

Les Nouvelles Norwood

Norwood Park News

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Direct Donation Campaign Extended to December 23rd, 2016

Direct Donation has been extended!

With this fundraising campaign, we are not asking you, family or friends, to sell or buy anything that you don't want or need. As little as 30% of your dollar went to the school when we sold products such as chocolate bars or magazines.

With Direct Donation, parents/guardians make a charitable donation. The funds raised through this campaign will be used to enrich our school by supporting learning through technology. We will be purchasing media carts with projectors, Apple TVs, whiteboards, speakers and iPads for our primary classrooms. Making technology accessible to our students enhances their learning experience and provides them with resources that will assist them develop life-long skills.

Our goal is to raise \$10 000. We have raised \$6076.00 to date! Please make cheques out to the HWDSB Foundation or through School Cash Online. Thank you for your support, **un GRAND MERCI!!!**

Last Day of School is Friday December 23rd. School starts again on Monday January 9th, 2017. Bonnes Vacances!!!

Superintendent: Jamie Nunn 905-527-5092 x 2304
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Dates à retenir

December 2 PA Day

December 6 Grade 3 trip to the Hamilton Conservatory of the Arts

December 7 Constable S. Postuma from Hamilton Police Service to visit Norwood to talk to our middle school students about online safety

December 14 Crock A Doodle for Grades 2 & 3

December 14 Holiday Lunch

December 19 Grade 2 trip to Dundurn Castle

December 22 Tacky Holiday Sweater day and carol sing

December 23 pj day & Polar Express in the gym grades 1-4

Annonces et invitations

Please join us on December 9th @ 1:30 pm for the Primary and Junior Holiday Sharing Assembly. Special Performance by our Primary Choir!!!

C'est l'hiver!

The weather is getting cold, so please make sure that your children come to school dressed for outdoor play. Students need a hat, mitts, boots and a warm coat. We will be going outside to enjoy winter unless it's below minus 15 degrees Celsius or minus 20 degrees with the windchill. C'est la saison pour jouer dans la neige!

Un Message de Mme Vrgoc

eMAX – Digital Lending Library

To encourage and support students in their at-home reading, the Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board is providing access to a digital lending library of eBooks and Audiobooks that students can access through eMAX. These eBooks and Audiobooks can be read and listened to on almost any device from an iPad to an MP3 Player. Students can access more than 2,400 popular titles appropriate for all grade levels, K-12. These titles can be accessed from home 24 hours a day, 365 days a year using the OEN number. The OEN number can be found on a sticker located on the front page of your child's agenda. Please refer to the letter sent home with your child for more information about eMAX.

Math Homework Help – Grades 7&8

Homework Help provides FREE online Math help for students in Grades 7 to 10 in the province of Ontario. Homework Help is run by TVO's Independent Learning Centre with support from the Ontario government. Students can log in between 5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. ET from Sunday to Thursday for one-on-one tutoring with Ontario teachers.

On November 23rd, a TVO member came to Norwood to help the Grade 7 and 8 students register online and familiarize themselves with the website.

The website address for Homework Help is:

<https://homeworkhelp.ilc.org/>

For more information about Math Homework Help, please visit:

<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/elearning/homework.html>



Félicitations!!! Congratulations to our Swim Team and their participation at McMaster! Thank you to Mme Wood Martin, Mlle Allen et Mme Thompson!



Nouvelles et annonces du Conseil d'étudiants

November: Thank you to all students who participated in November. Un grand merci pour votre participation! We raised a total of \$444.50!

Félicitations Norwood!!!

Upcoming Events

Jersey Day & The Winter Dance for grades 7 & 8

Dates and details to follow!

Merci pour votre participation!

Le coin de lecture/Reader's Corner

This is a new addition to Norwood's monthly newsletter. Please take a few moments to read this famous French poem with your child!

Chanson pour les enfants l'hiver

**Dans la nuit de l'hiver
Galope un grand homme blanc.
Galope un grand homme blanc.
C'est un bonhomme de neige
Avec une pipe en bois
Un grand bonhomme de neige
Poursuivi par le froid.
Il arrive au village
Il arrive au village
Voyant de la lumière, le voilà rassuré.
Dans une petite maison, il entre sans
frapper.
Dans une petite maison, il entre sans
frapper.
Et pour se réchauffer
Et pour se réchauffer
S'assoit sur le poêle rouge
Et d'un coup disparaît.
Ne laissant que sa pipe
au milieu d'une flaque d'eau
Ne laissant que sa pipe
et puis son vieux chapeau.**

Jacques PREVERT



A Message from Parent Council

Thank you to M. Schneiderman and Ali for attending our last Parent Council meeting. We are excited to partner with Student Council in the New Year.

The Holiday Lunch will be on Thursday December 15th. The cost is \$7/student. The event is catered by Nicola's Catering and traditional and vegetarian options are available. Payment will be available on School Cash Online.

Play it Forward DPA Drive December 5th- 16th. Please consider sending in new and gently used sports equipment for the students to share.

Samko & Miko Toy Warehouse Sale December 1st-4th at the Warplane Heritage Museum. FREE parking and admission! Get your receipt stamped and help Norwood Park!!!

Upcoming Healthy Lunches available on School Cash Online

Quesada Wednesday December 7th

Subway Wednesday December 21st