

Hopewell Avenue Public School Message – June 28th, 2023



Dear Hopewell Families,

This is our final communication of the 2022-2023 school year. It has been an amazing year of learning together. We could not have done it without our incredible school community and thank you for all of your support. Our school team is so proud to support your children each and every day.

#HAPShots are below... take a look at some of our last week of school highlights :).

Today Term Two Report Cards and Communications of Learning were released today. Families should have received an email with details about how to access these reports. If you did not receive this information, please contact our school office for assistance at 613-239-2348. Please note, our office closes for the summer tomorrow and will re-open on Monday, August 28th.

On Monday we honoured our Class of 2023 with a special Leaving Ceremony. While we will miss our amazing grade eights, they are ready for the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead! Congratulations to our wonderful Class of 2023!

As the year comes to a close we find ourselves saying goodbye to some staff members at the end of the school year. Colleagues leaving include: Ashley Abbott, Rose-Marie Addesa, Tara Campbell, Allie Frizzell, Kristine Hollington, Anna Krieg, Justin Moodie, Cynthia Ryan, Jeffrey Saunders, Hally Schwartzbein, Jisha Shaji, Jacey Upton, and Josephine Wright-O'Manique. All of our leaving team members have become part of the fabric of our school through their work with students in the classroom and larger school community. We will miss them and wish them the very best and hope that they take fond Hopewell memories with them.

To assist with planning forward we can share the following:

- Our school office will close tomorrow and re-open on Monday, August 28th.
- On-line registrations will be accepted throughout the summer. If you know of a family that would like to register, please share this [link](#).
- The first day of school for all students, Kindergarten to Grade Eight is Tuesday, September 6th.
- Our school hours will continue to be 9:10am to 3:40pm.
- The 2023-2024 School Year Calendar can be found [here](#).
- A recommended list of [school supplies](#) has been developed by our school district. This is a voluntary list of recommended supplies and is intended to provide some guidance should families wish to send school supplies with their child(ren)
- A reminder that labelling your children's personal belongings helps lost items find their way home. A School Council fundraising initiative through [Mabel's Labels](#) is a great option!



- We will provide updates, if required, through the summer. District messaging will also continue to be a key source of information.
- We will send an email update to families on or before September 2nd, 2023 that will contain the following:
 - School specific re-opening information
 - Pick up and drop off routines and first day routines
 - Class placement information along with details about first day entry

Eid ul Adha Mubarak to our Hopewell families celebrating this week. May this Eid be a time of joy and celebration for you.

Wishing everyone a wonderful, safe and happy summer.

Sincerely,

Martina Sherwood & Sandy Miller
Principal & Vice-Principal



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HOPEWELL SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS

Hello Hopewell Community,

Wishing everyone a fantastic summer and do enjoy the time off!



For School Council in 2023/2024 school year please note a few important dates:

- *Tuesday 19 September:* School Council meeting in the Hopewell Library at 7pm. Review of the Annual report/finances of '22/'23 school year and constitute the new School Council. Please join!
- *Before 15 September:* Put your name forward for School Council 23/24 - see more on [Executive Nominations](#) and [Vacancies](#)
- *Thursday 14 September:* Curriculum/Meet The Teacher evening - we will have a School Council table with information and sign-up details

Find more information on our [School Council website](#), [Facebook page](#) or contact us by email: sc-hopewellaveps@ocdsb.ca.

Wishing you a great last School day, and a wonderful summer! We are looking forward to meeting families and students back in September!

Petra Heitkamp, Chair, Hopewell Ave PS School Council

#HAPShots

A little glimpse of what we've been up to our final week of school!!



