

Halbert News Online

Week 22 - February 11, 2019
Character Trait: Fairness

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Kindergarten Registration – February 19 – 22

February 2019 is Kindergarten
Registration Month!

If your child is born in **2015** they are
able to attend Junior Kindergarten in
September 2019!

**Registration Package can be picked up
from the school!**

Please visit the Office.



Appreciation

A big thank you to our Parent Council Members who have been working with our Facility and Grounds Department in idealizing what our new Playground will be like.

Upcoming Dates / Events / Activities

- Feb 12 - Report Cards Sent Home
- Feb 13 - Room 14, 15, 1 and 7 to the ROM
- Feb 14 - Parent Teacher Interviews
- Feb 14 - PEP Session # 1
- Feb 15 - Parent Teacher Interviews / PA Day
- Feb 18 - Family Day
- Feb 19 to 22 - Kindergarten Registration Week
- Feb 21 - PEP Session # 2
- Feb 28 - Pep Session # 3
- Mar 4 - HOZA Djembe Instruction

Report Card Timelines

- Feb 12 - Kindergarten Communication of Learning sent home
- Feb 12 - Gr 1 - 6 1st Term Report Card sent home
- Feb 14 - Parent/Teacher Interview (evening)
- Feb 15 - Parent/Teacher Interview (morning)

LC 3 Math Symposium

Save the date and join families throughout Scarborough in the 2nd LC 3 Math Symposium!

Saturday, April 6, 2019
Woburn Collegiate Institute

 **TDSB LC3 Math Symposium**

JOIN US: Math In Our Lives

Saturday, April 6, 2019
Time: 10:00-11:30 & 12:30-2:00
Woburn Collegiate Institute
(2222 Ellesmere Road, Scarborough)



If you have children in the

Early Years (Infant to Grade 1)	Primary / Junior (Grade 2-4)	Junior / Intermediate (Grade 5-8)
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come learn together.

We welcome all parents, families and children , community groups, and educators for a day of hands on mathematics fun.

The greater the support that families provide for their children's learning and educational progress, the more likely that their children will do well in school and continue on with their education.

Karen Mapp and Anne Henderson, 2002 *A New Wave of Evidence: The Impact of School, Family, and Community Connections on Student Achievement*

Family Fun at Queen's Park



A promotional poster for a family event. The background is a light blue gradient with several small white snowflake icons. At the top, the words "family" and "FUN" are written in a playful, bubbly font. "family" is blue and "FUN" is green. To the right of this, a purple circle contains the word "FREE!" in white. Below the main title, the text "@ the Legislative Assembly of Ontario" is written in purple. A list of activities is shown in the center, each preceded by a small blue snowflake icon. At the bottom, a yellow rounded rectangle contains the date, times, and registration information. The very bottom of the poster features a stylized illustration of a large, multi-story building with many windows and a central clock tower, representing Queen's Park.

family FUN **FREE!**
@ the Legislative Assembly of Ontario

- Learn How Parliament Works
- Go on a Scavenger Hunt
- Create a Craft

Saturday, February 16th, 2019
Mornings: 10:00 am to 12:00 pm
Afternoons: 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm
Registration required
Call 416-325-0061 or email tourbookings@ola.org

Our Grade 5 students have dedicated one of Halbert's doors to Viola Desmond in celebration of February as Black History and African Heritage Month.



The Grade 6s enjoyed a beautiful view of Toronto high atop the CN Tower.



Chicka Chicka Boom Boom!

Can you balance the
letters?



Parents as Partners Conference

The Parents as Partners Conference 2019 is on **Saturday, March 30** and all parents are welcome!

This free conference – planned by parents, for parents – includes a variety of workshops and resources that will help any parent support their child in their achievement and well-being at school and at home.

This year's keynote speaker is Karl Subban, a former TDSB principal and the father of five children, including three NHL hockey players.

Transportation, food and translators are all provided, as well as free day camp for children ages 4-12 to support participants attending the conference. Registration opens mid-February at www.parentspartners.ca

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**We are an Allergy
Aware School.**



Please **do not** send any **peanuts** or **tree nuts** (e.g., almonds, cashews, hazelnuts, etc.) shellfish or any products **made with** or **made of** peanuts or tree nuts (e.g., chocolate almonds, chocolate bars with nuts, nutella, etc.) or shellfish for lunch or as a snack.

Our Parent Council 18/19



Chair – **Ms. Ramsay**

Vice Chair – **Ms. Chung**

Treasurer – **Ms. Tassie**

Secretary – **Ms. Tunney**

Community Outreach – **Ms. Williamson**

Elected Parent Members – **Ms. Bergeron, Ms. Guerrero,
Ms. Smith**

E-Mail the Chair: leann.ramsay@tdsb.on.ca

Safe Arrival Program

A reminder to call school if your child will be late or absent.

One measure of keeping our students safe is to ensure we can account for any absences or reasons for being late to school. If your child is going to be absent or late for any reason, we ask that you contact the school immediately and report the reason for the absence.

416-396-3298

Safe Arrival Phone Number

Halbert's EarlyON Child and Family Centre

The EarlyON Child and Family Centre is a program for parents and caregivers with children from infants to 6 years of age. This FREE program is located in Room # 9.

Daily activities include family story and music time, art, sand and water play, gym time and a nutritious snack.

Please visit the centre whenever you can and participate in an enjoyable play based program.

Mondays – Thursdays 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM

