# King City SS e-Newsletter



#### 2001 King Road, King City, ON L7B 1K2

#### March 26 2021

### **Can You Spot our Turtles?**



Did you know our school has a small pond with turtles and fish? Our turtles were spotted this week, for the first time in 2021, enjoying the sun. We hope everyone in our community had a chance to enjoy the nice weather this week. Going outside is a great way to get some self care. It is very important we all take some time for our well being. So be like our turtles!

## **Support for Nutrition Available**

Through donations and funding provided for student nutrition, our school is able to help individual families in our school community with support for nutrition. If your family is currently experiencing financial hardship please contact the school by Thursday, April 1st.

## Summer Jobs at the School Board

Students seeking summer employment should check the <u>Board's</u> <u>website</u> to view job postings for Summer Student Opportunities. Students are required to submit an online application through Apply to Education to Human Resource Services, which includes: 1. Cover letter (indicating the type of position they are seeking and the period of time they will be available to work during the summer period); 2. Résumé; and 3. Completion of job posting screening questions. More information will be posted at the link above when jobs become available.

#### **Contact Us**

Phone 905.833.5332	
Extensions	
Reception	150
Attendance	158
Guidance	106
Busing	152
king.city.ss@yrdsb.ca	

Online

#### School website

#### Administration

Principal <u>Joe D'Amico</u>

Vice Principals <u>Pina Viscomi</u> (A-K) <u>Tim Wesson</u> (L-Z)

**School Council** 

<u>Luisa Gale</u> <u>Harpal Panesar</u>

Superintendent

#### Neil Gunathunge

Trustee

#### Bob McRoberts



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#### School News

## **Our Online Store Open!**



The King City SS online store is open again for one more week! Get your KCSS gear before the store closes on April 2nd! Click <u>this</u> <u>link</u> and see the end of the newsletter for more information.

#### **Green Team: Earth Hour Reminder**



Earth Hour is on March 27, from 8:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Every year, at 8:30 pm on the last Saturday of March, millions of people across the world join in raising awareness of the issues facing our planet. Earth Hour is more than just an hour for the planet - it's a movement for *our future*. It's more than just a symbol of support - it's a catalyst for urgent change.

According to Hydro One, last year's "Earth Hour" resulted in a direct power savings for the province of Ontario of 202 megawatts – or enough to power the city of Belleville, Ontario. That also translates to just over 140 metric tons of carbon dioxide being released (or not) into our atmosphere. "Earth Hour helps to remind electricity consumers that small conservation acts can lead to large benefits." Although we celebrate earth hour each year, we encourage everyone to continue to reduce the amount of electricity we use on a regular basis!

#### **Important Dates**

To view our entire school calendar online click <u>here</u>.

#### Wednesday, March 31st

Green and Gold day

Thursday, April 1st

Green and Gold day

#### Tuesday, April 6th

Teachers to share mid-term marks

#### Thursday, April 8th

- Hula day
- **General Starts** (cohort A)

Friday, April 9th Hula day

Monday, April 12th

Mid semester break begins

#### Friday, April 16th

Mid semester break ends

#### Tuesday, April 27

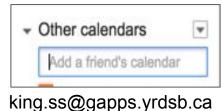
Electronic Report Card distribution begins

#### Monday, May 3rd

Rotation 2 starts (cohort A)

## Do you use **Google** Calendar?

Add our email address to add our calendar to your calendar, and never miss an event again!



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Mental Health SUPPORT. EDUCATE. EMPOWER. Parents for Children's

#### Monday, April 19, 2021 6:30 pm - 8 pm

Panel Discussion and Q&A: Bullying Impacts and Strategies to End.

#### PARENTS' Support Group-All are welcome! VIRTUAL MEETING

Does your child's anxiety, ADHD, mood disorders, learning disability, or behaviour challenges make parenting difficult? Join us...

PCMH Chapter Support is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting. **Topic: PCMH York/Aurora** Time: Apr 19, 2021 06:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada) Join Zoom Meeting https://zoom.us/j/92342129990?pwd=Wms4UFEyOG0rSVdDMkRqZmUyamVIZz09

> Meeting ID: 923 4212 9990 Passcode: 394643 One tap mobile +16475580588,,92342129990#,,,,\*394643# Canada +17789072071,,92342129990#,,,,\*394643# Canada **Dial by your location** +1 647 558 0588 Canada Meeting ID: 923 4212 9990 Passcode: 394643 Find your local number: https://zoom.us/u/aiAw30O20

#### **Benefits of PCMH Support Group:**

- meet other parents with children who have similar challenges
  - find encouragement and emotional support
  - learn strategies to help your child or youth at home/school
    - learn how to access resources in the community

PCMH is the only provincial, family-led, non-profit organization that provides a voice for families who face the challenges of child and youth mental health issues. PCMH provides support, education, and linkage between families, communities, agencies and government. PCMH believes in the promotion of family-centred principles of care. PCMH envisions a future in which children and youth with mental illness enjoy a high quality of life in welcoming and supportive communities. For more information and resources, please visit www.pcmh.ca.

> Monday, May 10<sup>th</sup> Topic Community Resources 6:30 – 8 pm Monday, June 21<sup>st</sup> Building Healthy Relationships 6:30 – 8 pm



# OPPORTUNITIES FOR BLACK YOUTH

# Are you driven?

## Thursday, April 8, 7-8pm Live streamed with Q&A

## **RSVP NOW**

There is a world of well-paying career opportunities in the automotive industry.

Hear from industry professionals about their journey, explore career opportunities, and learn about post-secondary pathways and scholarships to help you get there.

## AGENDA

Keynote - future of auto industry and the need for diversity and inclusion (15 minutes) Don Romano, President and CEO, Hyundai Canada

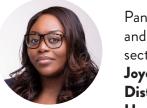


Educational pathways - general information on pathways through post-secondary to careers in automotive (5 minutes) Joe Lauzon, Marketing Officer, ABSC@GeorgianCollege



**PANELISTS** 

Auto industry overview - overview of main industry sectors and opportunities that are



Panel of industry professionals - guided panel and Q&A for panelist representing the different

lesser known (10 minutes) Oumar Dicko, Chief Economist, Canadian Automobile Dealers Association sectors of the auto industry (30 minutes) Joyce Tshiamala (Moderator) District Customer Experience Manager, Hyundai Canada



Jennifer Okoeguale Corporate Special Events, Public Relations at Toyota Canada Inc.



**Emiliano Void** National Operations Manager, Cox Automotive Canada



**Nial Boatswain** General Manager, Drive Auto Group

Presented by:



YRDSB families register here: http://bit.ly/YRDSBAutoConnectReg





# King City Secondary School Online Webstore



## Use the custom website link and start shopping online for your apparel!

## www.SchoolWear.ca/KCS

**Marchant's School Sport Ltd.** 849 Progress Ave. Toronto, ON M1H 2X4 Tel: 1-877-439-9400 Fax: 1-877-439-4288 **WWW.MARCHANTS.COM** 

**Any Questions?** 

Call: 1-877-439-9400 Email: support@marchants.com

