



# Hampton Park Elementary School

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April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2017

## Newsletter to Parents

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### HEALTHY TREAT DAY

Our next treat day is April 7<sup>th</sup>. Berry lemonade cups will be for sale at recess for \$1.00 each. Thanks to our parents for organizing this special healthy snack days! Proceeds will go to the Boyd Auto Group project.

### PAC MEETING

Please come! The Hampton Park Parent Advisory Council (PAC) will hold its next general meeting Monday, April 10<sup>th</sup> at 9:15 am in the multi-purpose room. We have an amazing and friendly group of parents who regularly attend PAC meetings, some of whom are on the PAC executive. PAC Elections will be held on Monday, May 15<sup>th</sup> at 9:15 am and the PAC planning meeting will be held on Monday, June 19<sup>th</sup>.



### COMO LAKE RELAYS - April 19<sup>th</sup>



On Wednesday, April 19<sup>th</sup> a group of students from Grade 4 and 5 will be participating in the district's Como Lake Relays. They will each run 1.2 km around the lake as part of a 4 person team. Good luck to the students taking part in this district wide event! Once again, we will be looking for volunteer drivers. Please make sure that all of your paperwork is in at the office.

### HOT LUNCHES



**PAC Hot lunches** are scheduled for April 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, and 26<sup>th</sup>. May 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, and 24<sup>th</sup> are hot lunch days if you have ordered. **May 31<sup>st</sup> there is no hot lunch provided.** June 7<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> are the last hot lunches for the school year. Please make a copy of your order form to keep so that you will know when they will be eating one of the excellent hot lunches our PAC parents provide. \*\*\* In May there will be a **separate order for May 3<sup>rd</sup>'s lunch.**\*\*\*\*\*

### SCHOOL CLOSURES

Friday, April 14<sup>th</sup> is Good Friday, Monday, April 17<sup>th</sup> is Easter Monday and Friday April 21<sup>st</sup> is a Professional Development Day; **SCHOOL WILL NOT BE IN SESSION on these days.** Next month Monday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> is Victoria Day and **SCHOOL WILL NOT BE IN SESSION.**



## STUDENT LED CONFERENCES AND EARLY DISMISSALS AT 1:15

Wednesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> and Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup> are student led conferences. Please book your time with your child/rens' teacher. Students are dismissed at 1:15pm on both of these days.



## PHOTO DAY



Our school Panorama Photo Day is Tuesday, April 25<sup>th</sup>. Class group photos will also be taken this day.

## AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Once again we are offering many afterschool classes for the students. We have Cooking on Mondays and Wednesdays, Mad Science will be starting on Tuesday, April 4<sup>th</sup>. Musical Theatre is being offered through Place des Arts on Tuesdays. We are once again offering a MoreSports multi-sport program on Thursdays. There are Art Classes on Fridays and the May 12<sup>th</sup> Session still **has five spots available**. If you are interested, please see our website for registration information.

We would like to remind you, these programs are offered by out of school companies who do their best to keep you informed of any changes to their schedules. Please keep copies of any registration sheets (they will show you the dates for each program). If your child does not know a phone number to reach you, please practice at home or place your contact information in the front envelope of their backpack or planner.

## SUN SAFETY

Students spend their lunch and recess time outside. To make sure they stay safe in the sun, students are encouraged to wear long-sleeved, light coloured clothing with a hat and to apply sunscreen. Unscented sunscreens are preferred due to perfume allergies.



## SHOES, SHOES, SHOES.....

If you have any old shoes you no longer wear, bring 'em on in. Hampton Park will be having a used shoe drive this month. Unfortunately, we cannot take boots at this time. All shoes collected will be donated through Ruben Shoes to children in the Dominican Republic.



## MOVING OR VACATION?

If you are planning to **move** away from Hampton Park School's catchment area prior to September, would you please inform the office at your earliest convenience? It will help us to plan for student placement in the fall. Should your family choose to leave for vacation prior to the end of the school year (June 29<sup>th</sup>), please let the school know.

## ALLERGIES?

Please see website for Request for Administration of Medication if students need to keep any allergy medicine at school. It requires a doctor's signature!