

INCLEMENT WEATHER

The policy of the LKDSB for inclement weather is:

In the event of bus cancellation due to snow or freezing rain, buses will not run in the morning or afternoon but schools remain open. If buses are cancelled due to fog, all schools will remain open. Morning bus pickups will be cancelled and buses will run for the afternoon return home drop offs. We encourage parents of bus students to arrange their own transportation to school when it is safe to do so. Please listen to your local radio station (99.1 CKXS) or check the transportation web site at www.schoolbusinfo.com
AA Wright Public School is in **School Bus Zone 5**.

BELL TIMES AND SAFE ARRIVAL/DISMISSAL

8:55 a.m.: School Arrival/Outdoor Supervision Begins. Please do not arrive on school property prior to this time.

9:10 a.m.: School Start Time

11:30 a.m. - 12:10 p.m.: AM Nutrition Break and Recess (Staggered by grade) 1:50 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.: PM Nutrition Break and Recess (Staggered by grade)

3:30 p.m.: Dismissal

NUT AWARE

Please remember that AAW is a NUT FREE school. Students may not bring any nuts, peanut butter, or nut products (including Nutella and Wow Butter) to school. Please make sure to read all labels before packing your child's lunch. We have several children with severe allergies to a variety of nuts and it is important that we ensure their safety while they are at school. We appreciate your co-operation and support with this.

DROP OFF AND PICK UP

Students who walk to school or get dropped off **must not arrive before 8:55 a.m.** as they will not be allowed on the yard unsupervised in the morning or after the bell. Parents are not permitted on the school yard after 8:55 a.m. Please remind your children to cross only at crosswalks or intersections. For the safety of our bus students, please do not park in the bus loading area on the north side of the building. Parking is available on the front (east side) and the back (west side) of the building. When leaving your car to pick up/drop off students, please park in the parking area, turn off your vehicle, and take your keys. Please remember that students **must be picked up at 3:30 pm** as there is no supervision on the yard after this time. Please note that changes to your child's departure at the end of the day should be messaged to the classroom teacher before 3:00 pm. The office is extremely busy between 3:00 pm and 3:30 PM and getting messages through the office may be difficult at this time.

PARENT COUNCIL

We are always looking for new parents to join us at our Parent Council meetings. If you have any interest in being a part of this team, please contact the school. Our next meeting will take place on Wednesday April 3rd at 3:30 pm, in the AA Wright Public School Learning Commons. Please contact the office if you are interested in joining.

LINK TO COMMUNITY SUPPORT RESOURCES

To assist families with some community support resources, AAW has created a document with links to various organizations in the Wallaceburg and surrounding area. Please click on the following link to access the document: Link to Community Supports Resources

EVENTS AT THE SCHOOL:



Special Food Days

Food Days will continue in April. Here are the scheduled food days for the month: Pizza Day is Friday April 5th and Friday April 19th. Nacho and Cheese Day is on Friday April 12th. Please watch for emails in April for our May food days on Schoolcash Online.



Terrific Kids Assembly

Our next Terrific Kids Assembly will be Thursday April 25th at 2:30 pm in the gymnasium. The character trait that we will focus on for the month of April is "Inquisitive." Students from each class will be chosen who best displayed this trait throughout the month. May's trait is "Capable."

Basketball

Congratulations to our boy's and girl's basketball teams who both won all of their games this season. Thanks so much to our coaches Mrs. Gallerno, Ms. Sanderson, Mr. Braithwaite and Mrs. Hedges. Way to go Wildcats!

Important Dates in May:

- 5 Red Dress Day
- 10 Spirit Day Jersey Day
- 20 Victoria Day
- 29 Kindergarten Registration 4:00 pm 7:00 pm
- 31 Terrific Kids Assembly Capable

Work Hard. Be Kind. Be the Example!

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Happy Easter Monday!	2	3 Wildcat Wednesday Kindergarten Registration 9:30	4 Orange Shirt Thursday	5 Pizza Day	6
7	8 PA DAY!	9	10 Wildcat Wednesday	11 Orange Shirt Thursday	Nachos Day	13
14	15	16	17 Wildcat Wednesday	18 Orange Shirt Thursday	19 Pizza Day	20
21	22 Earth Day/Week Activities – Pitch in	23	24 Wildcat Wednesday	25 Orange Shirt Thursday Terrific Kids Assembly 2:30	26	27
28	29	30				