



QUEEN VICTORIA

APRIL 2019

NEWSLETTER

Key Events this Month

- Pizza \$ Due on Tuesday's by noon
- Pizza Day every Wednesday
- Day of Pink—Anti-bullying, April 10th
- Family Math Night, April 11th
- Parent Information Session for Growth & Development, April 10th @ 1:30pm
- Easter Holiday April 19th & 22nd

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SCHOOL EVENTS:

Extracurricular Activities – Our school staff works hard at providing a variety of extracurriculars sports, clubs and activities for students in all divisions. Every day at nutrition breaks there are clubs and activities available for students to participate in. Here is a list of some of the activities offered: Bay Blades Club, Indoor Soccer, LOL/Littlest Pet Shop Club, Eco Club, Early Act Club, Checkers, Open Gym, Young Author's Club, Ukelele Club, and Chill Zone.

The Big Crunch: On Thursday March 28th our entire school participated in the big crunch hosted by Tastebuds and Hugh Drummond, a local farmer. Every student and staff member was given a delicious apple and together we created a huge crunch by all biting into our apples at the same time! We also recognized our awesome parent volunteers at the assembly that help prepare our morning snack each and every day. Did you know that a small group of volunteers prepare over 81,000 snacks for our students over the entire school year? Thank you to School Council, Tastebuds, and our parent volunteers for making our nutrition program such a success!

Kindness Week:

Ms. Snell's grade 3 classroom has been conducting random acts of kindness around the school for the past couple of weeks. We love their initiative and they have even decided to take it one step farther by planning a kindness week that coincides with the board's Day of Pink and anti-bullying campaign. All classes in the school will participate in the activities planned by Ms. Snell's class. We look forward to a great week and want to thank this grade 3 class for all their hard work and planning!

Pulse Page Publication:

Queen Victoria student work will be showcased in the Hamilton Spectator on April 17th. Be sure to check out all our published student work!

ASD Bake Sale & Wear Blue for Autism Awareness:

On Tuesday April 2nd, 2019 our ASD team will be hosting a school bake sale to raise money and awareness for Autism. We are also asking all student and staff to wear blue on this day in support for world autism day

Family Math Night:

Parents/Guardians and their children in Grade 4, 5 and 6 are invited to our "Family Math" afternoon event on Thursday April 11th at 3:30-5:00 pm. Participants will have the opportunity to explore a variety of math activities and games. Queen Victoria will be co-hosting this event with Frontier College Hamilton. The staff, students and volunteers from Frontier College have been an ongoing supportive organization for staff and students at Queen Victoria School for many years.

Eco Club::

In April we will be celebrating Earth Month at Queen Victoria. The Eco Club is heading up a 'Ban the Bottle' Campaign. We are challenging all Queen Victoria students and staff to reduce waste by avoiding single use plastic bottles. To help with this challenge the Eco Club has ordered a reusable, BPA free water bottle with a Queen Victoria logo for each student. We are asking for a (minimum) donation of \$2.00 to help cover the cost of the water bottles.

Growth & Development Parent Information Session:

Parents are invited to an information session on Wednesday April 10th @1:30pm. There will be interpreters available. Parents will be able to ask questions and see the teaching materials that will be used for each grade level from 1-8.

APRIL 2019 CALENDAR

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ABSENT FROM
SCHOOL

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31	1	2 Grade 7 Vaccina- tions ASD Bake Sale Wear blue for Autism	3 	4	5	6
7 Kindness Week	8	9	10 Day Of Pink 1:30pm Growth & Develop- ment Par- ent meeting 	11 Grade 8 Grad Photos Family Math Night Gr. 4-6 3:30-5:00	12 Hot Dog Day	13 Prom Project Delta High School
14	15	16	17 Pulse Page Publication in Spectator 	18 French Cafe	19 Good Friday No School	20
21	22 Easter Monday No School	23 New Safe Arrival System Begins Today	24 Earth Day Community Clean-up 	25 1:15pm Character Assembly	26 Fire Drill Sub Day 	27
28	29 Ride Smart Bike As- sembly	30 Gr. 5,6,7 Trip to Airport	1 	2	3	4 Prom Project Hill Park School

Key Dates in May 2019

- Open House—May 9th, 2019 4:00-6:00pm
- Ramadan begins May 6th, 2019
- Ride Smart Bike Week, May 6th-10th (Grades 4-7)
- Bomb threat drill—May 31st, 2019
- Kindergarten information night—May 16th, 2019
- EQAO—May 21st—June 3rd, 2019
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