

HILLCREST

MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thursday February 26

Grade 6 Basketball

We have a mandatory meeting today at lunch for all basketball players attending our Jamboree at Banting today. Please meet in Ms. Parsons room 164 after the outside bell.

Art Club

There will be no Open Studio Art Club today at lunch. The club will return to normal next week.

Grade 8 Boys Basketball practice at lunch today is cancelled.

Scholastic Book Fair

Thank you for supporting the Scholastic Book Fair. On Monday, Ms. Quan will be announcing the grand prize winner of the 25 dollars in books, the candy guessing jar and the total money raised. All students who volunteered for the book fair please come to a meeting at lunch in the LLC and see Ms. Quan who has a small thank you for helping at the fair.

D&D Club

A reminder to Friday D&D Club players: there is no school this Friday so the D&D Club is cancelled. See you next week!

Did you know that February is **Black History Month in Canada?! It's** a time to learn about and celebrate the many contributions Black Canadians have made to our country.

One inspiring figure is **Viola Desmond**, a businesswoman and civil rights pioneer. In 1946, she courageously challenged racial segregation in a Nova Scotia movie theatre—a moment that helped spark the civil rights movement in Canada. Today, she is honoured on our **Canadian ten-dollar bill**, reminding us of the importance of fairness, equality, and standing up for what's right.