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**HWDSB: A Week at a Glance**  
**Week of: March 22<sup>nd</sup> – March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2010**

**Hamilton, ON – Monday, March 22, 2010**

**Tuesday March 23<sup>rd</sup> 2010**

**Event:** **BASEF 2010, Bay Area Science & Engineering Fair** – a free science fair competition with incredible prizes open to all grade seven through twelve students from Hamilton, Halton Region and Haldimand, Norfolk & Brant Counties. For 50 years, the Bay Area Science & Engineering Fair has provided a forum for students to develop their scientific skills and prepare for national and international competition.

**Time:** 12:00 – 5:00 pm.

**Location:** McMaster University

**Contact:** Klaas Walma, 905-527-5092 ext. 2319

**Event:** **Ti-Cat “Be-Fit” Event** - this program was launched on March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2010, to bring awareness to children, on the importance of healthy eating habits and exercise.

**Time:** 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 pm.

**Location:** Glen Echo Breakfast Grab & Go – 140 Glen Echo Drive.

**Contact:** Rene Contant, Principal  
905-560-6630

**Wednesday March 24, 2010**

**Event:** **Ti-Cat “Be-Fit” Event** - this program was launched on March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2010, to bring awareness to children, on the importance of healthy eating habits and exercise.

**Time:** 8:30 – 10:30 a.m.

**Location:** Lake Avenue School – Snack  
157 Lake Ave.

**Contact:** Patricia Tapp  
905-561-0402



### Wednesday March 24, 2010

**Event:** **Facebook101 for Parents** - all parents are invited to hear Mr. Chris Vollum (experienced Facebook presenter) talk about the social networking sites Facebook and Twitter. Learn how to help your children see the impact of what they are doing, posting and seeing. If you know someone using Facebook, you will not want to miss this presentation.

**Time:** 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

**Location:** Ancaster High, 374 Jerseyville Road West Ancaster, Ontario L9G 3K8

**Contact:** **Judy Langsner**  
judy.langsner@hwdsb.on.ca  
Phone: 905-648-4468 ext: 305

### Thursday March 25<sup>th</sup> 2010 to Saturday March 27<sup>th</sup> 2010

**Event:** Waterloo Regional Robotics Competition - A High School Robotics competition featuring thirty teams. Orchard Park Robotics, Team 2056, is the lone Hamilton team competing at this FIRST Robotics event. More details are available at [www.2056.ca](http://www.2056.ca).

**Time:** 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

**Location:** University of Waterloo, 200 University Ave. W., Waterloo ON. N2L 3G1

**Contact:** Stan Hunter stanley.hunter@hwdsb.on.ca

**Event:** **Ti-Cat “Be-Fit” Event** - this program was launched on March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2010, to bring awareness to children, on the importance of healthy eating habits and exercise.

**Time:** 8:30 – 10:00 a.m.

**Location:** Cathy Wever School, 460 Wentworth St. N.

**Contact:** Erin Barrey  
905-522-9965

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