



## King George VI Public School

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**March 2021** Happy March to our King George Community! We are looking forward to some Spring weather here at the school!

**COVID 19 PROTOCOLS** Just some friendly reminders regarding Covid-19. **All students in Grades 1-8 will now have to wear a mask.** We will continue to review and practice social distancing and proper hand hygiene throughout the day. As a reminder, parents/guardians are only being admitted into the school for special circumstances. If you are dropping your child off at the front door, please say your good-byes there and only have the child enter the school.

**Please continue to complete the COVID-19 Screening for students each day and follow the directions of the screener should your child be ill. [COVID-19 school screening \(ontario.ca\)](https://www.ontario.ca/covid-19-school-screening)**

**LUNCH TIME** Thank you to all families in Grades 1-8 for supporting our process for students to take their garbage home. Duty/Classroom Teachers are reporting less students up and moving around during the lunch time. Most students have a small bag to put their garbage in. We appreciate your continued support to keep our school safe for all. If you have any questions regarding this please contact your child's teacher.

**SCHOOL COUNCIL** The next School Council meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, March 10, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. via Google Meet. If you wish to attend, please email Mrs. Pereira. We encourage all parents to please attend. The purpose of the School Council is to improve pupil achievement and to employ a variety of strategies to engage parents and the community in strengthening student achievement. We appreciate all ideas and value all voices at the meeting.






**CHARACTER DEVELOPMENT** As we continue to work with students on appropriate behaviour and character development, our focus is based on the four agreements of TRIBES and the LKDSB Character Attributes. March is "Inclusiveness" month at King George. Inclusiveness means, "We work to build a community where everyone feels included, and where differences and diversity are honoured".

**PICTURE DAY** Picture Day will be scheduled for April. Information will go home once we have a date confirmed.

**PARKING LOT/PICK UP** We are asking all parents to please be diligent at pick up time. Please park your car only in designated spaces and ensure you are turning your cars off. We understand the temperatures are cold but the exhaust fumes and safety concerns with a car left running are not the best for our students here. We appreciate your support with this concern.

**ALLERGIES** A reminder for all of our school community...**We have students with severe life-threatening allergies to peanuts and nuts. Please refrain from sending any food containing nuts to school or any foods that say "may contain nuts" on the labels. If you have any questions regarding this or require more information on what products are safe snack products, please contact Mrs. Pereira at the school.**

## March Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5 <b>Spirit Wear Day</b> 	6
7	8	9	10 <b>School Council Meeting 6:30</b>	11	12 <b>Spirit Wear Day</b> 	13
14	15 <b>D.E.A.R Day</b> (Drop Everything and Read!) Have your child bring their favourite book to school	16	17 <b>St. Patrick's Day</b> Dress Up in Green and St. Patrick's Day Attire 	18	19 <b>Beach/Hawaiian Day</b> 	20
21	22	23	24	25	26 <b>Crazy/Fun Sock Day</b> 	27
28	29	30	31			

### DATES TO REMEMBER:

<b>Upcoming 2020-2021 PD Days</b> Friday, June 4, 2021 Tuesday, June 29, 2021	<b>Upcoming 2020-2021 School Holidays</b> Friday, April 2, 2021 GOOD FRIDAY Monday, April 5, 2021 EASTER MONDAY April 12-16, 2021 SPRING BREAK Monday, May 24, 2021 VICTORIA DAY
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**Principal:** Mrs. Tracy Pereira

**Secretary:** Mrs. Janet Moran

