



June 2024 Update,

We welcome the month of June, a time to celebrate our growth and imagine what is yet to come. The coming days of summer will provide time and space for reflection, relaxation, and some fun.

Our **Days of Significance** includes Father's Day on Sunday June 16th, and a focus on inner strength, courage, and determination through action. June is also Pride month where we focus on unconditional love. Let us all reflect on June 20th, National Indigenous People's Day and honour our Indigenous people and their respect for the land, nature and family. For a list of all the days of significance, please visit this link. <https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/elementary/plan-for-school/calendar/dos/?eventyear=2024&eventmonth=5>

Home and School – Our final meeting for this school year is On Wednesday, June 5th from 6:00-7:00 pm at The Boiler and Whistle located at 1900 King Street East. You do not need to be a member of Home and School to participate in our monthly discussions. All are welcome to attend.

Home and School Funfair hosted by the Rosedale Home and School Association will occur on Thursday, June 20th from 3:30 to 5:30 pm at Rosedale School. For details about this event please email homeandschoolrosedale@gmail.com

Pizza and Milk – There will be no pizza and milk available in the month of June.

Year End Excursions and Experiences – Thank you Home and School for donating 10 dollars per student toward year end excursions and experiences. We are grateful for this support. If you are planning to supervise an off-site excursion please present your Vulnerable Sector Screen and Volunteer information and driver forms to staff. For more information about Volunteer requirements please visit <https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/secondary/get-involved/volunteers-in-schools/>

PA Day Friday, June 7th is a Professional Activity Day. Staff will be engaged in writing Term 2 report cards. There is no school for students on this day. Report Cards will be carried home on June 25th.

Front Gardens – Thanks to students, staff, parents and community partners for supporting the refreshed front gardens. When everyone has a hand in the work, a sense of community develops more deeply.

Grade 5 Transition to Viscount Montgomery School – We are proud of our Grade 5 students as we support their transition to Viscount Montgomery for their middle school years. We hope you have had a wonderful start to your educational career at Rosedale, and wish you all the best in the years to come. We will acknowledge and say farewell to our Grade 5's on Wednesday June 26th at 1:30 pm in the gymnasium.

Piano and Theory Lessons – Please read the attached poster regarding on site Piano and Theory lessons beginning next school year at Rosedale School. Instruction is open to Grade 1-5 students. Please contact Ms. Mari at marivanpelt@gmail.com for more information.

Heat Warnings – With the onset of warm weather please review HWDSB's Heat Warning Response <https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/blog/reminders-about-heat-warnings-at-hwdsb/>

City of Hamilton By-Law – If you have a concern please call 905 540 6000. We ask that all families respect the posted bylaws, neighbourhood lawns and driveways, and to always use courteous language to others during our busy entry and exit times. Please remember your words and actions are viewed by impressionable students who are learning by our words and actions. We as adults are meant to serve as role models for respectful behaviour toward others at all times.

School Agendas for 2024 2025 – Donations toward Grades 1-5 school agendas for 2024 2025 will be available for through School Cash Online in the coming weeks. Please watch your email for the notice. The School Agenda serves as an important tool to ensure important home and school communication is made between caregivers and school staff each day. Agendas are a suggested donation of \$5.00 each.

The Last Day of School for students in 2023 2024 – is Thursday, June the 27th.

2024 2025 School Year:

- Our school office re opens on Monday, August 26th between 9 am and 1 pm.
- The first day of school **for Grades 1-5** will be on Tuesday, September 3rd, 2024.
- JK students begin scheduled visits on Tuesday, September 3rd and **there will be no school for SK students on this day.**
- All JK and SK students begin full day attendance on Wednesday, September 4th.
- Bell time for student entry is 8:20 am and for dismissal is 2:40 pm.

- The school year calendar can be found here <https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/HWDSB-Elementary-School-Calendar-2024-25-5-Day-ONE-PAGE-FINAL.pdf>

Events

- ✓ **June 3** – Access Athletics Event at Nora Henderson (formerly special Olympics)
- ✓ **June 4** – Kinder Excursion to Imaginasium in Ancaster
- ✓ **June 4** – Make up day for students who missed the EQAO assessment
- ✓ **June 5** – Access Athletics rain date
- ✓ **June 5** – Mrs. Lipnicky and Mrs. Murdock classes have a Teddy Bear Picnic
- ✓ **June 5** – Home and School Meeting at 6:00 pm at The Boiler and Whistle
- ✓ **June 7** – PA Day – Report Card preparation, and no school for students on this day
- ✓ **June 16** – Father’s Day
- ✓ **June 19** – Track and Field Junior
- ✓ **June 20** – National Indigenous People’s Day
- ✓ **June 20** – Mr. Adamczyk and Mr. Harvey classes to Adventure Village
- ✓ **June 20** – Home and School Fun Fair from 3:30-5:00 pm at Rosedale School
- ✓ **June 25** – Report Card 2 is carried home
- ✓ **June 26** – Grade 5 Farewell at 1:30 pm in the gymnasium
- ✓ **June 26** – Kindergarten Farewell in the am in the gymnasium
- ✓ **June 27** – Last day of school for students
- ✓ **June 28** – PD Day (staff only)

