



THE CHEDOKE CHRONICLE

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**Hamilton-
Wentworth District
School Board**

**Thursday,
March 23,
2017**

MRS. P. MOCHRIE, PRINCIPAL
MR. J. CORBIN HARPER, VICE PRINCIPAL
MS. L. ROMANO, SUPERINTENDENT

MRS. G. MILOVANOV, OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR
MRS. E. PINTO, OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR
MR. D. WARDELL, HEAD CARETAKER



Wednesday, March 29, 2017
Thursday, March 30, 2017
Wednesday, April 5, 2017
Friday, April 14, 2017
Monday, April 17, 2017
Monday, May 1 to
Tuesday, May 2, 2017
Monday, May 22, 2017
Wednesday, May 24 to
Wednesday, May 31, 2017
Wednesday, May 31, 2017
Wednesday, May 24, 2017
Friday, June 9, 2017
Friday, June 23, 2017
Tuesday, June 27, 2017
Thursday, June 29, 2017
Friday, June 30, 2017

Teams/Clubs photos - yearbook
Dental Screening JK, SK and Grade 2 and 8
School Council Meeting—6:00 pm
Good Friday—No School
Easter Monday—No School

Intermediate Immunization (Grade 7 and 8)
Victoria Day—No School

EQAO—Grades 3 and 6
Grade 8 Graduation Trip
School Council Meeting—6:00 pm
P.A. Day—No School
Graduation @ Sir Allan MacNab—4:00 to 6:00 pm
Term 2 Report Cards go home
Last day of School
P.A. Day—No school

Note: Please open the Calendar tab for further dates and events in the school.





Chedoke Elementary School

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Wednesday, March 22nd 2017

Dear Parents and Guardians of Grade 7 & 8 students,

The Grade 7 & 8 students would like to invite you to visit Chedoke School for our Invention Convention during the morning of Friday, March 31st. During the past 2 months the grade 7 & 8 classes have been working hard on their STEAM projects (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) as part of the Learning Partnership Initiative: I3 Investigate! Invent! Innovate! Students worked in small groups to identify a need, design a product, build and test prototypes and develop packaging for their product as well as a sales pitch. Products were presented to their classmates during Science class prior to March Break.

The Chedoke School Invention Convention is an opportunity to share their learning with other students in the school and celebrate their hard work with the important people in their lives. Parents and friends of grade 7 & 8 Students are invited to visit us in the Chedoke gymnasium between 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. on Friday, March 31st.

You can learn more about the I3 project and other Learning Partnership Initiatives at <http://www.thelearningpartnership.ca/what-we-do/student-programs/investigate-invent-innovate>. There is also additional information and rubrics related to the project on the Science Page of the Chedoke Grade 8 website: grade8chedoke@weebly.com. Several groups of grade 7 & 8 students will be invited to present their work at an HWDSB Invention Convention in May. If your child is invited, more information and a trip form will come home in April.

We look forward to sharing our learning with you and hope to see you on March 31st.

Sincerely,

Mrs. K. Rashid
Grade 8 Science

Mr. B. Dykman
Grade 7 Science

Mrs. P. Mochrie
Principal

Mrs. J. Corbin-Harper
Vice-Principal

curiosity.

creativity.

possibility.

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Dear Chedoke Parents / Guardians,



Effective March 20th, Morning Announcements are being shared at 10:05 am. As a result, when students enter the school at 8:25am, classroom instruction is starting right away. This change in routine has been put in place because we, as a staff, are trying to find enticing ways to reduce absenteeism and tardiness at Chedoke School.

If you have any questions, please direct them to Mrs. Corbin Harper or Mrs. Mochrie.

Kyle Hout Food Drive



First and foremost, THANK YOU for supporting the Kyle Hout Food Drive. It is a tradition at Chedoke School and we are extremely thankful for your generosity. All of the food items are being delivered to the Good Shepherd to support families in need. Hopefully you had a chance to see Mrs. Hout, on CH Morning Live on March 24th, when she spoke about this Food Drive initiative across Hamilton, even stretching to British Columbia as well. Thank you again.

Play Together, Learn Together!



**Do you have a child starting school within the next year?
Join us for a special evening Check It Out Drop In!**

Giving your child the chance to learn through exploration and play, as well as helping them to build healthy relationships, will support them as they start school and for years to come.

Drop in with your child and speak to some of the following experts for free!

- Registered Early Childhood Educator
- Early Childhood Resource Teacher
- Public Health Nurse
- Speech and Language Pathologist
- Mental Health Resource Worker
- Librarian
- Staff from both School Boards
- Other specialists in children's services

Ask questions about:

- Eating and Nutrition
- Physical Independence Skills
- What to expect in school
- Speech
- Health
- Development
- Behaviour
- How to cope with stress and other challenges

Wednesday March 29, 2017

5:00pm—7:00pm

This evening event is offered to any family with a child starting school within the next year. Find out how the City of Hamilton plans for children's services.

Location:

Westmount Recreation Centre
35 Lynbrook Drive
Hamilton, Ontario
Rooms C and D

A light dinner will be offered.
Free Giveaways.
Bus tickets available.

Bus Routes and Closest Stops:

#41 Mohawk bus to Mohawk at/opposite Southlea, or
#35 College bus to West 5th at Tyrone

Please email nhurley@ascy.ca for more information.

THURSDAY—MARCH 30, 2017

**DENTAL
SCREENING
AT YOUR
SCHOOL**

DEAR PARENT OR GUARDIAN:

A Public Health dental team will be at your child's school for a dental screening.

