



## *Beverly Glen's Le Gazette*

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### March Message from the Administration

#### All About Education— Tout à propos de l'éducation



April gives way to May! The month which celebrates education. A time for looking back at all of the months of learning and reflect on our growth, our next steps and cherish the obstacles we overcame.

The coming weeks will be especially busy. EQAO begins, classes will be on trips, many athletic events, FDK Mindfulness event, Math Night, Film Festivals, Speech Arts Competition, and so much more...Oh my!!

We wish to extend a very warm welcome to Mr. Messiha. He will be taking over for Ms. Daly who is on maternity leave.

Our students from Grade 1 to 6 competed in our Beverly Glen Track & Field day this month. Despite the ice, snow and a whole lot of water, we were able to have an exceptionally warm day for the students to participate. The smiles on all of the students' faces demonstrated that it was a fun day for all...or maybe it was the freezies!!!!

A reminder to parents and guardians with students in grades 3 and 6, that EQAO begins very shortly. It is very important that students are present during the EQAO period. As well, please ensure that the students have plenty of sleep, have a good breakfast, and water and snacks during the EQAO period.

We are approaching the end of a busy school year. Your child has learned a lot. They read new books and mastered new skills. Now is the perfect time to talk about all of the lessons they have learned. Find a time when you can have a relaxing chat about school. You might even plan something special, such as going out for a treat or making a favorite meal together.

*"Tell me and I forget. Teach me and I remember. Involve me and I learn." - Benjamin Franklin*

Enjoy the warmer weather!

### School Hours

School Office: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
Monday to Friday.

**Visitors to the school**, please report to the office when you first enter the school to maintain a safe and orderly environment at Beverly Glen.

A regular school day is as follows:

Morning entry: 8:40 a.m.

Morning program: 8:45 - 11:30 am

Morning recess: 10:05 - 10:20 a.m.

Lunch: 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Afternoon entry: 12:30 p.m.

Afternoon program: 12:35 - 3:20 p.m.

Afternoon recess: 1:55 - 2:10 p.m.

End of day dismissal: 3:20 p.m.

School bus dismissal: 3:20 - 3:35 p.m.

Remedial assistance: 3:20 - 3:50 p.m.



### Upcoming Dates:

#### May 1st

*Bring Your parents To School*

#### May 3rd

*Math Night—5pm to 7:15pm*

#### May 7th

*Track & Field @ Esther Shiner*

#### May 11th

*Speech Arts Competition*

#### May 16th

*Film Festival K-6*

#### May 22nd

*EQAO begins*

#### May 24th

*FDK— Mindfulness Event*

#### May 31st

*Cricket—Grade 5*



### BG School Council Update

Please stay tuned for updates in our May Newsletter.

Regards,

Nithya Caleb

### Beverly Glen JPS Mission Statement

We believe that learning is a life-long process which promotes: *Acceptance, Communication, Co-operation, Enjoyment, Problem-solving, Respect, Responsibility, Self-motivation.* Learners at Beverly Glen are stimulated and challenged in a safe, caring and student-centered environment.

Please check our school webpage regularly for the latest information about Beverly Glen Jr. P.S.

<http://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/beverlyglen>

# Poetry In Motion



## The Poetry Club

The Poetry Club consisted of a group of students working towards getting their poetry selected and published for Toronto District School Boards very own poetry book called Urban Voices. This year, two very talented students from Beverly Glen were selected to have their work published in Urban Voices. Both Lily and Ayomide will be presented in June with a special certificate and a copy of the Urban Voices 2018 showcasing their own original poems.

Congratulations girls, well done!

Mme Henry and Mrs. Tassopoulos, the teachers leading this group, are very pleased with all of the group members poetry and encourage all students to come out next year and try to get their very own poems published in Urban Voices.

Mrs. Tassopoulos & Mme Henry  
Poetry Club Teachers



# ECO FAIR

## BG @ ECO FAIR



**Please support  
the Eco Fair!!**



## DEVELOPING OUR CHARACTER!!

### May- Integrity



#### 1. *They are trustworthy*

These people are reliable and trustworthy. Once they have gained your trust they will do their best to keep it.

#### 2. *They are honest*

People with integrity never lie. They want to get what they need in life without lying and they build relationships based on trust.

#### 3. *They are authentic*

These people have a truly authentic personality. They are unobtrusive and want others to accept them as they are.

#### 4. *They do good things*

People with integrity always help others. That gives them a chance to improve other people's lives.

#### 5. *They are modest*

They seem unaware of their own worth. They may do a lot of good things but their modesty prevents them to notice their acts of kindness.

#### 6. *These people apologize first*

People with integrity do make mistakes just like everyone else. So, if they have done something wrong they will apologize for it.

#### 7. *They put their trust in others*

If these people trust you, consider yourself as a lucky person. If they catch you in a lie, you will lose them forever.

#### 8. *They are particularly kind towards vulnerable people*

If you feel vulnerable or you lack positive energy, these people will do everything in their power to brighten up your day.

#### 9. *They have very strong intuition*

People with integrity are very intuitive. They can easily realize when something bad is going on. In case you are in a depressive mood, they will notice it without any difficulty.

#### 10. *They see the good in others*

They want to believe that all people are good.



Ten Personality Traits of People



### ***Continuing Education – Summer Music Camps***

Tuesday, May 01, 2018

Continuing Education – Summer Music Camps

Add to your child's summer vacation with music camp. Through three unique programs – Summer Sounds, DownTown Summer Strings and Toronto Summer Music Camps – the TDSB offers band, strings and orchestral experiences for students from Grades 3-9. Registration is now open.

For more information, please visit [www.tdsbsummercamps.ca](http://www.tdsbsummercamps.ca) @TDSB\_ConEd

### ***Education - Community Programs***

Continuing Education - Community Programs

Register for summer Learn4Life beginning May 16. Take up an exciting new hobby, learn a different language, and meet people in your community. Put your hands to work through art and cooking. Take up a sport and stay active this summer. Classes begin July 3.

Register at [www.learn4life.ca](http://www.learn4life.ca). [Facebook.com/TDSBLearn4Life](https://www.facebook.com/TDSBLearn4Life) @TDSB\_ConEd

### ***Summer International Languages Elementary and African Heritage Programs***

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Register your child in TDSB's half and full day international languages summer programs. Open to all students from SK to Grade 8, our language learning programs involve cultural activities like games, songs, dance, storytelling, traditional crafts and writing. Classes begin July 3 – 27.

Visit [www.ILEprograms.ca](http://www.ILEprograms.ca) for a complete list of participating schools and language classes.  
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## **Bike to School Week at the TDSB**

Tuesday, May 01, 2018

May 28 - June 1, Bike to School Week at the TDSB

Let's get rolling! Join students and teachers across the province in celebrating Bike to School Week.

Schools participate in Bike to School Week by encouraging their students to walk and roll to school, and by holding events both inside and outside the classroom to promote the benefits of active transportation.

For more information and resources, please visit our Bike to School Week web page [www.tdsb.on.ca/ecoschools](http://www.tdsb.on.ca/ecoschools).

[The Toronto District School Board - Community](#)

## **Continuing Education - Improve your English with Us**

Tuesday, May 01, 2018

Continuing Education - Improve your English with Us

This summer, adults can build literacy and English language skills from July 9-31. We offer a wide range of classes, from beginner to advanced, to help you improve your conversation skills, further your education, and prepare for language proficiency tests. Adult ESL program is free for eligible learners. For more information, visit [www.ESLtoronto.ca](http://www.ESLtoronto.ca) or call 416-338-4300. @TDSB\_ConEd