# Upcoming EVENTS

### May

- **30** Day 2
  - Gr 8's leave for NY
  - EQAO begins for all Gr 3 & 6 students
  - Kilometre Club begins

### June

- 2 Gr 5 Heritage Fair (PM)
- 3 Kindergarten Orientation (AM)
- 6 Scientist in School 5A Leishman(PM)
   - Sr Girls Soccer Playoffs (PM)
- 7 Track & Field Finals (York)
  - Scientist in School 5B Pantopoulos (PM) - H & S General Mtg
- 10 PA Day (No School)
- 13 Scientist in School 4 Baker (PM)
  - Caring & Safe School Committee
- 14 Track & Field Finals (Birchmount)
- 15 5/6 Ultimate Tournament
- 16 Gr 6 Year End Party
- 17 Me to We Party
- 20 Scientist in School -Gr 1s

# **Bessborough Bulletin**

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### Week of May 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016 - DAY 2

### A Message from the Administrative team:

*" Don't let the things you can't do stop you from doing the things you can do." ~ David Patchell-Evans* 

We had a great turn out for Mayfair! Great weather and long line ups for the dunk tank when teachers were in there. Thank you everyone for supporting our Mayfair.

We want to wish our Gr 8 students, Ms Broderick and our intermediate staff all the best for a fun and safe trip in New York City. It will be full of adventure and we look forward to seeing the tweets!

EQAO starts for all grade 3's and 6s this week. Good luck to all of you. Gr 3 & 6 students are on a modified schedule.

~ Ms. Broderick and Ms. Rosenbloom

### Days of Significance (2015-2016)

May 2016 Asian Heritage Month/Jewish Heritage Month/Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month

31 World No Tobacco Day (WHO)

June 2016 Italian Heritage Month/Portuguese Heritage Month

1 Intergenerational Day 5 World Environment Day (UN) 6 Ramadan\*\* (Islam) Heritage Month 12 World Day Against Child Labour (UN) 17 World Day to Combat Desertification and Drought\* (UN) 20 World Refugee Day (UN) 20 Solstice – Litha\*/Yule (Wicca/Pagan)

### Mayfair: Thank you!

We would like to thank everyone who came to support our school's Mayfair. It was a great success!

Thank you to the Mayfair committee, teachers, parents and students who volunteered. This event could only happen with enthusiasm and commitment you've given.

A special thank you to **Jennifer O'Donnell** and **Kristine Locklin** who co-chaired the Mayfair committee. Your hardwork and dedication is great appreciated by everyone!





### **One Last Call For Yearbook Photos**

If anyone has any photos they would like to share with the yearbook from **Mayfair**, please send ASAP to <u>bessboroughyearbook@gmail.com</u>

Thank you to everyone who has shared photos with us!!

The Yearbook Committee





## Kilometer Club – May 30<sup>th</sup> – June 9<sup>th</sup>

Kilometer Club starts Monday May 30th - June 9th for all students K-8 in the South Yard at 8:00 am.

Collect charms for participation! - more information to follow.

### Me to We: Milk Bag Mats

The Me to We club has started creating their Milk Bag Mats and it's looking quite amazing! A special thank you to Caroline Younder who initiated this project with Me to We.

If you have more milk bags, please continue to save them and drop them office in the box in front of the office.





Thank you Me to We Club!



Day of the Week	Club / Activity	Time & Location
Mon	<ul> <li>Gr 2-4 Primary Girls Club (Ms Wong/Ms Thurow)</li> <li>Gr 5/6 Junior Girls Club (Ms Angheloni/Ms Surdivall)</li> </ul>	Rm 9 @ lunch Rm 9/Library @ lunch
Tues	<ul> <li>Primary STEM (Ms Wong/Mr Chong)</li> <li>Junior STEM (Mr Baker, Ms Ho, Ms Surdivall)</li> <li>P/J Spring Fling! (Mr Miller/Mr McMillan)</li> <li>Folk Fest Club (Ms Poulimenakos, Ms Cook, Ms Willoughby)</li> <li>Lego Robotics (Mr Casey/Mr. Day/Ms Connor)</li> </ul>	Rm 5/9 @ lunch Computer Lab @ lunch Rm 8 @ lunch Big Gym Rm 30 @ after school
Wed	- Int Girls' Breakfast Club (Ms Angheloni/Ms Surdivall /Ms Nia)	Staffroom
Thurs	<ul> <li>Library Ambassadors (Ms Surdivall)</li> <li>Int. Concert Band (Mr McMillan)</li> <li>Junior BessBro's Club (Mr Baker)</li> <li>Lego Robotics (Mr Casey/Mr. Day/Ms Connor)</li> <li>Gr 2 Cooperative Games – till June 2<sup>nd</sup> (Ms Jain)</li> </ul>	Library @ lunch Rm 8 @ 8:00 am Rm 10 @ lunch Rm 30 @ after school Big Gym
Fri	- Me to We (Ms Pilgrim/Ms Ciobanu)	Rm 31 @ lunch
Days vary	- Tech Team (Ms Surdivall/Ms Rosenbloom)	Office/Library

\*\* All Clubs running at lunch begin at 12:00 pm unless the teacher has indicated a different time.

Home & School Happenings

Bessboroughhomeandschool.com

#### Get your runners ready.... Kilometer Club is here!

Start your day off with some fitness and fun! Kilometer Club starts this **Monday May 30th** and runs for 8 days until Thursday June 9th. Meet in the south yard - the run goes from 8:10-8:30am. Don't forget to bring water! Let's see how far we can run Bessborough!

#### Lawn Bowling Social

Get dressed in your preppy whites for a night of bowling on the green! You still have time to get your tickets for the Lawn Bowling social happening this **Saturday**, **June 4th**.

5:00-9:30pm

\$60/player via cheque or \$64/player via eventbrite.

Theme is White and Green.

\*light dinner, game & lesson and drinks included in ticket price.

You can make cheques out to Bessborough Home & School and bring into the office.

Or pay online at:

http://bessboroughlawnbowling2016.eventbrite.ca

<u>Click here</u> to see the flyer - and if you have any questions please email: remy404@hotmail.com or <u>klocklin@gmail.com</u>

#### **Appreciation Corner**

A HUGE shout out to Jennifer O'Donnell and Kristine Locklin and their entire Mayfair committee for a fantastic job organizing the biggest event of the year at Bessborough! Thanks also to all the staff and parents who volunteered their time to make Mayfair a success. Everyone had fun and lots of money was raised for the school. Great job!

Visit<u>www.bessboroughhomeandschool.com</u> now for details on all of this and more!

Thank you and have an amazing week!