



**Tapleystown School Council  
2019/20 School Year**

Dear Parents, Guardians and School Community:

Welcome to Tapleystown!

We are looking forward to a fun and exciting 2019/2020 school year!

The purpose of the School Council is to help improve student achievement and to enhance the accountability of the education system to the parents. A school council’s primary means of achieving its purpose is by making recommendations to the principal of the school and the school board. Boards and principals are responsible for considering the recommendations made by each school council and for advising the council(s) of the actions taken in response to the recommendations.

On September 18<sup>th</sup>, your 2019/2020 School Council was voted into office: Please Welcome:

**Executive**

- Cathy Abbott .....Council Chair
- Michelle Timson.....Council Vice Chair
- Carrie Meyer .....Council Treasurer
- Diana Rodgers.....Council Secretary

- Mr. Berketa.....School Principal
- Mr. Perry.....Teacher Rep
- Adele D’Antonio.....Community Rep

**Council Members**

- Zendra Bell
- Reneé Davie
- Lil Kot
- Alisha Rullo
- Diane VandenHoven-King
- Andrea Cook
- Raj Johal
- Susi Owen
- Lescia Valentini

Please feel free to contact any member of the School Council with any issues, concerns or ideas. You can also email the council at [tapleystownsc@hwdsb.on.ca](mailto:tapleystownsc@hwdsb.on.ca)

We have a fresh and new lineup for fundraising for you this year! Please support our school whenever possible and we will have a great year! Below we have listed our first fundraisers and the purpose for each one.

**Fresh from the Farm**

[www.freshfromfarm.ca](http://www.freshfromfarm.ca)  
When: October 2019  
Initiative: Athletic Equipment

**4<sup>th</sup> Annual Art Show**

@ Tapleystown Open House  
When: May 2020  
Initiative: Multi Year (playground enhancement)

**Kernals Popcorn**

[www.kernelspopcorn.com](http://www.kernelspopcorn.com)  
When: monthly  
Initiative: Student Support (i.e. special event buses)

Watch for other exciting fundraisers throughout the year!



Thank you in advance for your help and participation!

Watch for further messages on Tapleystown Spirit Wear – coming soon!

Please follow your Council

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/tapleystownelementaryschool/>

And our School

Twitter: @TapleystownHWDSB

Website: <https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/tapleystown/>

Please watch the newsletter for our next meetings! These dates are subject to change. Meetings are at 6:30pm:

October 8<sup>th</sup>

November 12<sup>th</sup>

January 14<sup>th</sup>

February 11<sup>th</sup>

April 14<sup>th</sup>

May 5<sup>th</sup>

May 26<sup>th</sup>

These meetings are open to the public to encourage input from parents and other members of the school community. Minutes of meetings held and financial records are available for public inspection at the school office. We hope to see you soon!

We wish to acknowledge the hard work and dedication of the many individuals who volunteer their time to contribute to the success of the School Council. Any and all help is appreciated.

Sincerely yours,  
Tapleystown School Council

September, 2019