



## WeEKly Update May 26-30, 2025



### Parking

This is a reminder that the parking lot is for Staff Parking only. This area is NOT for drop off or pick up of students, and students are NOT to be playing in the parking lot. Should you choose to drive your students to school, please park in designated parking spaces only. You may need to park further away, and walk. The bus loading zone in front of the school is also NOT for pick up or drop off. Parking enforcement has once again been notified of these issues, and will be on site and ticketing more frequently.

**Please understand that this is becoming an area of great concern, as student safety MUST come before parent convenience.**



### Grade 5 Farewell Ceremony

Grade 5 parents/guardian, mark Tuesday, June 24<sup>th</sup> on your calendar, as that is the day of the Grade 5 Farewell Celebration! The ceremony will begin at 9:15am in the gym, followed by a reception on the front lawn. Invitations have been sent home. Please note that due to seating capacities, **only 2 tickets will be available for each student.**



### Spring Concert

On Friday, May 30<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 we will be having our Spring Concert on the back playground! Performing will be the Primary Choir, Junior Choir and Grade 5 Band. Please bring your own lawn chair, and seating will be on the wood chip area. Gates will be open after 2<sup>nd</sup> break (1:50pm).

### Book Swap

On Tuesday, May 27<sup>th</sup>, the annual Book Swap will be happening! Student will be able to buy books for \$0.25 (limits will apply based on number of books donated). Should you have any pre-loved books that you would like to donate, please drop them off to the school prior to Tuesday, May 27<sup>th</sup>.

### School Council / Home & School Meeting

The last School Council / Home & School Meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 27<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm in the Library. Come out and see what is happening at the school, and hear some preliminary discussion on the next school year!

## **Piano Lessons at Earl Kitchener School**



Registration is now open for in-school piano lessons beginning in September 2025. 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. Please note that a full school-year commitment to lessons is required when registering.

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

## **Music at EK**



A lot is happening with the music program here at EK. Mr. Popek has set up a web page to keep the school community up to date on what is currently happening, along with what will be coming up. Please visit the web page at [cpopek.commonshwdsb.on.ca](http://cpopek.commonshwdsb.on.ca) on a regular basis to check for updates.