

# HIGH PARK PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

## #HPcommunity

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### School Bell Times

**8:50– start of day**  
**10:50-11:30 break #1**  
**1:10-1:50 break #2**  
**3:10– end of day**

**Bus Zone #2**  
<https://cklass.ca>

### **Where You Can Find Us:**

School Website: <http://highpark.lkdsb.net>  
Facebook: @highparkpublicschool  
Twitter: @HighParkSarnia  
TikTok: @hpsarnia

\*We are a nut free school zone\*

LKDSB news- [www.lkdsb.net](http://www.lkdsb.net)



### **News From the Office:**

Hello High Park families,

June 1 marks the beginning of Pride Month in Ontario, and around the world. For many people in Ontario, Pride is a time to celebrate the things that make us unique and special, to look to our community for acceptance and support, and to demonstrate our commitment to making every single person feel welcome.

We recognize that many two-spirited, lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgendered and queer students face increasing levels of bullying, harassment, and mental health issues. We must come together to protect these students and ensure their inclusion within our school.

This month, let's celebrate Pride in positive and meaningful ways that recognize that everyone belongs here.

June is also National Indigenous History month, we look forward to continuing to embed meaningful learning into our lessons. June 21 is National Indigenous Peoples Day. We honour the history, heritage, and diversity of Indigenous peoples in Canada.

All public schools in Ontario must be safe spaces for all children, regardless of race, heritage, faith, sexuality and gender. We are so proud to stand with all of you, and support the wonderful diversity that makes up our #HPcommunity .

Thank you for being wonderfully supportive!

Sincerely,

Emily, Kate and Renee

We are pleased to offer each student a free 6" Subway sub courtesy of our snack program community supporters.

This will be on Tuesday June 13th.

Please look for the order form coming home with your student(s). Each student will need their own order form completed and returned to the school by **June 7th**.

June is going to be busy with many field trips happening in and around our local area as well as a few class trips that are out of town! Our students and staff will surely have a great time attending wherever they go. Please be sure to send back any permission forms promptly, so that your student can attend these trips. Thank you to our great staff who have booked and planned for these educational and fun days. Here is a breakdown of the dates for your information:

June 1: Ms. Best & Mr. Lounsbury Gr. 7

June 8: Mr. S. Brien gr. 5/6

June 8: FDK teams and gr. SK/1

June 8: Mme Lemieux gr. 3/4/5

June 15: Ms. Best & Mr. Lounsbury Gr. 8

June 15: Mme Kehn gr.1, Mme Leclerc gr. 2/3, Mrs. Thompson gr. 3

June 16: Mr. Snauweart gr. 5/6 & Mrs. Gabriel gr. 5/6

June 20: Ms. Kohut Gr. 4/5

June 22: Ms. Siebert gr. 3/4 & Ms. DenBoer gr. 4

### ***Important Dates:***

Next school council date: Tuesday June 13/23 at 6:15 at the school- let us know if you need childcare at the school to attend.

May 16- intermediate girls' soccer

May 17- intermediate boys' soccer

May 18- HP track and field with rain date of May 19

May 22- Victoria Day holiday

- **Parent Web Portal – Reminder that parents/guardians all have access to an online portal where they can retrieve bus information for their students, update medical conditions and find other useful tools / information.**
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**Our hearts are  
BIGGER,**

**Our community is  
STRONGER,**

**We can overcome  
CHALLENGES,**

**We belong here  
TOGETHER.**

**WE ARE PANTHERS PROUD!**

- Your Panthers Staff

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