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# Sir William Osler High School Soaring Eagle Update

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Dear Osler Community,

It is hard to believe it is October already! We are looking forward to a soccer trip on October 12<sup>th</sup> and our next Book Fair from October 23<sup>rd</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup>. Students are very excited that our swim program is starting again soon – **our first swim day has been changed to Wednesday, October 18**<sup>th</sup>.

Thursday, October 5<sup>th</sup> marked World Educators' Day, and we sincerely thank all our Osler staff for their dedication to supporting students.

Monday, October 9<sup>th</sup> is the Thanksgiving Day Statutory Holiday. No classes will be held this day.

We are always here to discuss any questions or concerns with you. We hope you have a great weekend!

Ian BainJennifer RochonPrincipalVice-Principal

Monday	Monday Tuesday		day	Thursday	Friday	
Oct 9	Oct 10		Oct 11	Oct 12	Oct 13	
Thanksgiving Holiday (no classes)	World Mental Health Day			Division 6 Soccer		
Oct 16	Oct 17		Oct 18	Oct 19	Oct 20	
Thanksgiving Holiday (no classes)	IEPs sent home	Swim Program Begins School Council Meeting & Elections 7pm			Spirit Day: Hat Day	
Thursday, October 26th: Family-Staff Interviews (1pm Dismissal)				Thursday, November 9 <sup>th</sup> : Photo Retake Day		

Thursday, October 26th: Family-Staff Interviews (1pm Dismissal) Thursday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>: 2023 Commencement (1pm Dismissal) Monday, November 6<sup>th</sup>: 1pm Dismissal (Staff Meeting/PLC)

Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup>: Photo Retake Day Friday, November 17<sup>th</sup>: PA Day (no classes for students)

Calendar dates may change due to unforeseen circumstances, please see website for up-to-date events.

# **School Councils**

Welcome back to the 2023-2024 school year!!

School Councils work to improve student achievement and to enhance the accountability of the education system. As collaborators in education, schools and School Councils recognize that all parents/caregivers have an equitable place in our schools' community, free from racism, classism, and other isms, intentional or unintentional.

Osler's School Council will be holding our first meeting of the year on Wednesday, October 18<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in the Osler Library. We encourage our Osler families to attend and to be part of this year's conversations. Council Elections will also be held at this meeting. Please see attached flyer for election details and the nomination form.

### **Lost & Found**

We have a Lost & Found at Osler that is brimming with unmarked items. We ask families to please mark your child's belongings with their name to assist us in returning anything that is lost. If you are aware of an item your child has lost that is not marked, please reach out to the school with a description.

## Family/Staff Interviews: Thursday, October 26th

On October 26<sup>th</sup>, we will once again be hosting Family/Staff Interviews from 5pm to 8pm. We will follow a 1pm Dismissal schedule on this day.

More details will be coming soon. The following agencies will be on hand to speak with families:

- Ontario Disability Support Program <a href="https://www.ontario.ca/page/ontario-disability-support-program">https://www.ontario.ca/page/ontario-disability-support-program</a>
- Developmental Services Ontario <a href="https://www.dsontario.ca/">https://www.dsontario.ca/</a>
- Corbrook https://corbrook.com/
- The Wellspring Centre <a href="https://www.thespring.ca/">https://www.thespring.ca/</a>
- JVS Toronto <a href="https://www.jvstoronto.org/home/">https://www.jvstoronto.org/home/</a>
- Sunflower Developmental Services https://www.sunflowerrcs.com/
- Post 21 <a href="https://post21.ca/">https://post21.ca/</a>
- Extend a Family https://www.extendafamily.ca/
- Cherish Integrated Services <a href="https://cherishis.org/">https://cherishis.org/</a>

### **Jake's House Employment Expo**

Jake's House provides practical help and lasting hope to families living with autism and is addressing unemployment rates in the autism community through **The Jake's House Employment Expo on Thursday, October 12**<sup>th</sup>.

**The Jake's House Employment Expo** is an inclusive job fair that is designed as a safe, supportive, and relaxed environment for candidates with autism or developmental disabilities to learn valuable professional skills and connect with inclusive employment partners.

### **Event Details:**

Thursday, October 12th, 2023 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Woodbine Banquet Hall 30 Vice Regent Blvd - Etobicoke, ON - M9W 7A4

Join us by registering **HERE** 

To learn more, please visit: <u>Jake's House Employment Expo</u>