



Weekly Update May 29-June 2, 2023



School Updates

Please ensure you go to the EK website, as well as the HWDSB website, and hit the “Subscribe” button so that you will receive notices as they are posted.



PIANO LESSONS AT EARL KITCHENER SCHOOL

Registration for in-school piano lessons, beginning in September 2023 is now open. Lessons take place once a week during school hours and are on a semi-private basis. Students must have a piano or a full-sized keyboard with 88 weighted keys at home.

Available spaces are limited. If you would like more information, please contact Susan Chambers-Stothart at susan.chambersstothart@gmail.com.

Wizard of Oz



What can we say? What an awesome couple of nights of performances!! Thank you to everyone who came out to support the show. The cast gave it their all, and blew us all away with their talent – unbelievable! The time and energy students and staff gave to pull this together was incredible, and everyone should be so proud of their accomplishment!

A total of \$429.00 was also raised for Ronald McDonald House, and the winner of Dorothy’s house graciously donated the house to The Good Shepherd.

Dental Screening



On Monday, May 29th and Tuesday, May 30th, City of Hamilton Public Health will be at the school conducting dental screenings for students from JK – Grade 2. Information will be sent home to all families with students in these grades 2 weeks prior.

PA DAY

Friday, June 2 is a PA Day. There will be no school for students on that day.

Bike to School Week



May 29 – June 2 is Bike to School Week! Take advantage of this beautiful weather and celebrate Bike to School Week by riding your bike to school!



BOOK SWAP

What is Book Swap? Families donate preloved books to the school (they can be sent in with children) starting now. Books are sorted and organized for the Swap and on Monday, June 5th, students will have the opportunity to shop for books with their class.

Books are 25 cents each, and students can purchase up to 4 books. After school we'll keep the Swap going so that families can shop. Weather permitting, the Book Swap will be set up outside in the kindergarten pen (off of Stanley Street). Books that are left at the end of the day will be donated to a local organization.

Books can either be brought to the school or dropped off on the porch at 438 Charlton Ave West (anytime starting now).

PLEASE ONLY DONATE BOOKS SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN IN JK TO GRADE 5. NO BOARD BOOKS, ADULT BOOKS, OR TEXT BOOKS

Lunches



Lately we have had many students coming down in the afternoon inquiring about snacks, as they have finished their lunches, and are still hungry. With the nicer weather, students are becoming much more active. Please try to pack extra lunch/snacks for your child each day. Although we do usually have extra food available, this isn't always the case.

Playground Supervision Hours

Playground supervision begins at **8:35am**. Students are not to be on the playground prior to that time. Playground supervision ends at **3:25pm**.