



# Hollywood Happenings

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## Principal Message

I would like to thank all the staff, students and parents for making this a wonderful year. Together we have created long lasting positive memories and learning experiences for the people in our school. The community and staff have worked together to create many exciting events and activities. Some of these include our play days, assemblies, field trips, track and field, dance-athon, and curriculum night BBQ to name a few. Our School Council and community have also worked together with the school to effect positive change in our program and facilities by raising capital through their many fundraisers. Our last day of school is June 28th. Best wishes to all the graduates and students for completing a successful school year

## Holidays and September Start Up

If you plan to leave school before the end of the school year for holidays, please let Mrs. Johnston know. Next year, school begins September 4, 2018. If your child is on an extended trip and **not** expected back on September 4, 2018 please email [Hollywoodps@tdsb.on.ca](mailto:Hollywoodps@tdsb.on.ca)

In September students will be meeting their teachers outside at 8:25am. The teachers will have attendance lists and signs for identification. Kindergarten will be in the kindergarten playground area. Grades 1-3 teachers will be along the parking lot fence outside the west doors. Grades 4-6 will meet staff outside Portables 1 and 2. In the event of rain kindergarten will meet in the gym, grades 1-3 in the library area and 4-6 between the East and West doors.

## Volunteer Luncheon.

The staff at Hollywood would like to thank you to everyone who was able to join us last week for the volunteer luncheon. We had a very nice turnout. We realise that not everyone is able to make it during school hours, but we still recognize the valuable contribution you make to the students at Hollywood. Many of our programs would not be able to run without your support. Many of our volunteers help with the student/parent reading program, choir, field trips, scientists in the school, sports events, pizza lunch, parent council, play days, and many more. A huge thank you to everyone for all that you do.

## Staffing Update

We will have a few changes here at Hollywood in terms of staffing and would like to keep you posted as they happen. Although we are growing as a school, we have to say good bye to some staff who will be leaving us to work in other schools. After many years of service, we have to say good bye to our Eco Warrior Mr. Steele who will be moving to a

school closer to home. We will do our best to carry on his positive environmental awareness in his absence. Our half time educational assistant, Ms Kuroshima will be leaving us to take a full time position at her other school. We will also be losing our ECE Ms. Hong as we are down one ECE position for next year. Ms T(Tsukinovsky) will be taking a one year leave and we will be losing our long term occasional teachers Ms. Yap, Ms. Samuels and Ms. Lisenko. However it is possible that they could be back should another opportunity open up. Finally our afternoon secretary, Lisa Kolodziej will be going full time at Avondale. Joining the Hollywood team will be Ms. Mihai who will be teaching French, Mr. Buckingham and Ms. Freeman who will be teaching kindergarten. We are still looking to hire one teacher, a .5 Educational assistant and a .5 secretary. We will keep you posted.

## Our Harbourfront Trip by Rana and Kayley (gr6)

The trip at the Harbourfront centre was lots of fun. We got to learn about the history of hip-hop. The instructor taught us many different dance moves from different time periods. He also gave us a tour around the centre where we saw people create designs and crafts. The creators were very hard working. Some of them were painting, and some were making crafts, and much more. We also took some nice pictures with the CN Tower and near Lake Ontario. After, we went back to the studio and had a dance battle. During the battle, we used the moves that we had learned. It was super fun. Now, we are pros and we've got a few dance moves up our sleeves.

## The Go Green ECO Club - Wrap Up 2017-18

This year was a fantastic year. It all started from 2017 when everybody started to sign up. All the people who were in the ECO Club last year got to meet new people. Until now we worked as a team to make our school a Platinum ECO school! The ECO audit went great. The mulching was fun and we all worked as a team. It was even better because of the help of the whole school. Thank you everybody!

## Baseball by Kaizen and Michael(gr4)

Practising baseball is hard. In practice, we need to practise hitting, possession and catching. We need to learn to work as a team. Playing in a tournament is challenging and that is why you need to know how to deal with the pressure. This year we made it into the semi-finals because we practised before school, recess and after school. We played really well right up until last inning where the other team scored after two outs. It was a tight game. Thanks Mr. M for all your help and time.