

Aberarder Central School-February 2022 Newsletter

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

We are so happy to be back at school! Thanks to all for completing the screener prior to sending your children to school and keeping them home when they are not feeling well.



I ask that you please make sure that your child is dressed appropriately for winter. Many kids are coming to school without snow pants and boots and are tracking wet snow all through the halls. There are times when a teacher will bring a class outside for a special activity and we don't want to see anyone miss out on the fun or be cold.

We have been getting some requests to bring back the Ricco frozen food fundraiser. We have contacted the company and are working on some dates- stay tuned...

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

In addition to activities promoted throughout the LKDSB during the month of February, students, families and staff members are invited to explore the rich history in the surrounding area and learn more about how African Canadian history can be incorporated into the curriculum. The LKDSB is also committed to supporting Ontario's Anti-Black Racism Strategy. Read more: <https://www.ontario.ca/page/ontarios-anti-black-racism-strategy>.

RE-SCHEDULED PIZZA DAYS

For the 2 pizza days that were missed while we were on remote learning (first two weeks of January) will be rescheduled for March 2nd and 9th. If weather changes anything we will let you know.

EARLY YEARS REGISTRATION



Monday, January 31, 2022

9:00 A.M.- 7:00 P.M.

If you have a child ready for JK or know of someone who does, please visit the website to register your child for JK.

There are two ways to complete the Kindergarten Registration paperwork:

- via online registration or
- paper registration package.

Prior to arriving at the Kindergarten Registration event, parents can register via www.lkdsb.net/childcare

Registration is as easy as 1, 2, 3!

1. Find your school.
2. Complete the online registration form @ www.lkdsb.net/childcare in advance.
3. Once you have registered online, you will receive an email to book an appointment to meet our caring staff on Monday, January 31st, 2022, from 9:00am – 7:00pm.

Remember to bring:

- Birth certificate or proof of Canadian Citizenship or Residency Status (if appropriate)
- Proof of residency (e.g., utility or tax bill, lease/rental agreement, etc.) (*phone bill or driver's License unacceptable*)
- Your child



PARENT REMINDER

Thank you for planning ahead and informing the office if you must pick up your child early for any reason so that we can avoid class interruptions.

DONATIONS

Thanks to those who have donated to our snack / breakfast program. Receipts will be issued for any donations over \$20.00.

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GRADE 8 GRADUATION AND SK CELEBRATION PICTURES

Please note that there has been a date change. Lifetouch will be at the school February 3rd in the morning to take grade 8 graduation and SK celebration pictures.

SCHOOL BUS INFO



We are in Zone 1. Bussing information is available at www.schoolbusinfo.com

Busses canceled due to snow do not pick up students at the end of the day, busses cancelled due to fog will return to the school to take students home.

Unless otherwise stated, schools will remain open during inclement weather. The Lambton Kent District School Board developed a mobile app called ***“My SBI” Please download this free app*** from iTunes Apps to check out information on news including bus cancellations. Alternatively, you can listen to local radio stations for bus updates during inclement weather or visit schoolbusinfo.com.

Due to insurance liability reasons, bus drivers are not allowed to drop students off at their friend’s home, even when they ride the same bus. Parents are responsible for driving students to their friends.

Only regular eligible riders or courtesy seat students have permission to ride the bus that they are assigned to. Permission will not be extended to students who are not listed on the bus lists. Please do not send a note to the bus drivers or principal asking for a change to this policy.