

COMMUNITY BENGAL

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BAYVIEW
SECONDARY SCHOOL



CLASS TIMES

P1	8:45 am - 10:05 am
P2	10:10 am - 11:25 am
P3	11:30 am - 12:45 pm
P4	12:50 pm - 2:05 pm
P5	2:10 pm - 3:25 pm



ADMINISTRATION

- Principal** - Aldrin Fernando
- VP** - Angela Cowan (A-J)
- VP** - Katrina Morrison (K-R)
- VP** - Nancy Gymnopoulos (S-Z)

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FROM THE OFFICE

Welcome back families to another exciting year at Bayview SS! The school is bustling with activity as we have almost 2100 students and 150 staff in the building. It is so wonderful to see everyone back in person again and to see school life return to some degree of normalcy. The health and safety of your child and everyone in the building is our number one priority. If your child is feeling unwell, please consider having them stay home until feeling better so as to not impact on the health of others. As part of our YRDSB Health and Safety protocols, we are required to conduct three fire drills, one Hold and Secure, one Lockdown drill each semester and a bomb threat drill.

Attendance Information:

Bayview SS will now be sending out an attendance message at different times of the day to report if your child is absent from class. Please contact the school by phone or using the general email to let us know that your son or daughter will be absent. Thank you very much!

Student Engagement Fee:

All students who want to get involved with extracurricular clubs and teams are required to pay the Student Engagement Fee. The funds collected are used to help offset the costs associated with running clubs and teams. Your financial support is appreciated.

LOOKING AHEAD @ BAYVIEW

Sept 11	Fire Drill #1
Sept 13	Photo Day for all students
Sept 15	Bomb Threat Drill
Sept 18	School Council 7 pm in the cafeteria
Sept 22	PA Day
Sept 26	Lockdown Drill #1
Sept 28	Hold and Secure Drill #1



SCHOOL NEWS

Attention Parents/Guardians of Grade 9 Students.

On Wednesday, September 27, we will be hosting our Grade 9 Camp Day at Green Acres Outdoor Camp. This is an opportunity for grade 9 students to:

- **Develop a sense of belonging**
- **Develop leadership skills**
- **Build school spirit**
- **Become better acquainted with other students**

Please save the date! More information, including permission form and payment details will follow in an email to Grade 9 families.

SCHOOL COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Our first School Council meeting will be held on Monday September 18 at 7pm in the cafeteria. Any parents who are interested in running for a position on the executive will need to complete a nomination form. The School Council nomination form is attached in this email. Please email the completed form to bayview.ss@yrdsb.ca by no later than September 18, 2023 at 4:00pm. Late submissions will not be accepted.

Former Bayview SS Vice-Principal wins GOLD Medal at Canadian Masters Track and Field Championships



Congratulations to Mr. Milton Hart, a former Vice-principal at Bayview SS who has won a gold medal in the 100M Sprint at the recent Canadian Masters Track and Field Championships. Way to go Mr. Hart!!

While Mr. Hart was a vice-principal at BSS, he helped coach our track and field team. Mr. Hart is now a Vice-principal at Tommy Douglas SS, in YRDSB.

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FUN and GAMES During Grade 9 DAY!!



GUIDANCE CORNER

Our guidance department has been extremely busy trying to create timetables for all of our new and returning students. Guidance information can be found on our guidance page at the following link:

<http://www.yrdsb.ca/schools/bayview.ss/guidance/Pages/default.aspx>

Quote of the Week:

“The cure for boredom is curiosity. There is no cure for curiosity”

Dorothy Parker (writer)