

PRINCIPAL: Z. VALERIO

Bladyon Public School

IMPORTANT DATES

- Nov. 8– Euterpe-Music is Key Performance, K-5
- Nov. 11–Remembrance Day Assembly AM
- Nov.16– Progress Reports sent home
- Nov. 17-Parent/Teacher Interviews, 4-7pm
- Nov. 18-Parent/Teacher Interviews AM only, NO school
- Nov. 24– Dental screening grades kdg, 2 & 4
- Dec. 2– PA Day/NO School
- Dec. 5-9 Scholastic Book Fair
- Dec. 6– School Council Mtg, 6pm Virtual
- Dec.22– Holiday cookie & hot chocolate treat
- Dec.23– Last day of instruction



NOVEMBER 2022

Principal's Message

The first part of Term 1 has finished and it was wonderful to have in-person Parent/Teacher interviews once again. It's invaluable to collaborate together to discuss our students' strengths and next steps towards achieving academic and well-being success.

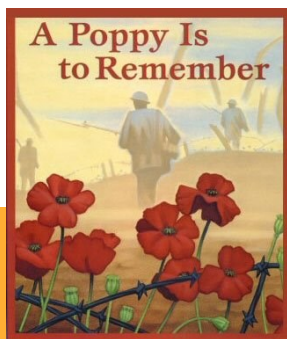
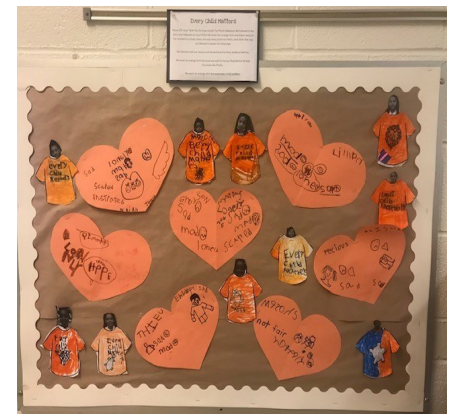
September and October were lots of fun at **Bladyon!** Students and staff participated in the annual Terry Fox Walk, Truth & Reconciliation activities, cross country, our yummy corn roast & Curriculum Night. We also had a very meaningful Remembrance Day assembly in November in person once again.

Thank-you to all of our parents who joined us at the first School Council Meeting on October 27th. By acclamation, our elected representatives are:

- Genevieve Keats– Co-Chair
- Ashley Flarity– Co-Chair
- Tracey Ann Miller– Treasurer

We look forward to seeing our parents at our next school council meeting on December 6th.

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Schoolyard Supervision

The schoolyard is supervised for students in Grades 1-5 from 8:30-8:43 a.m., 12:15-12:30p.m. and 3:20-3:30 p.m. and during recess times. Students are not to arrive to school before these supervised times and are encouraged to go home immediately after school dismissal. Thank-you for your cooperation!



Safe Arrival Program

If your child will be absent, please call the school at 416-395-2070 and leave a message with your child's name, classroom and reason for absence.

This voice message system is available 24 hours per day, 7 days per week.

CANDY CANE GRAMS

The parent school council is organizing a candy cane gram where students can purchase a candy cane and write a positive message to a friend, teacher or family member for \$0.50. All funds collected will go to the Nutrition Program. The candy canes will be sold from November 23-December 21st and will be delivered to students every Friday.



FUN AT BLAYDON!



Medication

As per TDSB policy, written consent needs to be obtained by the parent and medical doctor for school staff to administer any medication. Please connect with the office if you require an *Administration of Prescribed Medication* form. At no time, is it allowed for students to carry advil/tylenol or cough syrup, etc in their knapsacks. For the safety of all students, medication can only be administered in the school office and when the consent form is completed.



COVID Information

TDSB emailed to all parents a letter from Toronto Public Health regarding health and safety measures as we return to school. Please take time to read the letter thoroughly. Here are a few reminder points:

Your child is encouraged to:

- ☑ **Stay home when sick** to prevent the spread of infections.
- ☑ **Complete the TPH School Screening Tool or Provincial School Screening Tool** each day before arriving at school. Translated resources will be available.
- ☑ **Clean their hands often and cover their cough.**
- ☑ **Stay up-to-date on vaccinations:**
- ☑ **Masking:** Masking is highly recommended to be worn indoors.

BLAYDON PUBLIC SCHOOL

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 Trustee of Education: Alexandra Lulka
 School Council Chairs: Genevieve Keats & Ashley Flarity

