

SCHOOLCOUNCIL

HIGHLIGHTS

FALL 2018

OUTDOOR SPACE

Last year we started fundraising for our outdoor space. With your help we were able to have concept drawings completed of a new outdoor classroom and kindergarten play yards. These concept drawings will be submitted to the Heritage Green Community Trust in a grant application with the hopes that we will receive a donation to help fund part of these projects. We have also shared these concepts with the HWDSB so they can account for changes we would like to be made as they continue to update our school facilities & grounds. Outdoor space renovations will not be able to start until after the gymnasium renovation is completed and funds are secured.



FACILITIES

Over the summer there were some fantastic updates made to our school. Two upstairs classrooms were renovated for art and science and a classroom downstairs was renovated to eventually house our music program. The new hallway with bathrooms and additional storage was added to help accommodate our portable students and get ready for our gym renovation which will start in the spring of 2019.

WALK FOR BG



Our annual Walk for Billy Green on October 31 raised \$2,000! This money will be going directly to our teachers to assist in classroom fun & supplies. School Council handed out best costume awards but it was all the teachers' costumes that won the day!

2018/19 SCHOOL COUNCIL EXECUTIVE

Chair - Jordan Hageman

Vice Chair & Fundraising - Trish Gibson

Treasurer - Lucille Radcliffe

Secretary - Jessica Gibson

Staff Rep - Mr. D. Cherriere

Community Rep. - Abir Abou Alwan

Voting Members

Adam Predergast, Sherry Beduk, Jen Taylor, Palmonia Gordon, Ross Gibson, Megan Prudhomme, Farnaz Mirza, Sarah Langille

VISIT: <u>www.hwdsb.on.ca/billygreen</u> and click on 'School Council' for the latest meeting minutes.

WINTER MARKET

November 17 from 10am to 1pm

Mark your calendars! Kingsview
Community Church located at 1267
Paramount Drive will be hosting a
Winter/Christmas Market and ALL
proceeds will go to Billy Green
School!

Vendors include:

- Epicure - Pottery

- Mela Bath - Jewelery

- DoTerra - SOCKS

- Norwex - Wood Signs

- Mary Kay - Dream Catchers

- Wreaths - Thirty One Bags

- Custom Crafts - Posh Gal Leggings

- Face Painting by Glitterbugz

- & MORE!!!!

EXTRA! EXTRA!

- Silent Auction
- Bake Sale
- Pictures with Santa
- Draw for a Grand Prize!

If you are able to bake some goodies for the bake sale, please contact

Jordan Hageman at:

jordanhageman@gmail.com



FORTINO'S FUEL FOR KIDS FUNDRAISER



Student poster



Our Principal, Mr. Berketa, working the BBQ and our VP, Mrs. Panju, lending a helping hand



L-R: Mr. Fleming, Mr. Minich, Mrs. Tremain & Mr. Forrest



Dave Connelly's race car!

With your help and generosity we raised just under \$2,000.00!!!

We are so grateful for all the students who coloured pictures, made poster and lawn signs and encouraged their parents to bring them to Fortino's to help make this event a huge success. Of course the big event—Pie Throwing—could not have been possible without the following teachers who sacrificed their faces: Mr. Forrest, Mrs. Tremain, Mr. Fleming and Mr. Minich you were all great sports and our school thanks you! A special thank-you to all the volunteers, Dave Connelly, Fortino's & other sponsors. We are especially grateful to Trish Gibson (School Council Vice Chair and Fundraising Co-ordinator) for all of her many hours of hard work to make this event so successful. This money will be used to provide our classrooms with much needed enhancements and purchase new school uniforms for our sports teams. Go Gators!

KEY DATES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

2018/19 School Council Meetings will be held at 6:30pm in the Library on the following dates:

November 22, January 31, February 21, April 25, May 30

JOIN THE 'BILLY GREEN PARENTS' FACEBOOK GROUP

It's a great place to ask questions to our School Council, and be a part of the Billy Green parent community.