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Talk to someone immediately.

kidshelpphone.ca 1-800-668-6868

HWDSB Helps app / text 905-963-0066 (non-crisis situations)

Suggest how we can help each other using [#HWDSBwehelp](https://twitter.com/HWDSBwehelp)

★ HAPPY ★
BIRTHDAY!

Grace M, Cameron P, Alden G, Jadynn W,
Dominic G, Brayden H, Cassia L, Caitlyn S,
Benjamin P, Adrian R, Zackery H, Owen K, Valerie
S, Vanessa R, Dylan S, Hailey H, Clara H

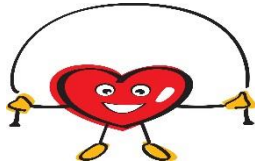
Dates to Remember:

- Every Monday is Pizza Day
- Every Wednesday is Lunch Lady
- Every Friday is Popcorn
- May 2 – School Council Meeting 6:30
- May 8 – Swim to Survive, Gr. 2/3 & 3/4
- May 9 -Scholastic Book Fair Begins
- May 10 – Ti- Cat Trip, Gr. 3 /4 & 4/5
- May 10 – Open House 5-7 & SC Bake Sale
- May 11 – Scholastic Book Fair Ends
- May 11 - SC Hot Dog Lunch
- May 15 - Swim to Survive, Gr. 2/3 & 3/4
- May 16 – Last Day of After School Scholars
- May 17 – SK Celebration Photos
- May 17 – Kinder Orientation Night 5-7
- May 22 - Swim to Survive, Gr. 2/3 & 3/4
- May 22 – PRO GRANT SPEAKER NIGHT 7-8:30
- May 23-25 – EQAO
- May 29-31 – EQAO



Jump Rope for Heart

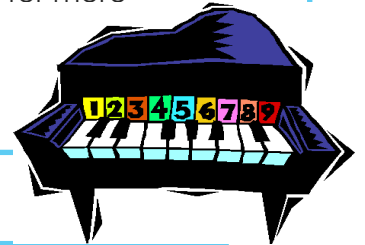
Jump rope for heart event will take place on May 25th at 1:20-3:05 pm. Students will receive a pledge envelope from their teacher. Lets help Millgrove reach their fundraising goal of \$3000!



Piano Instruction

We've had a wonderful response to the piano instruction program offered at Millgrove school this year! A small amount of space is available for beginner students from grades 2 to 5 who might want to participate in semi-private classes beginning September 2018. This will be offered on a first come first served basis, with other interested students placed on a waiting list. Please call Mrs. Janssen at 905-627-8075 or email miriamjanssen@gmail.com for more information.

This is not a board supervised program.



Countdown to

KINDERGARTEN

Kindergarten registration began on **Monday, February 5, 2018**, for the 2018- 2019 school year! Please come into the office and see Miss Marrone to fill out a registration package or complete your registration on-line.

Only parents or legal guardians can register their children for school. The following documents are required:

- **Proof of age (child's birth certificate or passport);**
- **Proof of address (identification that shows parent/guardian's current home address);**
- **Proof of immunization;**
- **Verification of date of arrival/immigration documents (if the child was not born in Canada).**
- **Completed Student Registration Form - available at the school or online at www.hwdsb.on.ca/kindergarten**

Drive Cautiously & Carefully

Just a gentle reminder that the round-about Driveway directly across from the School is a fire route and a quick drop-off /pick-up location for day care families. If you are accessing the round-about with your moving vehicle please drive slowly and safely at all times. Thank you for your consideration.



Team Up to Clean Up

Congratulations to all of our students who took part in Team Up to Clean Up. Millgrove students collected 14 kilograms of garbage from our school community areas!!!



