

# QUEEN VICTORIA SEPTEMBER 2019 NEWSLETTER

#### Key Events this Month

- Pizza \$ due every Tuesday by noon
- September 20th, 2019
  P.D Day—No school for students
- 3-pitch and cross country tryouts
- School Council meeting, October 3rd @ 6:00pm in Library
- Volunteer Information Sessions, September 26th, 4:00pm
- Sub Day, September 27th, 2019
- Twoonies for Terry, September 27th, 2019

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# PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

#### Welcome Back!

We hope all our students and families had an enjoyable summer vacation . We look forward to meeting all our new and existing families at our Meet the Teacher night on Thursday September 26th, 2019 from 4:00-6:00pm. Every month a newsletter and calendar will come home in back packs. Important information can also be found on our school website and Twitter

#### Website:www.hwdsb.on.ca/queenvictoria

Make sure you are following our new twitter account @qvhwdsb

**Pizza & Milk:** Pizza Day will be every Wednesday at second nutrition break. Pizza money must be brought in Tuesday by noon in order to get Pizza on Wednesday. Pizza slices are \$1.00 each and both cheese and peperoni are offered. Our first Pizza Day is September 11th, 2019. Both white and chocolate milk can be purchased everyday for \$1.00, starting the second week of September.

**Volunteer Policy:** If parents/guardians are interested in volunteering in the school or on school trips, you must have a valid police check. Kindergarten students require a 1:5 supervisor to child ratio, primary is 1:8, and the junior division is 1:10. This means that we really rely on parent volunteers to help supervise our trip excursions. We will be holding a volunteer information session on Thursday September 26th at 4:00pm in the nutrition room. Please consider joining us or contact the office if you have any questions.

## **Parking Lot:**

Please do not use our front parking lot to drop off or pick-up your child(ren). It is a designated fire lane and it will be strongly by-law enforced this year.

# **SCHOOL EVENTS**

# Forms, Forms, & More Forms

Included in this package are several important consent forms that need to be completed and returned to your child's classroom teacher as soon as possible. We understand that this can be time consuming, especially for large families, but we truly appreciate your effort as we rely on this crucial information. Thank you for

your patience.

### Student Agenda:

Students from grades I to 8 will be using a "Student Agenda". The Agenda is a very important part of your child's program for a number of reasons:

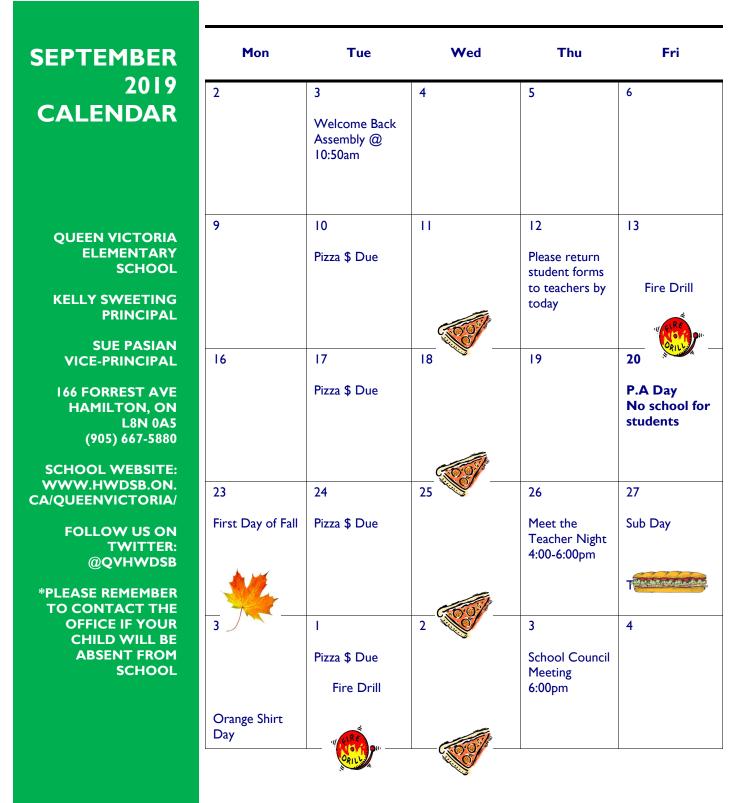
- To assist students in developing strong organizational skills;
- To track daily homework, due dates for assignments, upcoming test dates and special events;
- To send home forms or letters to parents and guardians;
- To support ongoing home and school communication.

## Safe Arrival & Lates:

Please contact the school using our safe arrival program, if your child will be absent from school. All students arriving after the bell must report to the Office to check in.

If your child is to be excused before the end of the school day, please report to the Office to sign them out, or contact the Office via telephone, or a note in the agenda to provide permission to leave.

Being on-time and ready to learn is fundamental to student success.



# **Key Dates in October**

- School Council Meeting, October 3rd, 2019
- Bomb Threat Emergency Drill, October 10th, 2019
- Thanksgiving Holiday, October 14th, 2019
- School Photo Day, October 17th, 2019
- Bus Safety Presentations, October 21st, 2019
- Progress Reports sent home, October 29th, 2019