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## November 2017 Newsletter

### Upcoming Events

- November 1 Dental Screening Gr. JK/SK & grade 2
- November 6 Bus Safety Presentations
- November 10 Remembrance Day Ceremony
- November 13 MacMillan's orders due (CASH only)
- November 14 Grades 7's & 8's to Glendale
- November 16 Bull Dogs Trip
- November 17 Picture Retake Day 9:00 AM
- November 24 PJ Day



### Picture Retakes

Creative School Images will be taking photo retakes on ***Friday, November 17 at 9:00 AM.***



### Student Absences

In keeping with our Arrivals Check policy, we would like to remind all parents/guardians to call the office to advise of any absences for your child **BEFORE 9:30 AM.** If your child is absent for more than one day, we still require a phone call each morning. Our automated call system begins making calls for any unexplained absences at 9:55. If your child is going to arrive after 9:30, please call to let us know the approximate arrival time. By letting us know your child will be absent/late, we know that your child is safe and you avoid the repeated automated calls.

If you know in advance that your child will be absent (i.e. for medical appointments, vacation, etc.), please inform the office beforehand so that we may enter the attendance. This also saves you from having to call us on a busy day!

### Hamilton Foodshare

Over 12,000 people in Hamilton, including 4,300 children, need a food bank every month. For our October food drive, we collected almost 700 items for Hamilton Foodshare! Great job Bagshaw!

### Remembrance Day

On November 10 we will be having our Remembrance Day Ceremony and the Royal Canadian Legion is providing poppies/poppy stickers for the students. **Please consider making a donation of any amount to the Poppy Fund.** Funds raised are used to help veterans and dependents in distress, to provide canes, wheel chairs and other assistive devices and to help hospitals to provide better care through equipment for veterans and others.

### Minds-On Repertoire at Glendale Secondary School

On Tuesday, November 14 our grades 7's and 8's will be going to Glendale Secondary to take part in a session for elementary bands to work in individual instrument sectionals with teacher coaches on skill appropriate repertoire. Following their sectionals, they will perform the piece together as a Massed Band.

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