

We also Welcome Ms. Kljuco to JKSK! We hope she enjoys her time here at Tapleystown!





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## Other News

**Website:** Please subscribe to our website to receive news and reminders of events at our school directly to your email so that you don't miss a thing!

[www.hwdsb.on.ca/tapleystown](http://www.hwdsb.on.ca/tapleystown)

**EQAO:** Education Quality and Accountability Office testing will be administered for Grade 3 and 6 students sometime between May 7<sup>th</sup> and June 11<sup>th</sup>. We will communicate the exact dates once they are set.

**Open House/Carnival:** May 21 from 5:30-7:00. This year during our annual open house, School Council will be hosting a Carnival & Silent Auction. It will be a fun evening with games, prizes, face painting, a food truck & more! More details will be coming soon!

**Donations for Silent Auction:** We are looking for Silent Auction items & Carnival Game Prizes for our Carnival & Open House. Please consider donating through your business, and ask your employer or family and friends for donations, big or small. All funds raised will help provide new technology for classrooms. More info is available from the office.

## Clubs/Sports:


**Junior Girl's Basketball** season finishing up. Way to go players on a great season! Thank you to Mr. Midgley, Mr. Abid and Mr. Ptaskinkas for volunteering their time to coach.

**Senior Soccer** try outs are starting this week.

**Swim Team** is practising weekly for their Swim Meet on May 2<sup>nd</sup> (race times are posted to the Athletics section on our website).

**Math Academy** and **Highschool Math Prep** started this week. Thank you to Ms. Sanelli and Mrs. Notey for running these awesome opportunities for our students.

**Eco Club** – Is planning activities for Earth week. Some of these activities include a Kahoot Trivia Challenge, a Campus Clean Up, and Earth Hour when the school will power down as much as safely possible.

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### ...continued Clubs/Sports:

Our **Tapleystown Band** is busy preparing for their performance at the Waterfront Concert.

Our grade 5-8 **Checkers Club** competed in the HWDSB Checkers Tournament at the beginning of the month. Everyone played well and had a great day! Thank you to Mr. Abid, Mr. P., Mr. Fried and Ms. Mosutto for organizing this opportunity for our students.

**H.A.T.T. Team** is working on their "Culture in a Minute" project, spotlighting facts, greetings, traditions, etc. of different cultures.



### Parking Lot Drop off – SAFETY

#### Kiss and Drop Morning Routine

1. **Enter via the EAST end** of the parking lot, which is closer to the school building.
2. **Exit via the WEST end**, which is closer to Tim Hortons.
3. **Signage is in place** to clearly indicate the appropriate areas for entry and exit.



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## Dates to remember:

**April 24** – Kinder Grad Photos and Grad Photo Retakes

**April 28** – Elections Canada Polling Station at Tapleystown

**April 29** – Grade 7 Vaccine Clinic

**May 2** – Sr. Swim Meet

**May 7** – Grade 7 & 8 trip to Hamilton Cardinals Game

**May 14** – Kindergarten Orientation

**May 15** – Fire Drill

**May 19** – Board Holiday (no school)

**May 21** - Open House and Carnival

**May 22** – Bomb Threat Drill

**May 27** – Band trip to Waterfront Concert

**May 30** – Kindergarten Movie Night

**June 6** – PA Day (no school)

**June 12** – Grade 7 & 8 trip to Niagara Falls

**June 19** – Grade 8 Commencement Rehearsal 11:45-1:45

**June 20** – Grade 8 Commencement (more information to come)

**June 25** – Grade 1-3 trip to Soccer World

**June 26** – Last Day of School