

## **Denlow Public School**

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## From the Principal

November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Your child will be bringing their progress report card home on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>November 12<sup>th</sup></u>, <u>2019</u>. This report will inform you of the progress your child is making at this point in the year. The Term 1 *Provincial Report Card* that is sent home in February 2020 will have the overall achievement with marks for the various subject areas. All Junior & Senior Kindergarten students will also be receiving report cards three times a year called the *Kindergarten Communication of Learning*.

For the Gr. 1 - 5 Progress Report, the first page indicates how well your child is developing the learning skills and work habits that are essential for success in school. There should be examples related to the subject areas. The second page provides a report on your child's *overall progress* towards the achievement of curriculum expectations at this point in the school term which ends in February. Your child's teacher(s) will check one of the columns to show overall progress at this time of year. Generally, if a student is working at the level of the *provincial standard* in a particular subject area overall, the teacher will check off *progressing well*.

The next part of the reporting process, just as important, is having an interview with your child's classroom teachers. This is a chance for them to share information on your child's progress and it is an opportunity for you to share your insights. Each teacher has, or will be soon, making the interview time arrangements with their

classrooms. Next term, and year, we will be using a whole school online booking system for both teacher and parent convenience in booking interviews.

All teachers will do their best to keep to the interview timetable but we do need your help in achieving this goal. To ensure that the time you spend with your child's teacher is most productive, we ask that you please:

- Arrive on time and review your child's report card prior to the meeting
- Have specific areas of concern or questions, written down prior to the meeting
- Be aware of the 15 minute time line and other parents who are waiting their turn

# Other News at Denlow Book Fair in the Denlow Gym Next Week

The fair will begin on Tuesday, Nov. 12th and run until Friday, Nov., 15 at 11:00 a.m. Please note that we will be open late night on Wednesday, November 13th until 6:30 pm. Please drop by for a visit when you come for an interview. This support helps the Denlow Library and classrooms receive new books from the profits returned to Denlow.

# **Upcoming Dates to Know**

Mon. Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> 10:20 Remembrance Day Tues. Nov. 12<sup>th</sup> 9:15 a.m Trustee Rachel Chernos Lin

Parent Coffee Meeting at Longos on Laird Tues. – Fri.  $12^{th}$  –  $15^{th}$ Book Fair in the Gym Thurs., Nov. 13th & 14th Parent/Teacher Interviews Fri., Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> No School for Student Parent/Teacher interviews Wed. Nov. 20<sup>th</sup> Ward Meeting at York Mills Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> Chef a l'ecole Gr. 4/5s Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> 7:00 p.m. SAC Meeting - all welcome Fri., Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup> 6:00 Movie Night at Denlow Mon., Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> Performance Gr. 3 – 5s Tues., Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> Performance K - 2s

Nov.  $27^{th} - 29^{th}$  X-Movement K - 5s Thurs., Dec.  $5^{th}$  Raptors Game ! Gr. 2 - 5s Fri. Dec.  $6^{th}$  PA Day - no school

Friday, Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup> – PA Day – no school for students

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## Daily Bread Food Bank is in Need of Help

Please contribute to our We Club Food Drive which is now extended to November 18<sup>th</sup>

Consider bringing non perishable food items on your way to the Book Fair or your child's interview next week. Boxes in the front hall. Thank you!



## X Movement is Coming to Denlow!

We are thrilled to welcome the X MOVEMENT team to our school! Our students will be participating in an X DANCE experience.

X Movement will integrate the powerful Connected Movement Approach to Energize our school! Connected Movement is...

### **MOVEMENT**

Physical activity that makes you feel good, irrespective of ability.

#### **MINDFULNESS**

Using reflection to become aware of self, other and the world around you.

### **MATESHIP**

Building relationships through communication, equality and trust.

X Dance encourages students to understand where in the world they belong. They are asked to celebrate what makes them diverse. This is solidified with an 'I AM XTRA AWESOME' affirmation.

Celebrating others for their unique characteristics also has a large focus throughout the program with the affirmation "YOU ARE XTRA AWESOME!"

For more information on the program, please xmovement.com or Mrs. Gordon at school

## From SAC

Movie Night! The movie "Toy Story 4" rated G Fri., Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup>. Doors open at 6:00pm, movie at 6:30pm. Seating is first come, first served.

**How?** Order tickets online ONLY via School Cash Online www.schoolcashonline.com

**Cost?** \$10 per child. Admission for child includes one slice of pizza and popcorn.

- Additional pizza slices can be purchased at \$3/slice.
- Additional popcorn can be purchases at \$2/bag.
- Parent admission is free but not the food.

 The proceeds from this event will go towards the purchase of a large screen, projector, & audio improvements in the gym for future school events

### Ticket Info

- The admission list will be verified at the door please bring a copy of your School Cash Online receipt or be able to access it on your mobile.
- Ticket sales end on November 19<sup>th</sup> at noon. Tickets will NOT be sold at the door. Order your tickets online NOW and only through School Cash Online.
- Tickets are expected to sell out, as there is limited capacity in the gym.

## What to Bring

A refillable water bottle. Feel free to wear PJs and bring a pillow or blanket to get cozy. Additional food and snacks will be sold during the movie – but you can preorder via School Cash Online.

**Volunteers Needed for the Night of:** Please click here for volunteer opportunities the night of. **Other Important Info:** 

- Only Denlow students, their siblings and parents are permitted
- This is not a drop-off event. Parents are expected to supervise and be on site for the entire event.
- No refunds available
- No outside food is permitted additional food and snacks (no drinks) will be sold during the movie
- Each child will receive a raffle ticket for a draw to win a gift card from Mastermind.

**Questions?** If you have any questions, please contact our SAC Movie Night team at <a href="mailto:events@denlowparents.com">events@denlowparents.com</a>

## For School Cash Online:

Welcome to Movie Night. Please purchase your Admission Tickets as Tickets will not be sold at the door. Parent admission is free but not the food.

\$10/Admission per child (this includes a slice of pizza and a bag of popcorn)

Additional pizza slices can be purchased at \$3/slice. Additional popcorn can be purchases at \$2/bag.

Deadline for purchasing tickets is Tuesday, Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> by noon (unless we reach capacity).

### **Volunteers Needed!**

