

## Community Weekly Time Lion

Hear us Roar



**June 9 -13**

*National Indigenous History Month*

*Pride Month*

*Italian Heritage Month*

*Philipino Heritage Month*

*Portugues Heritage Month*

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| Monday, June 9     | Day 4 | <b><i>EQAO Administration Continues until June 10 (Grade 3 &amp; 6)</i></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Grade 6-8 Track &amp; Field Event</li></ul>                                                                                                       |
| Tuesday, June 10   | Day 5 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Wednesday, June 11 | Day 1 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Program Strategy Survey Due for Families</li><li>Grade 8 Celebrations at SWL for students</li><li>Junior Soccer Tournament</li><li>Grade 4 Excursion</li><li>3:30PM Yes I Can Award Celebration in Learning Commons</li></ul> |
| Thursday, June 12  | Day 2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>PM SWL Talent Show</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Friday, June 13    | Day 3 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Public Library Visit – Primary Classes</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                                              |

## SWL CALENDAR LINK

### Upcoming Events

*Grade 8 Commencement – June 17 (revised date)*

*Kindergarten Play Day – June 17 (AM)*

## **Days of Significance/June Heritage Month**

### **National Indigenous History Month**

At HWDSB we continue our collective work to revitalize, reclaim, renew, restore & celebrate Indigenous ways of knowing.

[Government of Canada - Resources](#)

[Historic designations related to First Nations, Inuit and Métis](#)

[National Indigenous History Month | City of Hamilton](#)

### **Pride Month**

Pride Month is an annual event typically celebrated in June around the world. Over the course of the month, we at HWDSB strive to recognize and celebrate Two Spirit and LGBTQIA+ contributions, identities, and the allies who stand in solidarity and support. It is also a time of action; a time to raise awareness and develop actionable items relating to the rise in discrimination, hate, and violence toward Two Spirit and LGBTQIA+ people and communities, both locally and abroad.

### **Filipino Heritage Month**

The Legislative Assembly of Ontario declared June as Filipino Heritage Month in 2021. The Filipino community is one of the largest and fastest growing diasporas in Canada. Canada and Ontario recognize the positive contributions, both past and present, made by the Filipino community. June represents a culturally significant time in Filipino history, as June 12th represents Filipino independence and separation from Spanish rule.

### **Italian Heritage Month**

The month of June was proclaimed as Italian Heritage Month in Ontario in 2010. More than 1,500,000 Italian Canadians call Ontario home, and the province recognizes their economic, political, social and cultural contributions and achievements.

### **Portuguese Heritage Month**

The Legislative Assembly of Ontario proclaimed the month of June as Portuguese History and Heritage Month in 2001, the year that marked the 500th anniversary of the arrival of Portuguese explorers in Canada. One of the largest Portuguese diasporas in the world call Canada home.

Access Athletics & Track & Field was a Joy!