- A dental screening is a quick look in the mouth with a light and separate, sterilized mirror.
- A Registered Dental Hygienist will see all students in grades JK, SK, 2 and 8.
- Children who were previously identified with dental needs may be rescreened.
- If your child has preventive needs or urgent conditions including large cavities, or abscess, we will contact you by phone and mail.

The dental screening does not take the place of a regular visit with your dentist.

- If you have other children in the school, who will not be included in the program but you wish to have them screened, please send a note to the office
- If you have concerns regarding dental screening, please send a note to the school with the child's name and grade

If you are low income, you may be eligible for the Healthy Smiles Ontario program

If you have questions call 905-546-2424 Ext. 5369 or visit our website

www.hamilton.ca/dental



Hamilton

World Autism Awareness Day

FREE FAMILY CARNIVAL

APRIL 1, 2017



**Teen/Adult
Room**

Raffles

Food Trucks

Community Information Booths

Crafts & Games

Face Painting

Home Depot Workshop

Special Guest

**Location: Hamilton Wentworth District School Board
20 Education Court, Hamilton, ON (near Lime Ridge Mall)**

**Time: 11:00 am until 3:00 pm
Zumba Class with Lindsay Sierdsma at 11:30 am
Hip Hop Class with Meghan Dunnet at 12:30 pm**

Pre-registration is available at: <https://waadfamilycarnival2017.eventbrite.ca>

Registration also available on site

Questions? Email Christina Robbins at Christina@autismontario.com





Hello, My name is Mrs. Collier.

I am one of the parent volunteers here at Chedoke school, as well as the Parent Council Secretary. I am also a local Thirty-One Gifts consultant.

I would like to share this opportunity to help our amazing school, by offering part of my commission back through fundraising.

Every order made will help. No matter the value! I am pleased to have the chance to work with you all (parents, staff, and members of the community), while supporting our children.

I will be submitting orders once a month on the 21st. Please follow the link below, and click on "Parties" ,then select "Chedoke School". By submitting all orders at one time, we are saving on shipping costs. Orders will be directly shipped to school within two weeks, and sent home with students, unless otherwise requested.

Thank you again for this opportunity to support our school. I look forward to working with you all in the future.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Collier

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<https://www.mythirtyone.ca/2603474>

Thirty-One Gifts

www.mythirtyone.ca

More than just a bag

USE SUNSENSE

Get outdoors and be sun safe



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WEAR A
BUCKET HAT!

2



PLAY IN THE
SHADE!

3



PUT ON
SUNSCREEN!

4



COVER UP!

5



WEAR
SUNGLASSES!

Outdoor play and learning are essential to children's health and development. Appropriate sun safety habits maximize health and enjoyment in the outdoors and prevent skin cancer from exposure to ultraviolet radiation (UVR).

USE SUNSENSE

Get outdoors and be sun safe

Effective sun safety involves the school community working together!

Schools, families and communities can work together to play a significant role in reducing exposure to UVR and changing behaviour through policy, education and role modeling.

Protect your staff and students by creating a healthy sun safe environment and encouraging SunSense behaviour.

Parents/guardians and caregivers can also provide support at home by practising the messages taught at school about sun safety.

Visit cancer.ca/sunsense to download your **SunSense** policy toolkit and to order **FREE** resources.



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Prom Project HAMILTON



Prom Project Hamilton is a two day, two site location event that was created by the HWDSB Foundation to assist students in need with formal wear for their proms, graduations, formals and other special events so they can attend their events feeling stylish, confident and proud. Prom Project Hamilton does not require any proof of financial need, and promotes a positive and inclusive environment, created to support those students with formal needs who may choose not to attend their special event because of financial challenges. All items are new or gently used from the private and business communities and are free of charge to all clients. All clients are treated with respect, dignity and are assisted by volunteers who are dedicated to supporting students and making the experience an impactful journey towards their upcoming milestone event.

If you are a student who could use this program, please join us...

■ *Saturday, April 29, 2017*

9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Sir Allan MacNab Secondary School
(145 Magnolia Drive, Hamilton)

AND

■ *Saturday, May 6, 2017*

9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Delta Secondary School
(1284 Main Street East, Hamilton)



To donate, go to www.promprojecthamilton.ca for a list of participating drop-off points.

What's available to visiting students?

- Formal wear: gowns, dresses, skirts / tops, suits, dress shirts, vests, dress pants, ties etc.
- Accessories, shoes, jewelry, shawls, purses, hygiene products
- Volunteers on-site to apply make-up, as well as demonstrate make-up tips and fun up-dos
- Seamstresses on-site to address minor fitting issues

HWDSB
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HAMILTON SPECTATOR
170
years

For more information, please contact the HWDSB Foundation at foundation@hwdsb.on.ca

www.promprojecthamilton.ca

SCHOOL STORE PRODUCT LIST

Open Daily during First Nutrition Break — 12:53 to 1:05 p.m.

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	COOKIES	\$0.50
	APPLE SAUCE (pineapple, peach, apple, field berry, grape)	\$0.50
	FRUIT TO GO (berry mania, strawberry watermelon, wild berry, strawberry)	\$0.50
	GRANOLA BAR	\$0.50
	MILK (chocolate and white)	\$0.75
	FROZEN YOGURT	\$1.00
	YOGURT TUBES	\$1.00
	FRUIT CUPS	\$1.00
	POPCORN	\$2.00

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