Air Band Competition

Our 13th Annual Air Band Competition was held on Friday, April 27th and was an amazing show. First place went to an energetic trio of grade 5 boys, rockers Mathew (Roger Daltrey), Owen (Keith Moon), and Austin (Pete Townshend) who performed to The Who's *Pinball Wizard*. In second place was a solo act by Elana who interpreted *Rule the World* by Walk off the Earth. In third place was Katie-Lynn (Olivia Newton John) and Cole (John Travolta) who performed to *You're the One That I Want* from Grease. Congratulations to our winners and the rest of our participants for an entertaining afternoon:

Millgrove Staff - *Celebration*

Aliyah and Kaelyn – *Better When I'm Dancing*

Anna, Mikena, and Maya - *Boomerang*

Kendra and Kara – *Love You Like a Love Song*

Alanna, Jaydin, Taylor, and Kendra - *Wannabe*

Bradley - *Dynamite*

Shaylynn and Sarah Jane – *Country Music Made Me Do It*

Ariel and Drue – *Magic Dance*

Evangeline – *Fight Like a Girl*

Jordyn and Hailey – *Believer*

Ella and Victoria - *Titanium*

Genevieve – *Footloose*

Samantha and Taylor – *Sit Still, Look Pretty*

Dominic and Justus – *Thunder / Radioactive Mash-up*

Sophie and Sydney – *Fight Song*

Sadie and Iralyn – *Attention*

Teagan and Hailey – *Dear Future Husband*

Mekiah, Danielle and Nicola – *Price Tag*



We would like to give a special thank you to Mr. MacLeod for the use of his audio equipment, playing the music for us, and arranging the special effects. Judges for the event were Millgrove School and Air Band alumni, Renee MacLeod, Learning Through the Arts teacher, Josh Taylor and our former Principal, Mr. Fede. Our entertaining emcees for the competition were Ella and Clara. Behind the scenes, our one-man stage crew was Aaron. Everyone worked together under the leadership of Mrs. Nedelko, Mrs. Price and Mrs. Mason to put on a great show! We look forward to sharing our winning acts with you at Open House next week.





Medical Alert

Just a reminder that **Millgrove is a NUT FREE School**. We have both staff and students with severe life-threatening allergies to peanuts and tree nuts. Do not send any nut products to school with your child. Thank you!

Sun Safety

May and June are upon us.

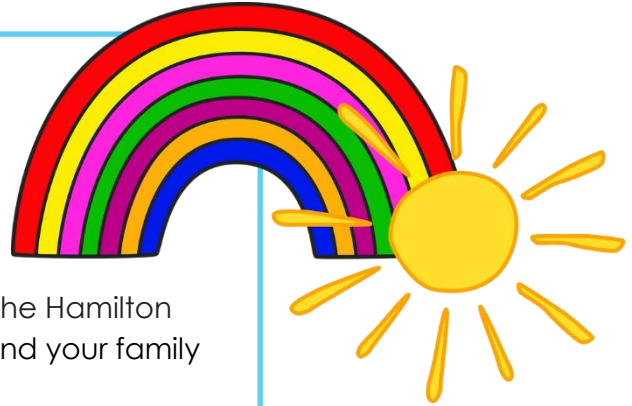
Please be sun safe.

Here are some suggestions for sun safety from the Hamilton Public Health Department to protect yourself and your family from the sun and harmful UV rays:

Check the weather forecast for [the daily UV Index](#) every day to plan for outdoor activities.

When the UV index is 3 or higher:

- Limit time in the direct sun between 11 am and 3 pm when the sun's UV rays are the strongest.
- Find shade from trees, umbrellas or buildings.
- Wear hats with wide brims that cover your ears, face and back of the neck.
- Wear loose-fitting, light weight clothing that covers your arms and legs.
- Wear close fitting / wraparound sunglasses with UV 400 or 100% UV protection. Anytime of the day all year round.
- Wear sunglasses that cover the entire eye.
- Use sunscreen labeled "broad spectrum" and "water-resistant" with a Sun Protective Factor (SPF) of 30 or higher on everybody older than six months of age.



