

Bessborough E & MS Newsletter



Bessborough Elementary & Middle School

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Principal: Patricia Broderick
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Renee Cronier
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Upcoming Events:

- January 13 – Sub Lunch
- January 14 – Community Coffee (9:15 a.m.) at Leaside Longo's with Trustee Rachel Chernos-Lin
- January 17 – P.A. Day
- January 30 – Pizza Lunch
- February 10-14 – Kindergarten Registration



Extracurricular Activities Cancelled

Please be advised that all Extracurricular Activities are cancelled until further notice. Open Doors before and/or after school is also cancelled until further notice. Please see the [TDSB Update](#) from Director Dr. John Malloy and Chair Robin Pilkey.

Kindergarten Registration for 2020-2021 School Year

Kindergarten Registration for the 2020-2021 school year (for children starting Junior or Senior Kindergarten) will take place from February 10 to February 14. You have the option of registering your child in-person at school, or you can begin the registration process via online registration (OLR) at www.tdsb.on.ca/kindergarten

NOTE: Regardless of which process you select, you are required to visit the school to validate registration information. Please see the [Registration Checklist](#) we have provided and ensure that you bring all required documentation when you visit the school. See the [Full Day Kindergarten Fact Sheet](#) and follow the links below for additional information about Kindergarten.

Ontario Ministry of Education - [Full Day Kindergarten](#)

Toronto District School Board – [Kindergarten](#)

Please contact Renee Cronier or Toyin Bere in the office if you have any questions.



Winter Lunch Programs – Activities Galore

Once again, Bessborough will be offering amazing lunchtime programs! These lunch programs begin this month. Each program has a different start date. Please refer to the registration information. Your children can explore with art, write their own comic book, build with Lego, breathe with Yoga and Meditation, learn to knit, or master their Chess game.

Note: The **Artibits** lunch program is full as of Tuesday January 7th.

See the attached forms for more information and links to registration. You can also go to the Bessborough School Council website www.bessboroughhomeandschool.com and click on "Activities and Events" in order to find the "Lunch Activities Programs". Sign up today to avoid disappointment!

If you have questions, please contact:

Kozue Schmidt: kawasaki.kozue@gmail.com or Julie Waspe: jolski@gmail.com.

Looking for Mayfair Committee Members



Mayfair is coming!

Many hands are needed to help make this event successful. Are you interested in helping to coordinate this fun event? Grab a group of friends to work with, or join a group of existing volunteers, to help out with Silent Auction, Sponsorship or BBQ.

Please contact Cabrina Skillen (cabrina.skillen@gmail.com) or Kristine Locklin (klocklin@gmail.com) for more information.



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Follow us on Instagram and get messages about events, when forms are due, pictures of the fun goings-on at Bessborough and more!

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Pizza Lunch – Thursday January 30th



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