



# BEYNON FIELDS P.S.

Community Newsletter

October 19, 2023

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Please review below some important updates and reminders.

## PA Day - Fri. Oct 20

This is a reminder that there are no classes on Friday, October 20 for a PA Day.

## Startup Forms

We have found that there are a number of students who have not had their start up forms completed. We ask that if you haven't yet done so, to please complete the startup forms.

Parents/guardians received an email from YRDSB Update with important school start-up forms to complete. It is important that these forms are completed as soon as possible at the start of the school year as they contain important information and permissions. The forms can be found at <https://startupforms.yrdsb.ca/>. [Tips are available](#) if you need additional information on how to log in to the Student GAPPS account to complete the forms.

Please note:

- You must be signed in to your child's student GAPPS account to complete the form. Please remember to sign out of one account before signing into another. Additional information is available on the Board website on [how to login to the student account to complete the forms](#).
- If you prefer to complete the forms on paper or have questions about the information in the forms, please contact the school office.
- Parents/guardians must complete a separate form for each child attending school. Please ensure you log out of one student account before logging into another. You will not be able to submit the form twice logged into the same student account.

## Popcorn for Sale

Good afternoon BFPS,

We are pleased to announce packaged popcorn is now available for purchase **on School Cash Online**. Term 1 will run from Tuesday October 31, 2023 to Thursday February 29, 2024.

Popcorn will be available 3 days a week - Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday – and will be distributed to students during snack recess.

There are 3 flavors available @ \$1.30/bag

**Order Deadline: Sunday October 22, 2023**

Please [see the flyer](#) for more information.

**Raptors 905 Tickets - Expression of Interest - DUE TOMORROW**

Beynon Fields has an opportunity to send a bus of students to the Raptors 905 (The farm team for the Toronto Raptors) basketball game on December 1. It is a day game beginning at 11 am. Those attending will leave from school after the regular start time and return by the dismissal bell at the end of the day.

This experience is open for students in Grades 4-8.

The ticket price is \$65, which includes a premium seat at the game and on the bus. Tickets are only sold in this package at the cost of \$65. Tickets will be sold on a first come-first serve basis through school cash online.

To be informed of the ticket selling window, please complete [this expression of interest form](#) by end of day **TOMORROW, FRIDAY OCT. 20**.

**2022-2023 Grade 3 & Grade 6 EQAO Individual Student Reports have arrived**

Students who were in Grade 3 and Grade 6 last year and who wrote the EQAO Assessment will be coming home with their Individual Student Report. This report indicates your child’s results in the areas of reading, writing and mathematics. Please note, EQAO results are one of many ways that the YRDSB measures student success. They provide a snapshot of results across our Board and Boards across Ontario

**School Council Members**

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### School Council Meeting dates

Date	Time	Format
October 11, 2023	6:30pm - 7:30pm	Hybrid
November 29, 2023	6:30pm - 7:30pm	Virtual
February 28, 2024	6:30pm - 7:30pm	Hybrid
May 15, 2024	6:30pm - 7:30pm	Hybrid

### **School Sports at Other Schools**

We are so excited to have an active sports community and so many participants on our school teams. We always appreciate the support of fans but students who come to the games need to be supervised by a guardian and cannot be there without supervision. We ask all families to help us with this as coaches are occupied with coaching at that time. Thank you for your cooperation.

### **Level Up Mississauga 2023**

There is an upcoming opportunity to learn about the skilled trades at Level Up Mississauga. Please [see the flyer](#) for more information.

### **Youth Gambling Awareness Series**

There are a number of upcoming sessions for parents/caregivers. For more information and to register please [see the flyer](#).

### **Tune In YRDSB: Islamic Heritage Month**

As we recognize Islamic Heritage Month, [the latest episode of Tune In YRDSB](#) explores the importance of creating identity-affirming spaces in schools and workplaces. Hear more about the experiences of Muslim students, staff and families in York Region District School Board.

### **The Centre for Black Student Excellence Newsletter | October 2023**

The Centre for Black Student Excellence newsletter is dedicated to educating families about resources in York Region District School Board in alignment under the Dismantling Anti-Black Racism Strategy Implementation Plan. You can [read it here](#).

### **GIVE - Get Involved. Volunteer in Education.**

Develop Skills to Support School Communities. This free information session is organized by York Region District School Board in partnership with Catholic Community Services of York Region. For more information and to register, please [see the flyer](#).

Sincerely,

BFPS Administration