



# Rosedale Public School Newsletter



## **FROM ADMINISTRATION**

March came in like a lamb, with lovely temperatures. We have lots of items in the lost and found if your child is missing any hats, mitts, coats or sweaters. These items are often discarded as soon as the sun comes out!

March Break is March 13-17. Both the school and the YMCA program will be closed that week. For those of you travelling, enjoy and be safe! For those of you staying closer to home, we hope you have a wonderful and restful week. Classes resume March 20<sup>th</sup>.

If you have questions or concerns via email at [Caley.Evans@lkdsb.net](mailto:Caley.Evans@lkdsb.net) or at the school 519-542-4552.

*Ms. Evans and Mrs. Falla*

## **WHERE TO FIND US**

Website: <http://rosedale.lkdsb.net/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/Rosedale-Public-School-Sarnia-School-Parent-Council-348804638539201>

Twitter: Rosedale Royals @Rosedale\_Royals

Bus: Zone 2

## **STAFFING UPDATE**

We have a few staff changes to announce: Mr. Greenaway and Mrs. Schieman's LTOs have come to an end, Miss Finley has accepted a permanent position at Sir John Moore and Mrs. Kelch will be on leave for the remainder of the school year. Thank you for being a part of the Rosedale community! It's not goodbye but "see you later!"

We are welcoming back Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Tessier after working with the program department for Term 1. We are also happy to welcome Miss Sanderson into grade ½ and Miss Foubister who will be Mrs. Bornais' ECE partner. If your child is

impacted by the changes, the new staff member will be reaching out to introduce themselves.

## **TERRIFIC KIDS**

March's character trait is Friendly. Thank you to the Golden K Kiwanis Club for their continued support of this initiative.

## **PARENT COUNCIL**

Being involved in your children's school is a great way to stay connected. We meet the second Wednesday of the month at 6:00 pm, here at the school.

## **SCHOOLCASH ONLINE**

To minimize the handling of cash, families are encouraged to use SchoolCash Online. Visit the school website to learn more about SchoolCash Online. This is the preferred method for hot lunches and field trips. To help you plan, all the hot lunches for the year have been posted.

## **TERM 2 IEPs**

Term 2 IEPs are being sent home after March Break. Please remember to sign and send back the last page so that it can be filed in your child's OSR. If you have comments, questions, or concerns, please reach out to either your child's classroom teacher or our resource team, Mrs. Cowan or Ms. Rowe.

## **BASKETBALL**

Congratulations to our Boys and Girls basketball teams who overcame lots of weather-related cancellations to have wonderful seasons! Our boys secured a first-place finish in the championship game. We are so proud of both teams and hope that you continue to hone your skills until next season.



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## OUT OF BOUNDS LETTERS

Letters to families that are out of area will be sent home as per LKDSB policy and procedures. If you are requesting that your child continue to attend Rosedale, please submit a written request to the office by March 31, 2023. Permission to continue to attend for the 2023/2024 school year will be determined once staffing and in-area student numbers are verified, which may not be until sometime in September. In the meantime, you are strongly encouraged to register at your home school.

## KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Registration is now open for students who are new to our FDK program! Students who are currently attending Rosedale in year 1 (junior kindergarten) or year 2 (senior kindergarten) do not need to re-register. Registering your child for kindergarten is as easy as 1, 2, 3.

1. Find your school.

2. Complete the online registration form @ [www.lkdsb.net/kindergarten](http://www.lkdsb.net/kindergarten) in advance.

3. Come and meet our caring staff! Our next open house is in April.

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.)
- Your child

## A reminder from Lambton Public Health:

### REPORT VACCINATIONS

Required if your child attends school or licensed daycare.

<p><b>Report or view records:</b></p> <p> <a href="http://GetTheVaccine.ca">GetTheVaccine.ca</a></p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">Or scan the QR Code with your smartphone to access online.</p> <p><b>If you need assistance, contact us:</b></p> <p> <a href="mailto:immunization@county-lambton.on.ca">immunization@county-lambton.on.ca</a></p> <p> 519-383-8331 ext. 3589</p>	<p><b>Required Immunizations in Ontario:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• diphtheria</li> <li>• tetanus</li> <li>• polio</li> <li>• measles</li> <li>• mumps</li> <li>• rubella</li> <li>• meningococcal</li> <li>• whooping cough (pertussis)</li> <li>• chickenpox (varicella)</li> </ul>
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Vaccines help protect you and those around you against disease. Learn more: [ontario.ca/vaccines](http://ontario.ca/vaccines)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- March 7 – Stafford’s hot lunch
- March 8 – Parent Council meeting
- March 13-17 – School closed for the March Break Holiday
- March 24 – Popcorn, Pizza and PJ Day (Grade 8 fundraiser – orders due March 9)
- March 30 – Terrific Kids Assembly
- March 31 – Boston Pizza hot lunch and Twin Day