



# Bessborough Bulletin



## June:

- 8 - Day 1
  - New Gr 7 Orientation
- 9-11 – Gr 6 Sheldon Trip
- 10 – Gr 2 Ice Cream Cone Party (lunch)
- 15 - Scientist in the School-5/6 Pilgrim (am)
  - Bessborough Bounces at Sky Zone (after school)
- 16 – Pizza party for Library Ambassadors
- 17 – Volunteer Breakfast
  - Gr 3/4 Ice Cream Cone Party (lunch)
- 18 – Play Day/Pan Am Games
- 19 – Board Game & Ice-Cream
- 22 – Gr 8 Graduation
- 25 – Last Day of School
- 26 – PA DAY

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## Week of June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2015

### A Message from the Administrative team:

*“ I never did anything worth doing by accident, nor did any of my inventions come by accident; they came by work.”  
 ~ Plato*

We are nearing the end of the school year and have lots to prepare before the end of school. Please remind your child to bring home locker and desk items that are no longer being used at school.

Please check the **Lost & Found** bins downstairs by the mini gym and outside the south yard doors regularly to see if any items belong to your child. All items will be placed on tables later in the next week or two for easy viewing.

Our Grade 6 students will be leaving for Sheldon Outdoor Education trip and we wish them nice weather and good times!

Have a fantastic week!  
 ~ Ms. Broderick and Ms. Rosenbloom

### Days of Significance (2015)

**June 2015:** Italian Heritage Month  
 Portuguese Heritage Month

- 12 World Day Against Child Labour Day (UN)
- 17 World Day to Combat Desertification & Drought (UN)
- 18 Ramadan\*\*(Islam)
- 20 World Refugee Day (UN)
- 21 National Aboriginal Day (Canada)
- 21 Solstice – Litha\*/Yule\* (Wicca/Pagan)
- 24 St-Jean-Baptiste Day (Quebec and Francophone Culture)
- 26 International Day Against Drug Abuse & Illicit Trafficking (UN)
- 26 International Day in Support of Victims of Torture (UN)
- 27-July 5 LGBTQQI2S Pride Week: World Pride (tbd)



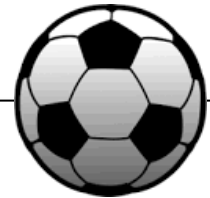
## Lost & Found:

Missing a lunch bag or water bottle? Can't find that favourite hoodie from Aunt May? Check out the Lost & Found that is located downstairs near the mini gym and the bins near the south doors of the grade 2 rooms.

All items will be placed on a table in the next couple of weeks for easier viewing.



## Bennington Rolph Road Soccer:



Bennington Rolph Road Soccer is now accepting registrations for September 2015. This amazing league has been running in this neighbourhood for many years and is a great league for those whose kids want to play soccer but are not in town in the summer. The league is run completely by volunteers and is not-for-profit. The deadline for registrations is June 19th. Visit the league's website for more info and to register: <http://benningtonrolphsoccer.ca/>



# Accessing Read & Write Gold:

## Download Read & Write for Home Use

Many of our schools use Read & Write in the classroom. Students and parents can also download the software for free to use on your home computers. Use the following link to download: User Name: TDSB Password: 4500677672

<http://www.tdsb.on.ca/ElementarySchool/SpecialEducation/AssistiveTechnology/SoftwareandResources.aspx>

You can also download an Android and iPad Version as well as a Chrome plugin. Thank you Sebastian Toncu for letting us know of the new recent feature! <http://www.texthelp.com/north-america/rwtablets/>

Mondays - Techie Team (library @lunch)

Tuesdays - Girls' Movement (Breakfast in library @8:15 am)  
- Library Ambassadors and Literacy Leaders (library @lunch)  
- Gr 6-8 Yoga Club (big gym @lunch)  
- Gr 6-8 Bessborough Glee Club (music rm @lunch)

Thursdays – Me to We (Rm 10 @lunch every other week)  
- Art Committee (Rm 31 @lunch)  
- ECO Club (Rm 17 @lunch)  
- Best-Bro-Boiz Club (Rm 15 after school)



***Thank you and have a fantastic week!***