



Ballard Connections

March 2016

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Reminder:

PD Day
Friday March 3rd

Twin/Spirit Day
March 10

March Break is
March 13—17

Talent Show
March 24th



Junior Kindergarten and Senior Kindergarten Registration

Registration for new JK and Kindergarten students has begun. We will be accepting new registrations for Junior Kindergarten (born in 2013) and Senior Kindergarten (born in 2012). If your child is currently enrolled in JK at W.H. Ballard there is no need to register again. If you have a child, or know of a child in our catchment area that will be 4 years of age as of December 31, 2017, please call or come in to the office to register. Thank you.

W.H. Ballard Facilities Updates

We are excited to announce that the HWDSB continues to work on improvements throughout our school. Our Learning Commons (Library) and Annex, have both been given a fresh coat of paint. As well, some classrooms have been painted and the East/West gym. We look forward to having our stairwells painted and repaired over the March Break. We will continue to share updates as they happen.

Talent Show

The W.H. Ballard Talent Show, will take place, Friday March, 24th from 11:10-12:50. Parents Welcome.



March Break is from the 13th to 17th. The students will return to school on March 20th. Hope you all get to enjoy some time with family and friends over the break.



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**Home
of the
Bobcats**



On March 10th, Student Council is organising Twin Day! For this Spirit Day, students can pick a friend to dress alike with. Come up with some creative 'look' that you can with a friend (or friends if you'd like). If you already have a twin sibling, you're ahead of the game!



Swim Team

Attention Swimmers interested in the Senior Swim Team, Students in grade 6,7 and 8 that are able to swim a length of 25m pool are invited to come out for the swim team.

Practices will be Thursdays from 3:30-4:30 at Sir Winston Churchill Recreation Centre. Practice dates are: March 30th, April, 6,13,20, and 27th.

A swim meet will follow in early May.

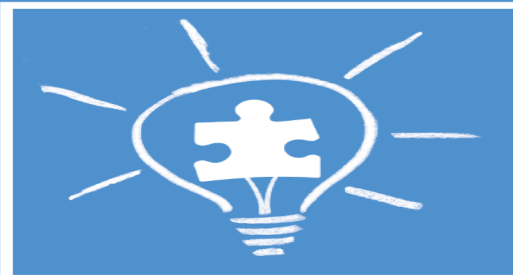
Ottawa Trip

The final installment is due March 22nd, to Mr. Hopkins.

Bobcats

Congratulations to our Sr. Boys and Sr.Girls Basketball Teams, our Dance Team , and Checkers team for all your hard work!

We look forward to watching our Junior Boys and Girls basketball teams compete as well as our Senior Swim team.



World Autism Day (April 2nd)
W.H Ballard will be celebrating on Monday April 3rd. Students are asked to wear the colour blue & donate a loonie or toonie. All donations will be sent to