

May 10th, 2017.

Important Upcoming Dates

May 11th	Welcome to Kindergarten Evening 6:00-7:30 p.m. for newly registered students and their parents/guardians
May 17th	Junior/Intermediate Track & Field Day @ Alexander Muir - all day
May 18th	School Council Chapters Fundraiser - 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.
May 22nd	Victoria Day- No School
May 23rd	E.Q.A.O. Testing begins Grade 3 & 6 students

For your Information....



A Taste of our Cultures DIVERSITY NIGHT! A huge THANK YOU to all families who volunteered for last week's celebration of our diversity. The turnout was incredible. There was great sharing, great learning, great activities and great food! We were pleased to see so many families participating and enjoying the event. School-wide events like this don't happen without the commitment of our staff. A tremendous thank you to Mrs. Reid, Ms. Singh & Mrs. Baptiste for coordinating the event and to the large group of staff who volunteered their time to make the event the success that it was. **Together we are better.**

Parent/Guardian Input Regarding September Class Placements

Time is running out! **DUE FRIDAY.**

Parent input that is received via the [Class Placement Input FORM](#) by **Friday, MAY 12th, 2017** will be considered (and shared) during placement meetings.

Please access the Class Placement Input FORM by clicking [here](#).

bit.do/2017ClassPlacementInput

YRDSB Parent/Guardian Survey

The School Climate Survey for Parents/Guardians is available until May 19th.

We value parent input and encourage parents/guardians to complete the survey. The information provided will be anonymous, considered confidential and kept in strict accordance with all relevant legislation. To access the online survey please click here

[ParentGuardianSurvey2017](#)





COMING SOON!

School Council **CHAPTERS NEWMARKET** fundraising night. **May 18th from 6-8 p.m.** We appreciate your support! Mark your calendars!



A.M.P.S. School Council ~ Community FUN FAIR Volunteer Form

WE NEED YOUR HELP! Our annual Community FUN FAIR is past approaching. Our fun fair will be held on Thursday, June 15th from 5:00 p.m.- 7:30 p.m. We can't do it without the help of many Alexander Muir volunteers! We are hoping that you can sign up to help us out! Over 600+ school community member usually attend our FUN FAIR and it requires a great deal of volunteer support to ensure that it runs smoothly. We need you to help out by volunteering your time. Please respond complete the following form. We will contact all volunteers in late May with scheduled times and locations. We thank you in advance for your support!

- Parents/Guardians, Grade 6-8 Alexander Muir Students, High school students

Please click on the this link to sign up to volunteer: <http://bit.do/AMPSFunFairVolunteers>





The York Region District School Board Summer Institute is a program that offers academic, recreational and athletic programs and activities with intentional links to the Ontario Curriculum for children and youth entering Senior Kindergarten to Grade 8.

Programs are offered at in Richmond Hill, Markham, Stouffville, Newmarket, Woodbridge, Vaughan and Georgina from 9:00 am - 3:30 pm

<http://www.yrdsb.ca/Programs/summer/si/Pages/Summer-Institute-Registration.aspx>

YMCA Before and Aftercare programs available at all locations [YMCA Before and After Care Registration](#)

Weekly Sessions July 4, 2017 to August 11, 2017

For registration information and to see what types of exciting programs are being offered this summer, please visit www.yrdsb.ca and select programs and services.

Summer Institute Site

[Armadale S.I.](#)

[Crosby Heights S.I.](#)

[Discovery S.I. \(located at Teston Village P.S.\)](#)

[Lakeside S.I.](#)

[Lake Wilcox S.I.](#)

[Maple Leaf S.I. \(located at Glen Cedar P.S.\)](#)

[Milliken Mills S.I. \(located at Highgate P.S.\)](#)

[Oscar Peterson S.I.](#)

[Sixteenth Avenue S.I.](#)

[Unionville Meadows S.I.](#)

[Woodbridge S.I.](#)

Address

11 Coppard Ave., Markham

190 Neal Dr., Richmond Hill

80 Murray Farm Lane., Maple

213 Shorecrest Rd., Keswick

80 Wildwood Ave., Richmond Hill

915 Wayne Dr., Newmarket

35 Highgate Dr., Markham

850 Hoover Park Dr., Stouffville

400 Sixteenth Ave., Richmond Hill

355 South Unionville Ave., Markham

60 Burwick Ave., Woodbridge

For additional information email performanceplus.si@yrdsb.ca or call 905-884-2046 ext. 240.



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Wednesday File



Aurora's First-Ever INDIGENOUS FESTIVAL

*The New
Beginnings*
**POW
WOW**
in Aurora

Saturday, June 3, 2017 • 12 p.m. to 9 p.m.
Lambert Willson Park, 135 Industrial Parkway North

 **FREE ENTRY**

 **POW WOW**

Featuring traditional dancing and drumming

 **FOOD FESTIVAL**

Featuring traditional food and classic favourites

 **MARKETPLACE**

 **MULTICULTURAL PERFORMERS**

Host Drum: Little Creek Singers
Co-Host Drum: Cold Water Ojibway
Arena Director: Mr. Mawla Shawana
Master of Ceremonies: Mr. Bob Goulais

SCHEDULE

12 p.m. Grand entry
1 to 5 p.m. Festivities
5 to 7 p.m. The feast
7 to 9 p.m. Festivities and closing ceremony

No dogs permitted, service animals excepted. Thank you for your cooperation. We reserve the right to cancel, amend or change activities.



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