

Hopewell Avenue Public School Message – March 1st, 2024



Dear Hopewell Families,

Happy Friday!

This week, in addition to a lot of great learning, we supported the Education Foundation through Toonie Tuesday (and sorted through the toonie popcorn orders - sorry for the confusion!), wore pink to represent our stand against bullying and sent our school bands to Southminster Church for a very successful afternoon concert. You can see the highlights captured in #HAPShots at the end of this message.

Thank you for your ongoing partnership and support! Wishing everyone a wonderful weekend! Bonne fin de semaine!

Sincerely,

Martina Sherwood & Sandy Miller
Principal & Vice-Principal

X: @HopewellAvePS

Instagram: @HopewellAvePS



UPCOMING DATES

Tuesday, March 5th - Hopewell School Council Meeting, 7pm, Library

Monday, March 11th - Friday, March 15th - March Break

Thursday, March 28th - School Council Movie Night

Friday, March 29th - Good Friday, School Is Closed

Monday, April 1st - Easter Monday, School Is Closed

Monday, April 8th - No school for students

Thursday, April 11th - Chess Tournament brought to you by School Council!...

Details to come

Sunday, April 28th - Anything On Wheels Sale & Yard Clean-Up

May 6th - May 10th - Education Week - Watch for special events during week

Monday, May 20th - Victoria Day, School Is Closed

Friday, June 7th - PA Day, no school for students

Tuesday, June 25th (morning) - Grade 8 Leaving Ceremony

Thursday, June 27th - Last Day Of School

SCHOOL NEWS

Extra Curricular @ Hopewell



Here is an overview of what's currently happening at Hopewell:

Primary and Junior Activities

Grades 1 & 2 Choir - Mondays at 11:35 in Room 100.

Grades 3-6 Choir - Thursdays at 11:10 in Room 407.

Families, if your child is in one of our choirs and you would like an easy way to stay informed, you can help them join the Choir GoogleClassroom with their OCDSB account.

The code for the Grade 1-2 Choir GoogleClassroom is ha6t3hh

The code for the Grade 3-6 Choir GoogleClassroom is 56pypaj

Nicola Williams nicola.williams@ocdsb.ca

Primary Art Club - Fridays in room 100 during second break 1:40-2:20. Contact:

jacey.upton@ocdsb.ca

Junior Dance Club (grades 4 - 6) - Mondays at 11:10am in the North Gym. Contact:

jenna.kennedy@ocdsb.ca

Junior Textiles Club (grades 4 - 6) - Thursdays with Ms Thiessen Contact:

jennifer.thiessen@ocdsb.ca

Chess Club (grades 1 - 6) - Wednesdays at 1:40pm in room 424. Contact:

jennifer.thiessen@ocdsb.ca

Grades 3-5 Math Club - Tuesdays at 1:40pm in room 424. Contact:

elizabeth.vorobej@ocdsb.ca

Junior Minecraft Club - Thursdays at 1:40pm in room 100. Contact:

alyson.scrim@ocdsb.ca

Junior DnD Club - Tuesdays at 11:10pm. Contact: meghana.storey@ocdsb.ca

Junior Girls and Boys Volleyball - encourage your child to listen to announcements and/or check announcements posted in the atrium. Contact:

jenna.kennedy@ocdsb.ca and meghana.storey@ocdsb.ca

Intermediate News

Grade 8 Photos - Last Chance!

Edge Imaging has reserved a hall for a two-day grad portrait session for any students that were not able to attend one of the sessions at Hopewell. The event is called the "Pop up Studio Grad Event." This will be the last opportunity for anyone who didn't have a chance to have their grad portrait taken this year.

Details:

March 21 and 22, 2024

The Salvation Army Ottawa Citadel, 1350 Walkley Rd, Ottawa, ON K1V 6P6

If interested in attending, reach out to jenna.neerhof@ocdsb.ca for more details.

OCDSB Indigenous Student Resource Newsletter and Student Circles



The latest edition of the OCDSB Indigenous Student Resource Newsletter can be accessed [here](#).

The next in-person Student Circle will be hosted at Hopewell by Minwaashin Lodge on March 7th. If you would like your child to participate or would like more information about the Student Circle, please reach out to Kris or us at Hopewell.

[Kris Meawasige Contact](#)

Sign up for the bi-weekly Indigenous Student Resource Newsletter [here](#).

A MESSAGE FROM OUR HOPEWELL AVENUE PUBLIC SCHOOL COUNCIL



Hello Wonderful Hopewell Community,
A few updates :

- Next School Council meeting: Tuesday 5 March in the school library, 7:00-9:00pm (welcome to join on [google meet](#)). We're talking about upcoming activities, hearing from principal, VP and teachers and discuss any questions (*reach out if you want more details*).
- Mark your calendars for upcoming events!
 - 8 March: Parent Wellness coffee (next friday during Lunch break)
 - 28 March: Movie night
 - 11 April: Chess Tournament
 - 28 April: Bike Sale and Yard clean
- *Looking for enthusiasts to help with any of the above, please reach out:* sc-hopewellaveps@ocdsb.ca

Find more information on School Council on our [School Council website](#),
[Facebook page](#)



Fridays
January 12
February 9
March 8

*Hopewell Parents
 & guardians*

Hopewell Ave. PS
 School Council Room
 Rm 225
 noon to 1:30 pm

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coffee time
 2nd Friday of every month!

Expand your village, meet other
 Hopewell Parents/Guardians &

Coffee, tea, & scones!

Please bring your own mug.

Can't make this one? No problem!
 We will be meeting on the 2nd Friday of every month!

Brought to you by your Hopewell Ave PS School Council.
 Please contact sc-hopewellaveps@ocdsb.ca for more details.



HOPEWELL AVE PUBLIC SCHOOL MOVIE NIGHT!

doors open at **5:45 PM**

**THURSDAY,
 MARCH 28TH
 6:15 PM**

Join us in the Hopewell
 Gym for a **family movie
 night!**

Students are encouraged to
 wear PJs, & bring blankets,
 stuffies, pillows, etc.

Popcorn & chips will be
 available for purchase.
 Please bring your water
 bottles.

We ask that all students be
 accompanied by an adult!



Save the Date!

Hopewell Ave. Public School's 1st annual

Chess Tournament

For all students grade 3-8!

April 11, 2024





