# Mount Aloion NEWS

# May 2024

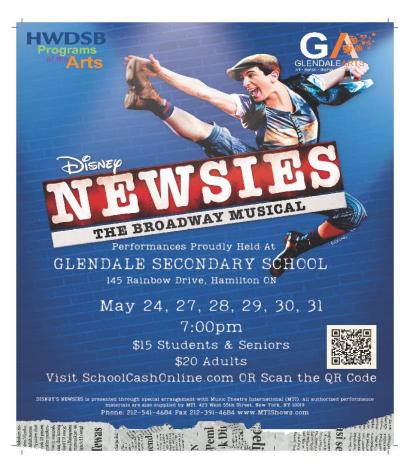
# URCOMING EVENTS

May 9 Scholastic Book Fair

May 9 School Open House

May 16 Kindergarten Orientation

May 6 -10 Education Week





## **OPEN HOUSE**

We will be hosting our Annual Open House on May 9, 2024.

Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup> will mark the fifth annual Flowers4 Mom event in support of Food4Kids Hamilton (100% donated by Scharringa Greenhouses)! Beginning today, with a \$40 donation via our website Order Flowers4 Mom, place your order and our volunteers will deliver a beautiful hanging basket to any front porch in Hamilton.



- Registration is now open for the 2024-2025 school year
- ❖ Your child is eligible for the two-year Kindergarten program in the calendar year that they turn four or five.



Your child must attend school if they are age six by September 1.

# Watch Out, Slow Down, Give Space, Park Smart, and Be Courteous,

We want to remind everyone to prioritize safety, take it slow, and exercise extra caution during drop off and pick up times at schools. To help keep our children safe, we ask parents to avoid parking in prohibited areas such as crosswalks and driveways. We encourage all road users to practice safe habits when near schools. We know that the pick up and drop off times can be busy, so please give yourself extra time to navigate around schools safely, whether you are walking, using a wheelchair, or driving. If you drive, please consider parking a block or two away and walking in, wherever possible, to help reduce congestion. We kindly request that drivers be courteous and park responsibly when dropping off and picking up their children at schools.







### **Important Food Fun Dates**



#### **Milk Orders**

Ordering opens April 24 and due by May 1st at midnight. The next cycle dates are May 14 through June 6.



#### **Pizza Orders**

Ordering opens April 24 and due by May 2 at midnight. The cycle dates are May 7 through June 11.



#### **Pita Pit Orders**

Ordering opens April 24 and due by May 15 at 9:15am. The Pita Pit days will be May 22, May 29, June 5 and June 12.



May 20

Victoria Day

#### **School Bell Times**

9:00 - Yard Supervision

9:15 – Student Entry

9:15 - 10:15 - Period 1

**10:15 - 10:55 - Period 2** 

10:55 - 11:35 - Nutrition Break #1

11:35 - 12:35 - Period 3

12:35 - 1:15 - Period 4

1:15 - 1:55 - Nutrition Break #2

**1:55** - **2:55** – Period 5

**2:55** - **3:35** – Period 6

3:35 - Dismissal

3:35 - 3:50 - Yard Supervision

#### LOOKING FOR INFORMATION

When looking for information about MOUNT ALBION School, you will always find it on our website

www.hwdsb.on.ca/mountalbion/

Please **SUBSCRIBE** to our website.

We will also communicate directly with you by SchoolMessenger.

#### **Contact Us**

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## **Class Building**

Our school will be starting to build our classes for the 2024-2025 school year.

If you would like to contact the school with a request or concern regarding next year's classes, please email mountalbion@hwdsb.on.ca

Please note that we cannot guarantee the fulfillment of all requests, but we will certainly consider your suggestion.

**Email Deadline - May 15** 

### **Gr 7 Immunization – May 6**

Students will be receiving their second dose. Again, this is only being given to the students that have the permission form signed.

### Sunday, May 12



# stay at home MOTHER'S DAY

DIY Spa Make mom breakfast Make a list of things you love about mom Color her a picture Make a homemade card Karaoke with mom's favorite songs Watch home videos Bake mom her favorite treat Tell funny stories of mom Let mom choose movie night Have a photo shoot Make/buy jewelry Make mom a mini-scrapbook Go for a walk Give mom alone time Play mom's favorite game

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#### **Education Week – May 6-10**

We will be hosting a scholastic book fair and our annual Open House. More information will follow as we get closer to the date.

#### **MEDICATION AT SCHOOL**

This is a reminder that the school cannot dispense medications without the signed authorization of **both** a parent/guardian and physician. This includes such items as cough syrup, Tylenol and other over the counter medications. Please ask the school office for the proper form for your doctor to complete for this purpose. We are sorry for any inconvenience or added expense this may cause, we must however follow HWDSB medical protocols.

Please remember that ALL visitors and parents must report to the office upon entry to the school. Parents/Guardians must wait in the office when picking up a student. Please DO NOT

walk to the classrooms.

### MABEL LABEL

Our school is fundraising with Mabel's Labels! If you're not familiar with Mabel's Labels, go to their website and see all the amazing things they can provide for you! Their website is <a href="https://mabelslabels.ca/en">https://mabelslabels.ca/en</a> CA/

To support our fundraiser, visit campaigns and select [Mount Albion School (Stoney Creek)]. You can pick out whatever labels or product you want, and it will ship for free directly to your house! Thank you for supporting us!





#### **LOST & FOUND**

Please remember to put your child's name on their items so that we can return items when they are lost. The bin will be emptied out again at the end the month.



## JOIN US FOR

# KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION

Spring is an exciting time at our school, as we welcome families and children to Kindergarten Orientation. Attending an orientation is a great chance to connect with the kindergarten team and to learn more about the kindergarten program. This event will give families and children a sense of what to expect in September. We hope that you can attend!

# THURSDAY, MAY 16TH 5:00 - 6:00 PM MOUNT ALBION 24 KENNARD STREET

Parking available in the lower parking lot.

To get the most out of the orientation, we are asking that only parents/guardians and the registered child join us.

Come meet our Kindergarten Team, Administration, HWDSB Speech Pathologist, Mount Albion ESL teacher, Mount Albion Reading Specialist, a representative from Valley Park Library and a representative from Heritage Green Childcare.

A special treat will be for sale at orientation night. We will have Kernels Popcorn available for purchase for \$3.00 a bag (cash only). All proceeds will go to our kindergarten program.

You can learn more about Kindergarten at HWDSB by visiting our Kindergarten Orientation web page. Here, you will find a video tour of what happens during a typical day in Kindergarten, a narrated video based on the presentation schools deliver at their events, a video to help families of children with

