



The Eagle Explorer

Dresden Area Central School
June 2024 Edition

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Message From the Office

As we enter the final month of the school year, June, we are filled with mixed emotions. It's a time to reflect on accomplishments made as well as the growth and learning that took place. Excitement builds as we plan end-of-year celebrations, look forward to engaging activities, and prepare for well-deserved summer vacations. Let's make this last month of school memorable. From everyone at Dresden Area Central School, we hope that you have a safe, restful, and fun summer. We look forward to seeing you back in September.

Important Dates

- June 3rd – June 4th** – Leave Your Mark Lacrosse Clinic
- June 4th** – Holmes and McCutcheon Field Trip
- June 5th** – FDK – 3 Track and Field
- June 6th** – FDK – 3 Track and Field (Rain Date)
- June 7th** – PA Day | No School
- June 13th** – Grade 8 Field Trip
- June 14th** – Area Track and Field
- June 18th** – Cameron and Malott Field Trip
- June 19th** – Parent Council Meeting @6:45pm
- June 19th** – Grade 3/4 | Bkejwanong School Pow Wow
- June 20th** – Grade 8 Graduation
- June 21st** – FDK Celebration
- June 21st** – Long and Cowan Field Trip
- June 24th** – Lecki and Filip Field Trip
- June 24th** – Kemp and George Brosh Field Trip
- June 25th** – Grade 7 Field Trip
- June 27th** – Report Cards | Sent Home
- June 27th** – Last Day of School
- June 28th** – PA Day | No School

Extra- Curricular

Congratulations to our Grade 7 and Grade 8 students that participated in the LKESSA Soccer Tournament on May 17th, at Riverview Central School. There was lots of success and fun had by all three teams.



Students in Grades 4 through 8 had a beautiful day for our school track and field meet. We wish good luck to all students that qualified for the area track and field meet on June 14th. We are excited to host our FDK through Grade 3 track meet on Wednesday June 5th.

DACS Volunteer Appreciation Day

A big thank you to everyone who has volunteered to support our school and students this school year. We are extremely grateful.



DACS Talent Show

We loved watching all of our Eagles perform at the talent show on May 7th.



The Amazing Skills Challenge

On May 31st, our Grade 7 students participated in The Amazing Skills Challenge hosted by St. Clair College. During their time on campus, students worked collaboratively with Grade 7 students from across Chatham-Kent to problem solve and complete a variety of educational challenges.



Report Cards

Report cards will be distributed Thursday, June 27th. For Grade 8 students, report card will be included with your graduation diploma. For all other students our report card as well as a recommended supplies list and classroom placement for next year will go home with you on the day outlined above.

Gauss Math Challenge

On May 15th, students in Grades 6, Grade 7, Grade 8, and one Grade 4 student, participated in the University of Waterloo Gauss Math Challenge. In this challenge students are introduced to a broader perspective of math through intriguing and challenging math problems. Congratulations to all of our participants.



Summer Camps

Please see the attached flyer for the LKDSB Summer Connection Camp. As well, use the following link, [Summer Camps](#), to access a document that outlines a variety of community summer camp options taking place throughout the Lambton Kent region this summer.

Graduation

Grade 8 graduation is set for Thursday, June 20th, 2024, at 7:00 pm, in the gymnasium at Lambton Kent Composite School. We are excited to welcome families, friends, and the community to this gathering to celebrate the Grade 8 students and their achievements.

FDK celebrations will take place on Friday, June 21st, 2024, at Dresden Area Central School. Keep your eye on classroom communications for specific details on your student's classroom.



SUMMER CONNECTION CAMP



What is it?

For students in grades 4-6 to learn and practice social skills through play

- Connecting with peers
- Building and maintaining friendships
- Problem solving
- Group learning activities
- Indoor and outdoor learning opportunities
- Understanding and managing emotions

When?

Scheduled to run the following Tuesdays in Summer 2024:

- July 9th
- July 16th
- July 23rd
- August 13th
- August 20th



Where?

Lansdowne Public School

AM Session: 9:30-11:30

PM Session: 12:30-2:30

Queen E. Chatham Public School

AM Session: 9:30-11:30

PM Session: 12:30-2:30



Registration:

Follow the QR code to register your child



Please Note:

Choose ONE session for your child to attend (AM or PM) at one of the two locations.

Please send your child with a water bottle and snacks.



For additional information on the camp, please contact your school's Resource Teacher or ABA Specialists:

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