Hopewell Avenue Public School Community Connection
February 7, 2025

Hello Hopewell Families,

What an exciting week featuring the artistic talents of Hopewell. A huge congratulations goes out to all who were involved in the production and performance of S'Cool, the musical. What a great performance!
The work of some of Hopewell's visual artists is on display at our neighbourhood Happy Goat. Pop in and take a peek at the incredible work being showcased.

Access to Term 1 Report Cards (Grade 1 to 8) and Communication Of Learning (Kindergarten) will be sent to families via email on Wednesday, February 12th. You will need your child's Ontario Education Number (OEN) to access the report card. This number can be found on previous report cards. If you require assistance accessing your child's OEN, please contact the school office (613-239-2348).

There is a PA day next Friday (Feb. 14) where staff will be engaged in professional development focusing on key Ministry Priorities in the areas of Literacy and Numeracy, and Student Well-being and Safety. There will be no school for students on this day.

As always, #HAPShots capturing some of this week's highlights can be found at the bottom of this message.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Sincerely,

Andrea White & Sandy Miller
Proud Hopewell Administrative Team

Important Dates

Feb. 11- School Council
Feb. 12- Term 1 Report Cards emailed to families
Feb. 13- Prism Movie Night: Inside Out 2
Feb. 14- PA Day (no school for students)
Feb. 17- Family Day Holiday (schools are closed)

School News

Prism Movie Night-Thursday, February 13

Information Items

Sports and Extracurriculars

<u>Primary</u>
Grade 1-2 Choir (Nicola Williams)

Chess Club (Nicolas Fobes)

Junior
Choir (Nicola Williams)
Triple Ball (Meghan Storey and Sebastian Mol)
Chess Club (Nicolas Fobes)

Intermediate
Prism Club (Jen Compagnon, Gisèle Pritchard, Natalie Johnston)
Jazz Band (Marya Woyiwada)
Senior Band (Marya Woyiwada)
Musical (Marya Woyiwada)
Origami and Paper Crafts Club (Thomas Ranger)
Basketball (Shae Iemsisanith, Josh Davison)

School Council News

Happy New Year Hopewell Community,

 We have lots of events coming up in February.

February School Council meeting is Tuesday Feb 11th 7pm in the School Library, all are welcome to attend. Please email if you require a google meet link.

February 20th for Yoga and Mocktails!! Join us for an evening of self-care, connection, and deliciousness.

Angela Gordon will guide those who want to participate in gentle, mindful movements and meditation suitable for all bodies. Another wonderful Hopewell parent, Genna Woolston, will serve delicious Silver Swallow mocktails and snacks throughout the evening.
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$5 suggested donation
Please bring a yoga mat (or let us know if you need one)
7-9pm in the Hopewell Atrium
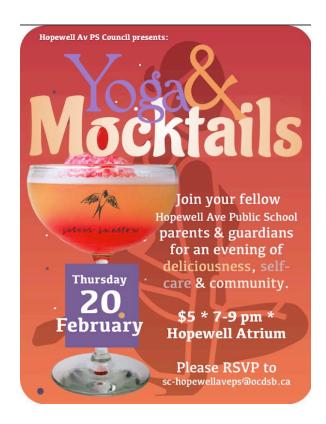Please RSVP to sc-hopewellaveps@ocdsb.ca

Also on Friday 21st Feb we are holding our Parent Wellness meeting at the new time of 11:30am - 1:30pm, please join us for coffee and scones, discuss any parenting issues with our Parent Wellness Representative Rebekka, and check out the latest books in our Parent Library Resources. Please check out and return books through the sign out form next to the bookcase in the school office.

Wishing you a wonderful weekend

Claire Kerry and Venus Nikseresht
Co-Chairs, Hopewell Ave PS School Council

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

For volunteer signup please sign up via the google form

OCDSB Indigenous Student Resource Newsletter

Here is the most recent **OCDSB Indigenous Student Resource Newsletter**.

You are welcome at any time to reach out to Jade Desjardins our Indigenous Student Support Coordinator at: 613-915-3643 / jade.desjardins@ocdsb.ca or to us at Hopewell for any questions or to access supports for your child or your family.

Reasons why a student/family may want to connect with Jade for cultural support are **attached here**.

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