

PRINCIPAL: Z. VALERIO

Bladyon Public School



NOVEMBER 2023

IMPORTANT DATES

- Nov. 16-Parent/Teacher Interviews, 4-7pm
- Nov. 17-Parent/Teacher Interviews AM only, NO school
- Nov. 20- Vision screening grades kdg, 3 & 5
- Dec. 1- STEM Friday
- Dec. 8- PA Day, No School
- Dec.13- gingerbread house contest and winter treats hosted by school council
- Dec.14- School Council meeting in library 9am
- Dec. 21-Winter Craft afternoon hosted by school council
- Dec. 23-Jan. 7- Winter Break
- Jan. 8- School Resumes

Principal's Message

Thank-you to all of our parents who joined us at the first School Council Meeting on October 26th. By acclamation, our elected representatives are:

Genevieve Keats- Chairperson

Tracey Ann Miller- Treasurer

We look forward to seeing our parents at our next school council meeting on December 14th at 9:00am in the library. Join us for a light breakfast and school updates.

We hope parents will be able to meet their child's teacher on November 16 & 17 for Parent/Teacher interviews. Thank-you for your ongoing support as we partner together to help each child be successful in their learning.

The week of November 13th is recognized as Bullying Prevention Week. Here are some useful sites that parents may use at home with your child:

<https://www.ontario.ca/page/bullying-we-can-all-help-stop-it>

<https://www.prevnet.ca/cyberbullying>.

Are you looking for additional learning resources that you can use at home? Please visit the : <https://www.tdsb.on.ca/library>.

-Z. Valerio

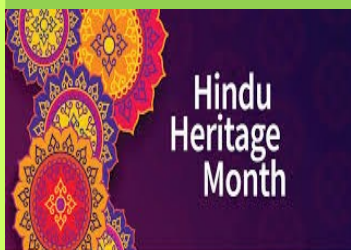
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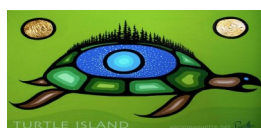
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HERITAGE MONTH

THE THEME IS: The world is one family!



November is Indigenous Education Month at the TDSB. This month provides an opportunity to centre First Nations, Métis and Inuit perspectives, histories and contemporary realities. In classrooms across the TDSB, it is an opportunity to learn about treaties, Indigenous leadership, achievements, and resistance.



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.

Through video, drama, and words, Blaydon students led our yearly Remembrance Day assembly.



Truth & Reconciliation and Orange Shirt Day



Students engaging in ongoing conversations about the significance of Truth & Reconciliation and Orange Shirt Day.

Autumn Fun

Before winter sets in along with the season's cold weather, students at Blaydon had some autumn fun with a pumpkin decorating contest and an autumn dance. Ms. Mak's grade 1 class won the contest and a pizza party!



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.



The National Ballet of Canada at Harbourfront



Mr. Little and Mr. Adil's junior classes had an exciting opportunity to see a ballet performance at the Harbourfront Performing Centre this past October.

BLAYDON PUBLIC SCHOOL

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- Superintendent: Domenic Giorgi
- Trustee of Education: Alexandra Lulka
- School Council Chair: Genevieve Keats

