

Muirhead Newsletter



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Upcoming Events:

Blue and White Day

March 1

Sewing Day

March 5

March Break

March 11 - 15

Pizza Pizza

March 22

Grad Photos

March 26

Wacky Hat/Hair Day

March 28

Good Friday

March 29 (no school)

Principal's Message

As we wait for the arrival of spring and the new opportunities it brings, we are excited to celebrate the updates and events that took place in February. First, we want to thank staff and students for their participation and energy during lunch intramurals, knitting, ECO and art clubs continue to bring out a lot of passion and excitement from our students. I want to extend a huge thank you to the staff who generously give their time to support learning outside of the classroom. I want to acknowledge and thank our Parent Council for organizing pizza, subway and patty days, along with snack shack. There is a lot of work behind the scenes and our students look forward to the events. Finally, we are very fortunate to have healthy snacks each day. A huge thank you to the parent volunteers and our nutrition coordinators Natalia and Rinkan.

Our students and staff continue their learning journey as part of our School Improvement Plans, integrating Indigenous Education, arts and Equity into our learning.



Reminders:

Please clock in at the office if your child is late. Also, we kindly ask families to not park your vehicle in the staff parking lot as we had to address some safety issues as a result of parents or guardians parking in the lot.

Have a wonderful March Break!

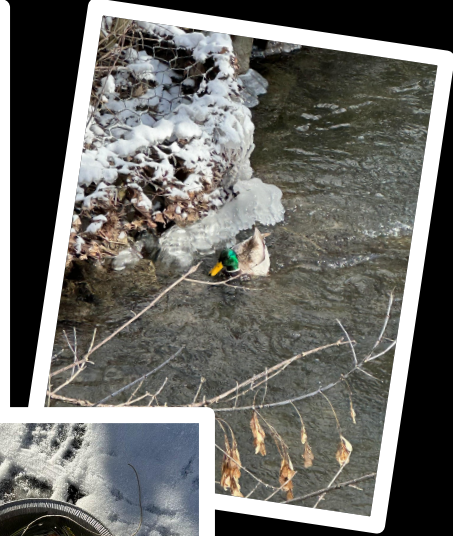
Victor Tran

What is happening in grade 1/2A?

Students in Ms. Sims class have been on two trips this year so far; Forest Valley and Harbourfront. We have been working hard on addition and subtraction strategies with single, double and three digit numbers. We have been investigating maps, countries of the world and oceans. Students are very excited to use maps and locate a variety of countries that are important to them.

We have been reading many books about trees and investigating the importance of trees on people, animals and forests. We have been looking at the Amazon rainforest and how that ecosystem affects the rest of the world.

Our Trip to Forest Valley



Forest Valley



“We are one of nine outdoor education centres within the Toronto District School Board designed to provide safe, active and enriching learning experiences by immersing students and staff in natural and urban environments and to enable participants to practice personal responsibility and develop respect for themselves, for others and for their world.

Each year, more than 17,000 students from over 170 schools visit Forest Valley OEC with their classroom teachers and parent volunteers. Teachers collaborate with our Outdoor Education Staff to create an experiential, inquiry based, learning experience that brings the Ontario Curriculum to life and strengthens our connection to the natural world that coexists with Toronto's urban environment.

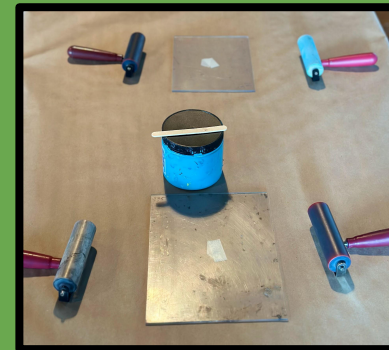
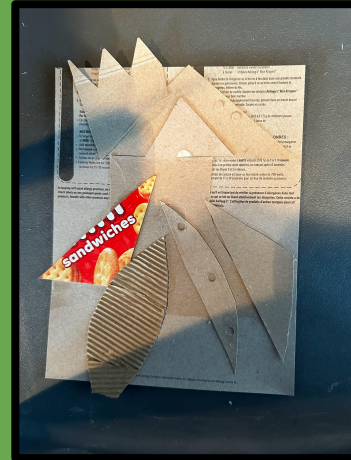
Our mission is to connect with student's previous learning and ignite their sense of wonder by connecting with nature so that they are inspired to take action to make their world a better place.” <https://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/forestvalley>

Our trip to Harbourfront



Printmaking

Printmaking is an artistic process based on the principle of transferring images from a matrix onto another surface, most often paper or fabric. Traditional printmaking techniques include woodcut, etching, engraving, and lithography, while modern artists have expanded available techniques to include screenprinting.



Math in Grade 1/2A

Mathematics included more than just adding and subtracting numbers. Here are some Art creations made using Tangram puzzle pieces. Each Tangram set has 7 pieces. We combined our Art and Math skills to create "Tangram Animals"

