

# Plympton-Wyoming Public School

June 2023 Newsletter



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## Last Day of School

The most exciting day of the year is almost here! The last day of school before summer vacation is Thursday, June 29th! The month of June is jam-packed with all kinds of fun events for our Wildcats who have worked so hard throughout the year. As you can see on the Calendar, we have field trips, track meets, plays and other fun things happening to celebrate an exceptionally great year of school!

## Staffing Changes

There will be some new faces here next year! With our skyrocketing enrollment, we've been allotted two additional classrooms next year! We are excited to welcome back Mrs. Morreau to teach one of our primary classes. We would also like to welcome Mrs. Verville, who will be teaching our SK/1 class. A full listing of classes and teachers will be sent home at the end of the month. Your child's tentative September classroom placement will be sent home with their report card on June 29th.

## PA Day

The school will be closed to students on Friday, June 9 for a PA Day.

### **House Colour Days & Theme Days**

- Thursday, June 8 - Neon/Rainbow Day
- Friday, June 16 - Music Day - Dress as a singer/rock star or wear a concert shirt
- Wednesday, June 21 - Wildcat Wednesday - Wear black and yellow or your Wildcat gear.
- Monday, June 26 - House Colour Day / Assembly

### **Pride Month**

The month of June is nationally recognized as Pride Month in Canada. The Lambton Kent District School Board joins school boards throughout the province in supporting the 2SLGBTQ+ community with the display of the Pride Flag on flagpoles at all school and Board locations throughout the month of June. The display of the Pride Flag will be in accordance with the appropriate display of the Pride Flag with the National Flag of Canada, as outlined on the LKDSB's Display of Flags Regulation.

### **Junior/Intermediate Track and Field**

It was a beautiful day for track and field last week when we held our annual Track and Field Meet for grade 4-8 students. We're very proud of the way everyone tried their best in all the different events. Congrats to the Wildcats who will continue on and represent us at LKESSA. Thanks to both Mrs. Lynch and Mrs. MacLachlan for organizing the day as well as all the volunteers and staff who made the day a huge success! Information about the June 7 LKESSA meet at LCCVI has been sent home with the athletes who will be competing there.

### **Library Books**

Now that it's June, we have finished signing out library books to students. Please take some time to look for any books that might be around the house and send them back to the school. All books must be returned by Monday, June 19th. After this date we will be invoicing families \$10 per lost book.

### **Kindergarten/Primary Track and Field**

Our next big Track and Field Day will be for FDK and Primary students on Tuesday, June 27th. Details will be sent home later this month, but families are encouraged to attend and cheer us on!

### **Grade 8 Graduation**

Our Grade 8 Graduation Ceremony will be held on Tuesday, June 27th at the Wyoming Fair Ground. Information about this evening has been sent home by Mr. Brydges and Mr. Mitchell.

### **Play Day**

We've decided to make the last day of school even more exciting this year! Play Day will happen on Thursday, June 29. We can't wait to spend our last day of the year together outside having fun!

### **Intermediate Two-Pitch Team**

Congrats to our Intermediate Two-Pitch team who played a strong tournament in Corunna and came home with a hard-fought, 4th place finish! Thanks to Mrs. Cran, Mrs. Shain and Ms. McPhail for coaching.



### **EQAO**

We're more than halfway through EQAO. Our grade 3 and 6 students have been working hard during each of their sessions this spring. The kids are working hard at slowing down and taking their time. I'd like to say thank-you to all the grade 3 and 6 teachers who have helped their students prepare and an even bigger thank-you to Mrs. MacLachlan for organizing and assisting students with all the testing sessions.

### **School Council**

I'd like to say a sincere thank-you to all of our School Council members this year. All of their time and efforts led to tremendous success with fundraising, hot lunches and fun events throughout the year. In the very near future we will get to see the results of their hard work come to fruition with the installation of the outdoor classroom. Please consider joining us in September when we start to plan goals for the next school year.

## Ontario Legislature Pages

Please see the flyer below for information about the Ontario Legislative Page Program. Applications for this program can be made by grade 7 and 8 students.



The flyer features a green background with a white notebook graphic in the center. The notebook contains the program's logo and title. To the right, a black banner provides application dates and the website. Below the notebook, a row of six diverse cartoon figures in suits represents the program's participants. At the bottom, social media handles and the website are listed.

Legislative Assembly of Ontario

Page applications are accepted online twice yearly:  
April 15 to June 15  
and  
September 15 to November 15  
Check out our website at [www.ola.org](http://www.ola.org)

ONTARIO'S LEGISLATIVE  
**PAGE**  
PROGRAM

### A *Unique* Experience

Each year approximately 150 young students from across Ontario are selected to participate in Ontario's Legislative Page Program. The program is designed for outgoing, high-achieving, community-involved students who have demonstrated responsibility and leadership. Legislative Pages support the functions of the House, meet key parliamentary figures, and learn first-hand about Ontario's Parliament and the legislative process.

Be a part of Ontario's Parliament during your Grade 7 or 8 school year!  
Explore and apply at:  
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[WWW.OLA.ORG](http://WWW.OLA.ORG)



**Summer Engagement Camp**

Please see the information below from LKDSB about their Summer Engagement Camp. Plympton-Wyoming will be used as one of the sites several times throughout the summer.



**LKDSB**  
**SUMMER**  
**ENGAGEMENT CAMP**

Programming is being offered Monday -Thursday  
Beginning July 4th - August 25th, 2023  
Morning Session 9am - 11am, Afternoon Session 1pm - 3pm.

Connect with a Social Worker  
or have a hearing screen

CREATIVE AND FUN ACTIVITIES WITH NO COST OR REGISTRATION

Outdoor games, treasure hunts, interactive games, etc.

TO VIEW THE SCHEDULE USE YOUR  
PHONE'S CAMERA TO SCAN THE QR CODE  
OR CLICK THE ICON

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Adults are encouraged to stay and participate in family chat during the duration of the activities with an LKDSB Social Worker.