



# Rolph Road ES Newsletter

April 13, 2023

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## Thank you to all Pizza Lunch Volunteers!



## Division 1 & Division 2 Volleyball Tournaments

Thank you very much to coaches Andrew Edmonds, Angie Massos and Adam Whitaker for an awesome volleyball season! Our Division 2 Co-Ed Volleyball team played extremely hard at Wednesday's tournament at Bessborough EMS. Our players faced some very competitive teams, and in some cases more experienced players. Excellent job and teamwork. Your coaches and our whole school are all so proud of your commitment and hard work!



Our Division 1 Co-ed volleyball team had a great day of volleyball on Thursday at St. Andrews MS. This fantastic group of grade 5's and 6's were up for a challenge and moved up to Division 1, and wow the competition was fierce! However, our Road Runners demonstrated the true spirit of a Rolph Road athlete, persevering through tough calls, staying positive and energetic through 4 back-to-back games, and pushing several other excellent teams to a third set. Your coaches are extremely proud of the work you put in during our practices and the composure you demonstrated throughout the tournament. Mr. Whitaker even had a random parent come up to him after the tournament to congratulate our team on their fantastic sportsmanship and all-around positivity. Way to go Road Runners, your coaches and the entire school are all very proud of you! 1,2,3...Bernoulli!!!!



- April 17 – Orthodox Easter Monday
- April 18 – Kindergarten Field Trip to Young Peoples Theatre
- April 20 – School Support Team Meetings all morning.
- April 22 – Earth Day (United Nations)
- April 22 – Earth Day Clean Up Celebration at Seton Park
- April 25 – Grade 6 Graduation Photo **RETAKES** from 1:00 to 3:00 PM.
- April 26 – Rolph Road Blue Jays Day (vs. Chicago White Sox)
- April 26 – Virtual Evening Session for Parents with Social Worker Janine Lawford
- May 2 & 3 – Toronto Public Health Dental Screening (JK/SK and Grade 2)
- May 4 – Rolph Road Literacy Night (5:30 to 7:30 PM)
- May 11 & 12 – Little Mermaid evening performances in the Gym.
- May 15-19 – Grade 3 and Grade 6 EQAO
- June 8 – Rolph Road Fun Fair
- June 21 – Grade 6 Graduation Ceremony
- June 23 – Kindergarten to Grade 6 Play Day
- June 26 – RAIN DATE for Kindergarten to Grade 6 Play Day

## Mental Health and Well-Being

The TDSB Professional Support Services team offers weekly virtual drop-in times where you can connect directly with a staff member to help answer questions and provide support to help you and your child.

More information is available [HERE](#).





## Earth Day Clean Up Celebration

Don't Mess with the Don is a local non-profit committed to protecting and enhancing the natural heritage of the Don Valley and Toronto ravine. Rolph Road has been invited to join Don't Mess with the Don for their Earth Day clean up celebration at ET Seton Park on April 22 from 10am to 1pm.

It's a great opportunity to get out with your children and teach them about volunteering. Kids of all ages are encouraged to participate. To help track numbers please contact Heather McKelvey at [hmckelvey1@gmail.com](mailto:hmckelvey1@gmail.com) to register in advance, if possible.

## 2023-2024 SAC and Home & School Positions

Please contact our current School Advisory Council Chair, Cara Brown if you are interested in taking on this leadership role next year. Email [Cara.Brown@tdsb.on.ca](mailto:Cara.Brown@tdsb.on.ca) for more information.

Rolph Road Home and School Association Co-Chair Machteld Gamble's and Co-Chair Ashley Grant's term is also ending. Please email [rolphroadhomeandschool@gmail.com](mailto:rolphroadhomeandschool@gmail.com) if you are interested in learning about the important work of the Home and School Association and applying for these positions.

## 2023 Rolph Road Fun Fair

This year's Fun Fair is on Thursday June 8<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 to 8:00 PM.



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