



# W.H. BALLARD

June Newsletter 2025



## LAST DAY

**PIZZA:** WEDNESDAY JUNE 18TH

**POPCORN:** THURSDAY JUNE 5TH  
& FRIDAY JUNE 13TH

**MILK:** TUESDAY JUNE 3RD

## 2025 CLASS PLACEMENTS

Families should access the Parent Portal for important information from teachers at the end of August for the September term. Please refrain from contacting the school about class placements, as these decisions are made carefully. Teachers will communicate directly with families as needed.

## IMPORTANT DATES

- **June 6<sup>th</sup> - PA Day - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS**
- Bike Smart June 2<sup>nd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup>
- **LAST** Parent Council Meeting June 12 at 6pm
- Commencement **Rehearsal** June 18<sup>th</sup> 1pm
- Grade 8 **Commencement** Thursday June 19<sup>th</sup> at 5pm
- **Kindergarten** Year End Celebration Wednesday June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at 1:45pm
- June 26<sup>th</sup> - **LAST DAY OF SCHOOL. SEE YOU ON SEPTEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup>**

## HOW TO ACCESS THE HWDSB PARENT PORTAL

- 1 Visit the Parent Portal login page:  
[ps.hwdsb.on.ca/public/](https://ps.hwdsb.on.ca/public/)  
[CLICK HERE](#)
- 2 Enter your username and password
- 3 Reset your password (if necessary)  
Click "Forgot Username or Password?"  
Enter your username and email address.  
Follow the instructions in the email to set a new password.
- 4 Log in with your new password
- 5 Navigate the portal:
  - Forms
  - Grades and Attendance
  - School Bulletins



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## THANK YOU, SCHOOL COUNCIL!

From all the staff and students, we want to extend a heartfelt thank you to our amazing School Council for their ongoing support, dedication, and hard work. Your efforts make a real difference in our school community. A special thank you to Holly (Chair) and Jessica (Vice Chair) for your outstanding leadership this year — your time and commitment have not gone unnoticed and are truly appreciated!

## MAY FUNDRAISERS UPDATE

We are thrilled to announce that our **DONUT** and **PIZZA** fundraisers have been a great success! Together, we sold **527 dozen donuts** and **156 pizzas**. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to everyone who supported these initiatives. Your participation not only satisfied cravings but also contributed significantly to our school's goals. The funds raised will go towards enhancing student resources and creating more enriching educational experiences. **A special thank you to the volunteers who helped make these fundraisers run smoothly—your dedication is truly appreciated.**

## HWTS TRANSPORTATION

2025/2026

Transportation details will be communicated to families by HWTS during the last week of August. Please note that courtesy transportation requests will not be approved until October.

## HAPPY SUMMER, STAY SAFE

As we wrap up the school year, we'd like to express our gratitude to all parents, teachers, and students for their hard work and dedication. Your support and involvement have made this year a successful and memorable one. Have a fantastic summer and we look forward to seeing everyone refreshed and ready for an exciting new school year in September!