

# Sir William Osler High School

## Soaring Eagle Update

15 December 2023

Dear Osler Community,

The excitement is growing every day as the Break gets closer! This week we enjoyed our annual Festive Brunch, which is a beloved Osler tradition. It was great to see everyone's "Holiday Shirts" and the dance was as fun as ever. What an amazing Friday!

Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, was our School Council meeting. Thank you to everyone who attended and contributed to the terrific discussion. Council is planning several family/caregiver events for the new year, so please stay tuned!

IEPs have been updated for Term 2 and you should receive one for your child electronically soon. Please reach out to your child's teacher with any questions about the IEP.

We wish you a wonderful weekend!

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Dec 18	Dec 19	Dec 20	Dec 21	Dec 22
	Best Buddies Bowling Trip	Swim Day	Talent Show Viewing	Locker Cleanout  Last day of classes before Break
<b>Winter Break (December 23<sup>rd</sup> – January 7<sup>th</sup>)</b>				
Jan 8	Jan 9	Jan 10	Jan 11	Jan 12
Classes resume		Swim Day		
Monday, January 15 <sup>th</sup> : Early Dismissal (Staff Meeting/PLC) January 22 <sup>nd</sup> to 26 <sup>th</sup> : IPRC Level 1 Meetings		Wednesday, January 31 <sup>st</sup> : Last day of Semester 1 Thursday, February 1 <sup>st</sup> : PA Day (no classes)		

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

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## Food Drive

We are once again collecting donations for our Osler Food Pantry. Any items can be dropped off in the box by the Main Office. Donations will be added to our Pantry which supports Osler students and their families.

We are especially in need of the following items:

- Deodorant
- Laundry Soap
- Shampoo
- Cookies/Snacks
- Canned Chicken/Ham/Meat (other than tuna)
- Canned vegetables
- Ready-to-serve Soups
- Peanut Butter
- Jam/Spread
- Macaroni & Cheese
- Juice boxes
- Pudding Cups/Fruit Cups

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## Winter Weather

From time to time, it may be necessary to cancel student transportation, classes, and/or programs because of [severe weather](#). On rare occasions, severe weather makes it necessary to close schools, administrative offices, or sites. Visit the website to learn about [Snow/Cold Weather](#) and the [Procedure for Severe Weather](#).

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## Literacy Strategy Consultation

TDSB is developing a Kindergarten to Grade 12 Literacy Strategy that will set the direction, priorities, and goals for learning and teaching literacy over the next three years. We want to hear from you! TDSB parents/guardians/caregivers are invited to share feedback anonymously through the [Literacy Strategy Consultation survey](#). The survey will remain open until Monday, December 18, 2023.

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## Learn4Life Adult Community Programs - Winter 2024 Registration Now Open!

Open to adults 18 years of age and seniors, the Learn4Life program offers a unique and valuable opportunity to pursue interests, expand knowledge, and engage in lifelong learning. New courses this term include: Adventures in Photography, Create Your Own Natural Cosmetics, De-Stress and Relax, Pastry Arts for Everyone, Golf Training Program, and Afrobeat Aerobics. [Visit Learn4Life's program page for more information.](#)

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## Project Search Open House

Project Search is a unique program for students with intellectual disabilities who have the desire to prepare for the world of work. Project Search is available to students who are 18 years and above and are enrolled in school. We are now recruiting students for September 2024. Project Search is a year long program. There will be 2 information sessions for students and families happening in January. We would appreciate schools sharing this information with their communities if appropriate:

Project Search Open House

1. Virtual - Thursday, January 18th from 6:30-7:30pm
2. In-person at Holland-Bloorview - Thursday, January 25th from 6:30-7:30

Please register to attend a session by completing [this google form](#). More information about Project Search can be found in [this flyer](#).

Further inquiries can be directed to [projectsearchtoronto@tdsb.on.ca](mailto:projectsearchtoronto@tdsb.on.ca) or please visit [www.projectsearchtoronto.ca](http://www.projectsearchtoronto.ca)