

HIGHLAND HEIGHTS JUNIOR PUBLIC SCHOOL & JEAN AUGUSTINE GIRLS' LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

MARCH NEWSLETTER

(At Highland Heights)

September 24, 2014 | Strong Together

BUILD CHARACTER BUILD SUCCESS

Every month we have a Recognition Assembly and highlight the TDSB Character Trait of the month. Although one character trait is celebrated for the month Highland Heights recognizes how important it is to always remember to be kind and caring, responsible, helpful, respectful, persevere, be honest, have integrity, demonstrate empathy, be co-operative and play fair. . . every day!

OCTOBER CHARACTER TRAIT: RESPONSIBILITY

"Curiously enough, it is often the people who refuse to assume any responsibility who are apt to be the sharpest critics of those who do." (Eleanor Roosevelt)

UPCOMING EVENTS

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| Oct 1 | Scientist in School
Room 208 Ms Panopoulos |
| Oct 6 | School Council 6:30-8:00pm
Library, Childcare provided |
| Oct 8 | Literacy Night 6:00-7:00pm
101 Ms Jaswal 102 Ms Laidla
103 Ms Wetzel 201 Ms Chowdhry
107 Ms Gupta 108 Ms Mattison |
| Oct 13 | Thanksgiving – No School |
| Oct 14 | MSIC Vision Clinic |
| Oct 15 | Literacy Night 6:00-7:00pm
206 Ms Ho 207 Mr Dyce
208 Ms Panopoulos
302 Ms Smith 304 Ms Colby |
| Oct 28 | Grade 8 transition to Grade 9
"Choices for Nine" 6:30pm @
John Buchan Senior Public School |
| Oct 29 | Picture Retake Day |

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Welcome to the new families at Highland Heights Jr and Jean Augustine Girls' Leadership Academy and welcome back to our returning families. Please join me in welcoming a new member of staff, Ms P Ho who will be teaching the Primary/Junior Intermediate Home School Class.

It was great to see the many families at Curriculum Night and we look forward to seeing you again for our Family Literacy Night in October. Look out for your invitations. Translators will be available.

The 2014- 2015 School Council Executive is:

Co- chairs	Naureen Khan & Rakhi Henderson
Secretary	Amy Virgin
Treasurer	Omar Ha-Redeye

Please join us at the next meeting on October 6, at 6:30 pm in the Library. Child minding is provided.

As a Model School some of our students will have Vision Screening in October. If you would like to access the Model Schools Hearing Screening please contact the office.

What is new and exciting at HHJPS and JAGLA this year? All students will be going to the Ontario Science Centre, every class will have a Scientist in Schools and Prologue Performing Arts will be here.

Please keep our children safe on the streets. Walking to school is encouraged. If you do drive please obey the street signs, drop your children off on the school side of the street and remind your children to check for cars.

Students arriving at school on time is a great start to the school day. Students arriving at 8:30 am will have 10 minutes to play with school mates before the entry bell rings. Teachers are on duty at 8:30 a.m. Help us achieve 100% punctuality.

I am looking forward to another awesome year working together with students, families, staff and our community partners.

Susan Lai
Principal

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Room 107	Ms Gupta	JK/SK
Room 108	Ms Mattison & Ms Chelliah	JK/SK JK/SK
Room 101	Ms Jaswal	Grade 1 / 2
Room 103	Ms Wetzel	Grade 1 / 2
Room 102	Ms Laidla	Grade 2 / 3
Room 201	Ms Chowdhry	HSP Pri/Junior
Room 202	Ms Stojanovic	Health / PE & Literacy
Room 203	Ms Hughes	French
Room 206	Ms Ho Ms Maragh	HSP Junior HSP Junior
Room 207	Mr Dyce	Grade 3 / 4
Room 208	Ms Panopoulos	Grade 5 / 6
Room 104	Ms Zhang	Music / Library
Room 204	Ms Barlas	ESL

Jean Augustine Girls' Leadership Academy

Room 304	Ms Colby	Grades 4 / 5 / 6
Room 302	Ms Smith	Grade 7 / 8
Room 301	Ms Hughes	French

GUIDANCE NEWS

My name is Rita Gill and I am an Elementary Itinerant Guidance Counsellor for ER19.

Important information about moving onto high school will be shared at the **"Choices for Nine"** Information evening. I am looking forward to seeing you (and your child) **Tuesday, October 28th at 6:30 at John Buchan Sr PS, in the Library.** John Buchan is located at 2450 Birchmount Road.

Come and learn about key dates, timelines, Optional Attendance procedures, Secondary School programs and requirements, Secondary School Open House dates and times, Course Selection and much more.

TERRY FOX RUN

Students have been learning about Terry Fox. We had our joint Terry Fox Run today, Wednesday September 24. Students ran and walked for 30 minutes to raise money for the Terry Fox Marathon of Hope (Cancer Research).



BREAKFAST PROGRAM

Breakfast is served every morning by staff and volunteers. The program is open from 8:00am– 8:25am.

We request that students donate 50c or more per meal to help us ensure that we continue the program that serves food that is delicious and nutritious.



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