



YOUR SCHOOLS' INFORMATION NEWSLETTER

School dates for June



Monday – Day 4

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Tuesday – Day 5 Grade 5's Graduation

Report cards go home



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Wednesday – Day 1 Play Day



Thursday – Day 2

Last day of school



WEEK OF JUNE 26, 2017

From the principal

UNBELIEVABLE !!!!

The final week of school is upon us. A huge thank to goes out to Ms. Daley and Ms. Yek-Abellera for their tireless work and support in the office. Thank you to all the Staff, Students, Parents, Volunteers, the School Advisory Council and all those people who have



made Elkhorn an amazing school to work at.

Congratulations to Ms. Green on her retirement and all those staff who will be moving to other schools next year. You will be missed.

Finally, we wish our Grade 5 students a wonderful graduation day and all the best as they move onto Grade 6.

Have a fantastic summer and see you back in September.

Holly Richards



Lost & Found

LAST WEEK!

The items will be on display for this last week of school. Any unclaimed items will be donated to a local charity.





Elkhorn Express

This will be the last edition of the Express for this school year. If you are moving on to another school next year or our leaving our school and would like to unsubscribe to the Express please send an email to <u>Kimberley.daley@tdsb.on.ca</u> and your name will be removed from our list.



Girls Soccer

On Monday, June 12th the grade 5 girls played in the north Toronto soccer qualifier and played competitive and amazing soccer! While the girls didn't walk away as tournament champions, they did show great teamwork and really managed to highlight their skills! Ms. Attard and Ms. Doherty and extremely impressed with the girls! Way to go girls!!!



To the Parents of all Grades 1-5 Students:

Play Day will be on <u>Wednesday, June 28th</u>! It will take place in the afternoon after lunch until the end of the day (1:00 -3:15 pm).

Please ensure that your child is dressed appropriately for outdoor fun! Please provide sunscreen, hat, sunglasses, running shoes and a water bottle. Your child may also bring a towel and bathing suit.

All students will be given time to change after lunch. At the end of the day, we will be handing out freezies. If you do not want your child to receive a freezie please notify your child's teacher.

Rain Date: Thursday, June 29th.

Thank you!



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We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the staff who have been great additions to Elkhorn and who are now leaving us. All the staff who have worked at Elkhorn have created wonderful relationships with both our students and staff and they will be greatly missed.

Ms. Stephanie Laderman

Ms. Laderman taught Kindergarten this year and has previously taught Music (Ukulele) and Library. Ms. Laderman also helped out with the Alice in Wonderland production. She has been with us for 2 years and will now have a much shorter commute to her new school. We wish her all the best at her new school.

Ms. Kelsey Collins

Ms. Collins taught Kindergarten at Elkhorn this year and unfortunately for us she will be leaving to join the York Region School Board. Ms. Collins will be teaching French at her new school. Ms. Collins was a wonderful addition to our staff and will be missed. Good Luck at your new job!

Ms. Christina Circosta

Elkhorn was very lucky to have Ms. Circosta's LTO position extended so she could stay with the ASD program this year. Ms. Circosta has been extremely dedicated and supportive to the students in her class and has been a great asset to the school. We wish you all the best in the future and thank you for your great work here.

Ms. Julia Dawe

Once again Ms. Dawe has been a long term occasional teacher at Elkhorn and continues to bring her experience, knowledge and enthusiasm to our school every day. She has organized and helped out in many of our assemblies as well as teaching music and library. Thank you for all your efforts.

Ms. Christine Moser

Ms. Moser filled in for our Grade 5 class this year covering for Ms. Law who is off on maternity leave. Ms. Moser will be moving on to Bayview Middle School next year. We were fortunate to have her and thank her for everything she has done this year at Elkhorn.

Ms. Annette Carrier

Ms. Carrier has been at Elkhorn for 7 years and provided great support in our classrooms as a Child and Youth worker. Ms. Carrier worked in our ASD classroom this year. She will be moving to another school next year and we would like to thank her for everything she has done while working at Elkhorn.

Ms. Donna Wells-Vanier

Ms. Wells-Vanier is a Special Needs Assistant who has also worked in the ASD classroom and provided amazing support to our students. She has been with us for 4 years and will also be going to another school next year. Thanks for everything you have done at Elkhorn!

Ms. Susan Cooper - SNA Ms. Lesley Caven – CYW

Both Ms. Cooper and Ms. Caven were new additions to our staff this year working with the ASD programs. Though they were only here for 1 year they were a great addition to the school.

Happy Retirement

It is with mixed emotions that we say good bye to Mrs. Green and wish her well on her

pending retirement. She will be greatly missed by her colleagues, parents and



especially the students.

Mrs. Green has been at the school since it re-opened 21 years ago. She came to us from Bayview and helped to maintain an ongoing partnership with them.

Mrs. Green will be remembered for her kind, gentle manner with students as well as her always positive relationship with everyone whose lives she touched.

Staff appreciates her contributions to numerous committees, school programs and particularly to the arts.

All the best as you continue your journey Mrs. Green.

We will miss you very much!



Have a Safe and Happy Summer See you in September