

HRPS SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING

MAY 17, 2022

WELCOME

ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATE

Mrs. Balkwill has announced her retirement at the end of the 2021-2022 school year.

Heather VanderPol will be the incoming Principal for the 2022-2021 school year.

EQAO – GRADE 3-6

Sample tests are ongoing. Operational tests as well, though not all are yet at the Operational test stage.

4 stages for Math

4 stages for Language

The kids are embracing this testing well and enjoy the online aspect.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION – JUNE 8TH – 4:00 TO 7:00 P.M.

This is the “third round” of registration. HRPS does not yet have any registrations for June. Registration at this time is low.

TRACK AND FIELD – MAY 25TH – GRADE 3 TO 8

All day format.

Parent Volunteers encouraged.

Freezies will be provided. Parent Student Council covering the cost.

Spectators are welcome.

GRADE 8 FIELD TRIP – JUNE 14TH TO JUNE 15TH

Toronto – includes a Blue Jay Game, the ROM, the Eaton Centre, Aquarium, the CN Tower, etc.

35 children going.

\$450.00 / kids could reduce this by selling chocolate bars

CLASS FIELD TRIPS AND / OR EXPERIMENTAL LEARNING EXPERIENCES

Outdoor Education funds have assisted in covering some of the costs.

Bussing may create some issues due to driver shortages, resulting in last minute cancellations.

PLAYDAY – JUNE – DATE TO BE ANNOUNCED

Freezies will be provided. Parent Council covering the cost.

FDK to Grade 3, with potential for the older Grades to help out with the events.

LKDSB SUMMER STRUCTURED RECREATION PROGRAM OPPORTUNITY

More information will be found in the June Newsletter.

To be offered at different school sites.

Like a “summer camp” style; parents to stay with their child – not a “drop off” type of camp (parachutes, spike ball, frisbee, etc.)

May 30th is a date for the HRSP location. More dates possibly to follow over the summer.

GRADUATION - JUNE 22ND AT GLAD TIDINGS CHURCH – SUBJECT PLAQUE AWARDS

Grad photos done, as well as re-takes

More information to come on the details for the ceremony

“Practice run” in the AM of June 22nd

Consideration being given to Parent Council covering the costs of the subject plaques

GRADE 8 BBQ – LAST DAY OF SCHOOL – HAS HISTORICALLY BEEN SPONSORED BY HRPS PARENT GROUP IN THE PAST

Parent Council will organize and fund this.