



# Sir Wilfrid Laurier Elementary School

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## Reminder

**School Starts at 8:50 a.m.**  
Please be on time.

### Important Dates in October

- 3 **Picture Day**
- 5 **Meet the Teacher @5:00-6:00 p.m. & Movie Night @6:15-7:45 p.m.** (Hosted by School Council)
- 9  **Thanksgiving (Holiday)**
- 12 **HWDSB Cross Country Meet**
- 26 **Bake Sale**   
(Hosted by School Council)

### Important November Dates

- 3 **PA Day**
- 21 **School Council Meeting 6:15 p.m.**

### Staying Connected...

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## October 2017

Welcome back to all students and families at SWL! If you are new to the school we welcome you and want you to know you are in for an amazing year. We have lots of great things planned in addition to our high expectations for academics. Please keep the lines of communication open with your child's classroom teacher as you are an essential part of their education. There are many ways to keep your family informed of all our happenings; **subscribe** to our **Website** which includes the **School Calendar** for automatic updates, **Twitter**, and **Instagram**.

**TCBY** On **Monday's** we will be selling TCBY vanilla, chocolate and swirl frozen yogurt for \$2 a container.

**Popcorn** The popcorn cart will come around upstairs and downstairs every **Friday nutrition break 1**. Money raised will go towards healthy initiatives for the school. Thanks for your support!

**Athletics** Congratulations to both boys and girls 3-Pitch teams who participated in their respective tournaments at Turner Park this month. Special mention to the Girls team who placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in their division.

### **Congratulations Lions!**

Good Luck to SWL Cross Country Team who will be participating in the upcoming HWDSB meet on October 12<sup>th</sup>. **GO LIONS!**



**Terry Fox** Social justice initiatives are an important part of your child's education. Terry Fox Run was the first initiative we participated in. The amazing contributions he made to cancer research during his Marathon of Hope was the focus for students. SWL run was held September 28<sup>th</sup> during periods 5&6. We asked each student to try to bring in a "Toonie for Terry" and SWL has raised over \$2000 for cancer research.

**Parent Reminder** If you are picking up your child early they must be signed out in the book in the office. If you would like them to walk home on their own (for any reason), please send a note and ask your child to show it to the teacher who will share it with the office staff. If you forget, please call the school giving us ample notice so we can relay the message as they are not always with their homeroom teacher at the end of the day.

**Classroom Birthday Treats** SWL students celebrating birthdays are welcome to bring in store purchased peanut free items to celebrate and share with classmates.



**No Parking/No Stopping** Please be aware of all school signage regarding parking and stopping in front of the school. This area is a fire access route. This is enforceable through By-Law and will result in drivers receiving tickets.

**Cross with the Crossing Guard** For your child's safety remind them to cross with the crossing guard even when you are with them. This will model the importance of road safety for all students! We appreciate the great job our crossing guards do getting our students to and from school safely!



**No Dogs Signs** Please be reminded that dogs are not permitted on our property from 6:00AM to 6:00PM for the safety of our students and staff.