



## McNaughton Ave. Public School

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McNaughton Ave Public School

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**May 2024**

Ms. Erin Van De Wiele, Principal

Ms. Elish Smith, Vice Principal

Ms. Michele Hosfeld, Secretary

Ms. Jennifer Quirion, Receptionist

Ms. Melanie Jones, Receptionist

### From the Office

If guardians are away for an extended period of time please notify the office to share contact information of who would be caring for their child(ren) while away. This is important for attendance purposes but also in case of emergency

### School Council

**Our May meeting will be Tuesday, May 14th.** All guardians are welcome. If you are interested, please contact the office to be added to the email list. Meetings are held in the Library/Learning Commons.

### Student Council

**Respect** will be the Wellness Focus for April. Check the calendar (below) for Theme Days each FRIDAY

### Breakfast Program

Without the generous donations from the *Ontario Student Nutrition Program* and *President's Choice Children Charity* we would not be able to provide the snack bins in each classroom as frequently as we do. We always accept in-kind donations as well as monetary donations. Should you want to make a monetary donation it can be found on School Cash Online "**Breakfast Program Donation**".

**Tax receipts are available upon request. Thank you to the donors in our school community we have not raised over \$700.00**

## Bus Zones 7&8- Inclement Weather

The Lambton Kent District School Board has administrative procedures, which will assist parents on mornings when dangerous weather conditions exist, such as fog or snow. If foggy, buses may be cancelled for the morning route, however students will be bussed home after school. If buses are cancelled due to snow, they do not run in the morning or the afternoon. Parents should listen to their local radio station or check the transportation website at [www.schoolbusinfo.com](http://www.schoolbusinfo.com) or download the MySBI app by CLASS.

## Absence Reporting

If your child is going to be absent from school, please call the school at **519-352-8252**. When you leave a message, include the first and last name of your child, his/her teacher, and the reason for your child's absence, and when he/she will return to school. Our answering machine is available 24 hours a day for reporting absences. Thank-you in advance for your assistance with reporting any absences. You can also use the School Messenger app available on iOS and Android to report student absences.

## Student Early Dismissal Changes- Reminder

McNaughton has a very large student population, and we are noticing that the number of students being dismissed early is increasing. We ask that you please call the office **before 3pm daily** if your child's end of day schedule is being changed (ex. pick up instead of bus, pick up at 2:30, etc.). Please also note that, when students are being dismissed early (before 3:35pm), they will be dismissed from the **main front doors only to an approved adult on our pickup list.**

## School Playground

**The playground equipment is NOW open!**

***KinderSTART*** - Registering your child for Kindergarten is as easy as 1, 2, 3.

1. Find your eligible school at: [Address Check](#)
2. Complete the online registration form [www.lkdsb.net/kindergarten](http://www.lkdsb.net/kindergarten) in advance
3. Come to McNaughton Ave. Public School and meet our caring staff on **May 29th 4pm-7pm**

**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!

## May - Dates to Remember

May 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> - Social Emotional Student Support Activities (Primary/Junior)

May 6<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> – Education Week

May 6<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> - Scholastic Book Fair Visits (classroom visits)

May 8<sup>th</sup> – STEAM Night, Scholastic Book Fair, and Optimist Fry Truck

May 13<sup>th</sup> – McNaughton Track Meet @ CKSS Grade 4 to 8

May 14<sup>th</sup> – School Council Meeting

May 20<sup>th</sup> – Victoria Day – no School

May 22<sup>nd</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> – Language EQAO – Grade 3 & 6

May 27<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> - Social Emotional Student Support (Primary/Junior)

May 28<sup>th</sup> to June 3<sup>rd</sup> – Math EQAO – Grade 3 & 6

## Future Important Dates

June 4<sup>th</sup> – City Track Meet (Rain Date June 5)

June 20<sup>th</sup> – Graduation @ St. Paul's Congregational Church (Park Ave)

June 24<sup>th</sup> – Virtual Graduation – 5:00pm



# May 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2 Pizza Day 	3 <b>Wear Red National Day of MMIWG2S Awareness</b>	4 
5 <b>May 6-10 Scholastic Book Fair</b>	6	7 <b>Harvest Fresh Meal</b>	<b>STEAM NIGHT 5pm-7pm</b>		9 Pizza Day 	10 <b>Theme Day: Extravagant Hair Day</b>
12 	13 <b>Track &amp; Field Day @ CKSS Grade 4-8</b>	14 <b>Harvest Fresh Meal School Council 6:30pm</b>	15	16 Pizza Day 	17 <b>Theme Day: Bring your Favourite Stuff</b>	18 
19	20 <i>Victoria Day</i>	21 <b>Harvest Fresh Meal</b>	22	23 Pizza Day 	24 <b>Theme Day: Rock your Sunglasses</b>	25
26 	27	28 <b>Harvest Fresh Meal</b>	29 <b>Kinderstart 4pm-7pm</b>	30 Pizza Day 	31 <b>Theme Day: Neon Day &amp; Grade Level Dance</b>	