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Sir William Osler High School Soaring Eagle Update

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Dear Osler Community,

It has been a great week at Osler! Our students had a wonderful time at the Trolls movie on Thursday. Our Best Buddies also had a fantastic outing on Tuesday. Mid-term reports were also sent home this week, both in hard copy and electronically – if you have any questions about your child's report, please reach out to their teacher.

We have also been talking about Bullying Awareness and Prevention this week. Part of our school-wide events is the Caught You Caring challenge, where students are given stickers to wear if they are "caught" by a staff member doing something kind. Students are also entered into a prize draw – we drew some prizes on Friday, and we will have another draw on December 1st to finish up the 2-week challenge. It is amazing to see so many students thinking about what it means to be caring towards others.

We are always available to discuss any questions or concerns you may have. We wish you a wonderful ending to the month of November!

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Nov 27	Nov 28	Nov 29	Nov 30	Dec 1
		Swim Day		
Dec 4	Dec 5	Dec 6 Swim Day	Dec 7	Dec 8
1pm Dismissal (Staff Meeting/PLC)		National Day of Remembrance and Action on Violence Against Women	Girls Basketball Fest	
ednesday. December 13th: Sch	nool Council Meeting	Tuesday, Decen	nber 19 th : Best Buddies Bo	owling Trip

Wednesday, December 13th: School Council Meeting Friday, December 15th: Festive Brunch & Holiday Dance

Tuesday, December 19th: Best Buddies Bowling Trip Friday, December 22nd: Last day of classes before Winter Break

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

Free Parent/Caregiver Online Workshop - November 29th from 6:30 - 7:30 PM

It can be challenging to sort fact from fiction online, and an increase in hate speech, alongside ChatGPT and other artificial intelligence tools, have made it even harder. This <u>virtual workshop</u> is designed to help parents and caregivers learn simple skills for spotting misinformation in the context of social media platforms and AI.

To register, visit: www.ctrl-f.ca/en/TDSB

Registration is free and will be limited to 300 spots.

This session is a repeat of the April and October 2203 sessions.

Presenters

- Kim Davidson is a teacher-librarian and digital media literacy specialist who has been with TDSB for 22 years. She is also a member of CIVIX's Board of Directors.
- Ken Boyd is Director of Education at CIVIX, a charity dedicated to building the habits and skills of active and informed citizenship among youth.