

BESSBOROUGH BUZZ

The Bessborough E&MS Newsletter

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TRACK & FIELD

We had beautiful weather for Bessborough's Junior and Intermediate Track & Field Days. Students were eager and excited to participate in the various events.

Thank-you to Ms Buksner, Ms Malouin and Mr. Ivan for their organization of track & field days for Bessborough students. Students who are moving on to the **Track & Field event at Esther Shiner stadium on May 15th** have been informed. Congratulations to all students on their participation in our school event.



IMPORTANT DATES

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THE FOLLOWING UPCOMING EVENTS:

MAY 6

- VEX ROBOTICS COMPETITION (G. 7&8)

MAY 9

- JR & SR CHOIR TO LN5 CHORAL FESTIVAL 6PM

MAY 13

- PRIMARY WELLNESS DAY

MAY 15

- GAUSS CONTEST (G.7)
- G.4-8 TRACK & FIELD ESTHER SHINER

MAY 25

- MAYFAIR (11-3PM)



CLASSROOM ORGANIZATION

Class organization for September is based on projected enrolment numbers and staff allocation. There will be some changes in staffing and teaching responsibilities for the upcoming 2024–2025 school year. Final assignments for teachers remain tentative. Teachers at each grade level and the principal will meet to develop equitable and balanced instructional groupings based on several factors including a balanced ratio of boys and girls, a balance of academic levels and needs, and group dynamics. There are many variables that are considered for each child when they are placed into a class. Should you wish to offer further insights, please submit them in writing to Ms. Bambrick no later than **Friday, May 24**. In the email outline the learning needs and special concerns about your child for your request. Requesting specific teachers or requesting the names of specific groups of students in a class cannot be honoured. Please be aware that while your request will be considered, we cannot guarantee a specific placement and staff must make the final decisions in the best interests of all students.

May

13, 2023

BESSBOROUGH'S
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT
COMMITTEE ORGANIZES:



THE PRIMARY WELLNESS DAY FOR GRADES K- 3 STUDENTS



TEAM

BUILDING AND
COLLABORATION
ACTIVITIES

FUN AND CREATIVE OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES :
EGG RACE, RIVER CROSSING COLLABORATION, STORY
TELLING, YOGA FOR KIDS, MARBLE RUN CHALLENGE
AND PARACHUTE GAMES



To Bring: a Water bottle, wear a hat and a snack



BESSBOROUGH E&M SCHOOL COUNCIL

MAY NEWSLETTER

MAYFAIR POSTER COMPETITION

Our Mayfair Poster Competition is in full swing, and we're eagerly awaiting your children's entries! **The deadline for submissions has been extended to Monday May 6th.**

🏆 **What's at stake?** 🏆

Three lucky winners will be chosen to receive an all-access wristband to Mayfair, granting them entry to all the festivities and fun activities throughout the event!

UPCOMING EVENTS

06
MAY

Monday
Gr. 7 & 8 Vex Robotics Competition

25
MAY

Saturday 11 - 3pm
Mayfair

29
MAY

Wednesday
Pizza Lunch

MAYFAIR CORNER

May 25 11-3pm

We are looking for donations to the following activities:

Silent Auction Donors: If you have an item to contribute, please fill out this [request form](#).

Kindy Yard Stuffy Hospital: Do you have any stuffed animals you are looking to get rid of? Drop off your donations to the bin at the office between **May 6-22** or contact [Jenny Banwell](#).

Thank you in advance for your support.

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS



CENTURA TILE



Scholars

If you are interested in **Sponsoring Bessborough**, please reach out to [Laura Wright](#) to learn more.



STREET CRAWL

Save the Date - June 1!
Our annual Street Crawl is back, stay tuned for more details on how to get tickets!

GET INVOLVED

Get involved and help us make a difference in our school and community.
[Sign up here.](#)

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