

SUNNYLEA JUNIOR SCHOOL



KEY DATES – SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR 2025-2026

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Sunnylea Update - Sept. 19, 2025

Monday, September 22 Day 5	Cross Country - 8:15 a.m.(must be signed up to attend) Jungle Sport Begins Girls Soccer at lunch Welcome Fall!
Tuesday, September 23 Day 1	Grade 4/5 Boys Soccer at lunch First Day of Rosh Hashanah
Wednesday, September 24 Day 2	Cross Country - 8:15 Lunch Lady Girls Soccer at lunch
Thursday, September 25 Day 3	Grade 4/5 Boys Soccer at lunch Last Day to Order Pizza
Friday, September 26	P.A. Day - No school for students

Jungle Sport

Next week at Sunnylea, we will host Jungle Sport which is an exciting activity which will transform our Gym into a jungle of climbing, swinging and fun! **Please Note:** Students **MUST** wear running shoes in order to participate. Sandals, flip flops or crocs are not permitted for safety reasons.

Parent Council Highlights - Sept. 17

The full meeting minutes will be approved by the council and published on the school website following our October meeting. The below is a brief summary of the topics discussed and outcomes. If you have any follow up questions, please reach out to Loriann Halliday or Principal Tratnik.

- Council Roles: We are seeking a new co-chair and co-treasurer for the upcoming school term. The fundraising team is also looking for support in leading individual initiatives throughout the year.
- Class Reorganization: Principal Tratnik shared the details of the board-mandated student reallocation due to enrollment caps. Changes will take effect on Monday, September 22nd.

- Kindergarten Yard: We have follow up questions about proposed equipment which Principal Tratnik will raise before our October meeting where we hope to vote on a plan and fundraising target to improve the yard.
- Chromebooks: The school currently has enough Chromebooks for all of the grade 2-5 students even though the grade 5 1:1 Chromebook program is on pause. Following discussions in May and June of 2025, the school staff have decided not to offer Chromebooks during indoor recesses and will instead focus on art projects, board games, card games, and other non-digital activities.
- We reviewed the currently running and upcoming extracurricular activities, including cross country, grade 4/5 soccer, Junglesport, and upcoming field trips.
- We reviewed the Treasurer's Report. It was noted that our available funds are lower than in past years, but this is because we proactively approved a number of items for the 2025-26 school year in advance during our June meeting so that staff could begin procurement and booking. It also does not yet reflect fundraisers for the year, such as pizza lunch.
- Upcoming and ongoing fundraising activities were discussed, including pizza lunch, spirit wear, the Costume Boo-Tique, and Fresh from the Farm.
- The idea of allowing an additional optional enrichment program during lunch or after school was discussed. We are going to reach out to the vendor about scheduling and vote at the October meeting on this topic.

Costume Sale - Donation Request: Halloween Costumes & Accessories

The Sunnylea Parent Council is excited to bring back the Halloween Costume Boo-Tique this year as a fundraiser for enrichment programs for all grades. It's also a great way to reuse costumes and reduce waste. Please drop off your gently used and clean Halloween costumes and accessories to the marked bin in the front entryway to school by October 3rd. And, save the date for shopping at the boo-tique on October 8th from 3:30-5:30 pm. We are also looking for volunteers to help sort the costumes and run the sale. Please reach out to Alex Smith (alexsmith1104@gmail.com) if you can pitch in!

Cross Country Update

Please note there will be **NO** training practice on Friday, September 26th because of the P.A Day. The competition dates and times are listed below.

Friday, October 3 @ Centennial Park (Grades 1 – 8)- Qualifier #1

Thursday, October 23 @Centennial Park (Grades 3-8) * West Conference Finals + Barrier Free Meet**

Wednesday, October 29 @ Sunnybrook Park (Grades 4-8)* City Championship**

October 3rd Schedule

10:30 Grade 1 Girls 1000m
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10:50 Grade 2 Girls 1000m
11:00 Grade 2 Boys 1000m
11:10 Grade 3 Girls 1500m
11:20 Grade 3 Boys 1500m

11:40 Grade 4 Girls 2000m
11:55 Grade 4 Boys 2000m
12:10 Grade 5 Girls 2000m
12:25 Grade 5 Boys 2000m

Please ensure that you have completed the E.M.A on-line permission form by Sun. Sept. 21st. Firm deadline. Students in grade 1-5 are **not permitted to participate** in practice without it completed

<https://parent.ema.tdsb.on.ca/#/>

Furthermore, our coaches must register each athlete (grade 3-5) for the West Conference Qualifying Meet with the TDESAA organizing committee on Tuesday. Those who have not completed the E.M.A form **will not be eligible to participate** as registration closes. No exceptions.

Terry Fox - 45 years of the Marathon of Hope!

It's the 45th anniversary of Terry Fox's Marathon of Hope. This year, our school is going to fundraise for cancer research! We're super excited to take part! Please support our student's fundraising efforts and donate today at:

<https://schools.terryfox.ca/SunnyleaPSEtobicoke> Thank you for keeping Terry's dream alive!

UPCOMING DATES:

Sept. 22 - 25 - Jungle Sport in the Gym (no crocs or sandals)

Sept. 26 - P.A. Day

Sept. 29 - Sunnylea Terry Fox Presentation @ 1:30 followed by the Terry Fox Walk/Run

September 30 - Orange Shirt Day

October 1 - PHOTO DAY 😊

Oct. 3 - Pizza Lunch, Cross Country Meet

