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February Newsletter

We are officially halfway through the school year! This means it is time to note learning that has occurred to this point. Report cards will be coming out on Friday, February 16th. If you have questions after reports come out, please feel free to reach out to the classroom teacher. We want to partner with you to ensure your child is learning to the best of their ability.

You can support your child's learning in many ways. One way is to have them here daily and on time, where possible. Each day we have only 5 hours of instructional time. Most classes focus on the more challenging subjects at the start of the day, like math or language. These subjects require building on previously learned content. When students miss even a half an hour it can result in missing instruction on new content, or valuable practice time. Students need to engage with any new learning 3-5 times before it has a high probability of being retained. Being present at school as much as possible is really important for their learning.

Dates that are important to your family:

If you notice we are missing a date on our February calendar, please call the office to let us know.

This month on Valentine's Day we will be having a special assembly to say Thank You to Noelle's Gift! Did you know that this year Noelle's Gift donated \$111,000 to 47 different snack programs in Lambton! They have helped our school out immensely!

Message from School Council Chair:

Hello and happy February !

It's hard to believe that we are already half way through the school year. Thank you to everyone that helped make our Kernels fundraiser such a big success. We sold a total of 2078 bags of popcorn as a school. Wow!! Another step towards a climber on the intermediate yard. Fundraising is such a large part of what council does, but it would not be possible without all our amazing students and their families. Spring is coming soon and I'm so excited for all it brings. Council has some fun things planned. Hot lunches, fundraising, our Spring event and of course, bookfair. Make sure to watch the newsletters or check out our Facebook page so you don't miss out. Being involved in the school can be so rewarding and enjoyable. We are always looking to welcome new members to our volunteer team and to council. There's still lots of time to get involved and make a difference. Thanks from Your Chair, Sabrina

Kindergarten Registration:

If you know of a family that will be registering their child for Junior Kindergarten in September, please share these dates with them:

Thursday, Feb. 1, 2023, from 4:00pm – 7:00pm or Friday, Feb. 2, 2023, from 9:00am – 3:00pm.

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.)
- Your child