Secure School Announcements

During the spring term, each school is required to conduct at least 3 Fire Drills and 1 Lockdown Drill so that students are prepared in the event of a real emergency. Please do not be alarmed if your child tells you that the alarm went off at school. This is all part of Millgrove's Emergency Plan of Action.



Fundraising at Millgrove...A tasty adventure!

School Council is raising funds to improve technology at Millgrove. Tablets, computers, smart boards and other technology resources are in great need at our school. It is our aim to increase ease of access to this vital technology to all Millgrove students.



You can help us meet our goal by participating in these tasty fundraisers! We are going to "Feed-the-need" for technology by hosting a **Bake Sale** at the upcoming **Open House on Thursday May 10th** and a **Hotdog lunch Friday May 11th**.

Complete details about these delicious fundraisers will be coming home in the next few days.

Bake Sale



Calling all Bakers!

We are asking you to help fill our tables with yummy treats. If baking isn't your thing or you simply don't have the time, not to worry! We will gladly take store bought goodies too.

Please drop off any wrapped-for-sale, **nut free** baked goods, sweets or treats on Wed May 9th or Thurs May 10th before 5pm at the school office. Items can either be packaged for sale as a unit, or packaged to be sold individually.

Calling all Eaters!

All items will be available for purchase at the **Open House on Thurs May 10th 5-7pm** and any leftovers will be sold during school hours on **Friday May 11th**. You "donut" want to miss this!



Friday May 11th is
Hotdog Lunch Day!



How can you make Friday better?

With a hotdog lunch of course!

Delicious hotdogs will be served up **Friday May 11th**. This will be a cash only event. On-line payment is not available.

Menu

Hotdog = \$2 each

Combo A = \$3.50 (1 hotdog, juice box, bag of chips)

Combo B = \$5.00 (2 hotdogs juice box, bag of chips)

Combo C = \$1.50 (juice box and bag of chips)

All-beef hotdogs are available on request only.

Get Involved with School Council

Millgrove School Council relies on parents to join every September. In the next year many long time serving members will be leaving as their kids move on to grade 6.

Please come and sit in on our last meeting of the 2017/2018 school year on **Wednesday June 6th at 6:30 in the library**. Learn about issues facing Millgrove and some of our ideas for the next school year. Your participation will help shape the future of Millgrove.

GO for Green

The Spring 2018 Edition

FRIDAY June 1st

We are in need of parent/grandparents to join us and help June 1st between 9-2.

For 29 years, this parent/volunteer run event has taught students to care for their beautiful playgrounds and gardens exposing them to unique outdoor learning opportunities.

Go for Green is exclusive to Millgrove School and we are proud of this tradition.

Come share this experience with your children and enjoy a delicious lunch provided by the Millgrove staff.

To volunteer, please email agaler@cogeco.ca

GFG Rooted in tradition



Raising Good Decision-Makers

Evening Seminar at Millgrove Public School

Tuesday May 22nd, 2018 7-8:30 pm

Doors open 6:30 pm (No RSVP required)

This event is FREE of charge.

Do you want your child to make good decisions?

In the Classroom

- ✓ Become Life-time Learners

On the Schoolyard

- ✓ Make wise social choices under pressure

During Homework

- ✓ Prioritize and organize

In Relationships

- ✓ Identify thinking traps and use healthy thinking

Don't miss this rare chance to see Dr. Jean Clinton

- Entertaining and down-to-earth
- Helpful to parents
- Internationally renowned
- 30 years' experience with McMaster Children's Hospital and SickKids Hospital in Toronto
- Education advisor to Premier and Minister of Education

Special area of interest: Brain development and the role of relationships and connectedness

Where?

Millgrove Public School
375 5th Concession West
Just west of Hwy 6
Flamborough

When?

Tuesday May 22nd
7-8:30 pm (doors open at 6:30)

Questions?

Please contact
schoolcouncil1274@hwdsb.on.ca

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