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Weekly Update for October 14, 2019

Gordon Price is a diverse school community filled with kindness, acceptance, potential and hope. Learning Together. We help using our kind words, helpful hands and caring hearts to make a difference.

The fall weather was great outside and good learning was happening in our classrooms. As a staff, we are very thankful for our students and their families. Our partnerships support student learning and well-being. Thank you for your generosity with our food drive.

Congratulations to our Cross Country Team for their fabulous efforts and commitment to training. You were excellent ambassadors of Gordon Price at this week's meet!

Today, we completed an Emergency Evacuation Drill. We have practiced our 3 Fire Drills and Emergency Evacuation Drill for the Fall. In the spring, we will repeat our practices.

Does your child have a medical condition that requires emergency medical attention? If you have received a plan of care form to update, please return it to school.

Positive School Culture and Well-being: Throughout the school day, we have brain breaks after our nutrition breaks. It promotes mindfulness and self-regulation as students begin their learning periods.

Nutrition Program: Everyday, we have healthy snacks (yogurt tubes, dry cereal, fruit or vegetables) for our students. Tastebuds Hamilton supports our program and funding is provided by Ministry of Children, Community, and Social Services.

French Immersion Information Nights for SK Parents:

7-8 p.m. Tuesday, October 15 at Guy Brown Elementary School, (55 Braeheid Ave. Waterdown)7-8 p.m. Tuesday, October 29 at Frank Panabaker Elementary School (168 Huron Ave., Ancaster)

7-8 p.m. Tuesday, November 5 at A. M. Cunningham Elementary School (100 Wexford Ave. S., Hamilton)

7-8 p.m. Tuesday, November 12 at Parkdale Elementary School (139 Parkdale Ave. N., Hamilton)

7-8 p.m. Tuesday, November 19 at Mountain View Elementary School (299 Barton St., Hamilton)

7-8 p.m. Tuesday, November 26 at Lawfield Elementary School (45 Berko Ave. Hamilton)

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Extra Backpacks: A local organization that supports homeless men is asking for donations of gently used backpacks. If you have a gently used backpack and interested in making a donation, please bring items to the school. Your kindness will make a difference in our community.

Fresh from Farm Fundraiser: We appreciated your support for our fundraiser and know it will make a difference for our School Nutrition Program.

Volunteer Information: We sent home Volunteer Information Packages to our past volunteers. We are always seeking new volunteers.

EQAO: Individual Student Reports were sent home last week.

Upcoming dates:

October 14th: Thanksgiving October 18th: Grade 7 and 8 RBG Trip October 21st: Elections Canada October 22nd: Picture Day October 22nd: My Path, My Way Event for Grade 7 and 8 Students October 29th: Progress Reports sent home

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