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OAKLEY PARK COMMUNITY WEEKLY UPDATE Week of May 7th 2018

Thank-you to everyone who has donated shoes to the shoe bank in the past. It continues to be a valuable resource to students. We are currently in need of running shoes in boys' sizes 3 - 6. If you have any in your closet that have been outgrown but not worn-out we would be grateful for the donation.

Oakley Park School Council is holding our annual Scrap Metal Recycling fundraiser. Bring your scrap metal to our bin in the school parking lot from May 18th to May 28th. For more information, please see the attached flyer.

Are you a parent of a student in our French Immersion program? If so, see the attached camp information for a French Immersion camp happening this summer.

The week ahead:

Monday May 7th – DAY TWO Children's Mental Health Week begins Green shirt day School-wide mental health walk
Tuesday May 8th – DAY THREE Volunteer potluck
Wednesday May 9th – DAY FOUR Grade 1-6 Learn to Golf Walking Wednesday
Thursday May 10th – DAY FIVE Pita day Music symposium
Friday May 11th – DAY ONE Jump Rope for Heart Pizza Day

Some Upcoming Dates to Remember:

May 15th: Parent coffee house – helping your child cope with stress
May 16th: Chef a l'Ecole
May 17th: Chef a l'Ecole; Hawaiian & beach day
May 17th: Pasta day
May 18th: PD Day – NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
May 21st: Victoria Day – NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS

May 22nd: EQAO starts, Grade 3 & 6
May 23rd: EQAO
May 24th: Sub day; Grade 7/8 trip departs to Brock
May 25th: Grade 7/8 trip returns
May 28th: EQAO; dental visit from health unit
May 29th: EQAO; dental visit from health unit
May 30th: EQAO; Welcome to Kindergarten session
May 31st: EQAO; hot dog day; Kindergarten trip to Rounds Ranch; Gardening club gardening with native plants

School News

Are you gardening this Spring? We are pleased to be included in the Bradford Greenhouse school fundraising programme. Please tell the cashier "Oakley Park School" when checking out and our school will receive 5% of the net sales. This money will be used for garden upkeep and new plantings. Thank you for helping to keep our school looking beautiful!!

SCDSB News

Parents invited to information session about special education on May 16

The Simcoe County District School Board is hosting a series of information sessions for parents/guardians to learn about special education and how to support students with special education needs. The last session takes place this month:

Date: May 16

Time: 6 to 7 p.m.

Location: SCDSB Education Centre, 1170 Highway 26, Midhurst

Topic: Understanding Alternative/Non-Academic Individual Education Plan (IEP) Goals

No registration is required. You can also join this session from home via Google Meet using this link: meet.google.com/zfg-egau-wgp. Those joining via Google Meet will need to 'mute' while watching the session to avoid audio feedback. Parents are welcome to type in questions using the chat option in Google Meet during the event.

Register now for Before & After School Programs for September 2018

Register now for child care at our school next school year. Your child's space in the program for September 2018 will be considered a priority if completed registration forms have been submitted to the child care operator by **June 30, 2018**. Please contact the YMCA of Simcoe/Muskoka Oakley Park Child Care at: 705-725-8433 to register.



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