



# LEGACY PUBLIC SCHOOL

WEEKLY EBULLETIN FOR NOVEMBER 15, 2013

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## Welcoming International Visitors to Legacy

We will be welcoming a contingent of educators from Denmark to Legacy on Tuesday of this week. The Danes are in York Region to participate in the YRDSB conference "Quest" and are coming to Legacy to learn about what we do in regards to educational leadership, equity and inclusion, as well as programming for Special Education. During their visit, our leadership team will also have an opportunity to learn from the Danes about their system. Velkommen!

## Movember

You may have noticed additional facial hair on many of the Men of Legacy during the past few weeks. This is an action in support of Movember – a fundraising initiative to support research for men's health. Our Student Council has organized an event on November 22 and 26 for those of us who are unable to grow facial hair, but still want to be a part of the Movember community. For a donation of \$1, the council will be offering painted moustaches to all students and staff. Please consider sending \$1 with your child and expect to see their hairy smile in support of this initiative!!

## QUEST

YRDSB hosts an international conference each year. This year's conference "The Quest for Increased Student Achievement and Well-Being: Re-imagining Public Education" will be held this week. Mrs. Kauffman, Mrs. Arumugam, Mr. Babalola, Ms. Naidu, Mrs. Vocino and Ms. Campbell will be learning from delegations from Singapore, Finland, Garden Grove (California), Calgary, Tower Hamlets (United Kingdom) and Ontario. These "jurisdictions" are recognized for the journeys of excellence they have taken to improve and sustain student achievement. We look forward to them sharing what they have learned upon their return.

## Health and Safety

We will be welcoming the board's Health and Safety committee to our school on Thursday for the annual inspection of our school. This is one of the ways that we ensure that our practice is safe for students and staff and learn about any changes that we need to implement to make our school as safe as possible.



# November 2013



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PIZZA DAYS - NOVEMBER 6th & 20th



GR 7 & 8 FLAG FOOTBALL - M/T/TH - LUNCH TIME



SR. BOYS VOLLEYBALL - SEE MR. CARLISLE













EARTH CLUB - MOST FRIDAYS WITH MR. FAULDS



GIRLS VOLLEYBALL - SEE MR. STRUTT



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 Lest We Forget	 GR 1 & 2 SPORT SPORT STACKING CUPS CLUBS - LUNCH RECESS - PORTABLE 2 - MS. KOLLIAS  GR 8 BAND REHEARSAL - SEE MR. PAVEY  TERRIFIC TREAT THURSDAY - EVERY THURSDAY MORNING RECESS - \$1.25	STACKING CUPS CLUB - MONDAY LUNCH RECESS - GYM	GR 7 & 8 FLAG FOOTBALL - M/T/TH - LUNCH TIME	SR. BOYS VOLLEYBALL - SEE MR. CARLISLE	EARTH CLUB - MOST FRIDAYS WITH MR. FAULDS	GIRLS VOLLEYBALL - SEE MR. STRUTT
3 End of Daylight Saving Time Clocks Fall Back One Hour <b>CHANGE CLOCKS</b> DIWALI**	4 3:30 STAFF MEETING 7 - 8:30 PM School Council in the Library INTERVIEW REQUEST FORMS GO HOME	5 GR 8 - Bill Crothers Secondary School Information Night	6  GR 8 - DAY AT MARKHAM DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL 4-9 PM Boys Volleyball Tournament	7 GR 8 - JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT VISIT TO THE CLASSROOM TERRIFIC TREAT EVERY THURSDAY \$1.25 AM RECESS	8 K-MW INTERVIEW REQUEST FORMS DUE	9
10 10:25 am Remembrance Day Assembly - Parents & Community members are welcome to join our Remembrance Day	11  Remembrance Day	12 SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR - TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY 8:30AM-4PM, THURSDAY 8:30AM-8PM & FRIDAY 8AM-11AM MR. FAULDS & MR. STRUTT ECO CAMP NOVEMBER 11-13 PICTURE ORDERS DUE	13 Elementary Progress Reports Go Home 4-9 PM Boys Volleyball Tournament	14 GR 1-8 FRIDAY CLASSES Legacy Sport Stacking Guinness Records Event Parent/Teacher Interviews	15 Parent/Teacher Interviews PA DAY (No School)	16
17 	18 Photo Re-take Day for Students Absent on October 16/17 KINDERGARTEN TRIP TO LONGOS	19 KINDERGARTEN TRIP TO LONGOS	20  BOYS AREA VOLLEYBALL AT LEGACY KINDERGARTEN TRIP TO LONGOS	21 GR 8 GIRLS HPV NEEDLE GIRLS AREA VOLLEYBALL	22 GR 5 K-TT ROYAL ONTARIO MUSEUM FIELD TRIP GR 6 - VIP - VALUES, INFLUENCES & PEERS	23
JUNIOR KINDERGARTEN PARENTS IN-CLASS OBSERVATION VISITS						
24	25  POINSETTA ORDERS DUE TODAY	26	27 GR 8 MARKHAM YOUTH TASK FORCE PRESENTATION	28 TERRIFIC TREAT EVERY THURSDAY \$1.25 AM RECESS	29 K-MW	30  November is November
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# December 2013



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PIZZA DAYS - DECEMBER 4th & 18th



GR 7 & 8 FLAG FOOTBALL - M/T/TH - LUNCH TIME



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 GR 1-3 - Author Visit - Frieda Wishinsky 3:30 - Staff Meeting 7 - 8:30 PM School Council in the Library	3 International Day of Disabled Persons	4 REGIONAL BOYS VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT	5 REGIONAL GIRLS VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT PICK UP POINSETTA ORDERS BY 6 PM	6 K-TT	7
8	JUNIOR KINDERGARTEN PARENTS IN-CLASS OBSERVATION VISITS					14
9	10 International Human Rights Day	11	12	13 TERRIFIC TREAT EVERY THURSDAY \$1.25 AM RECESS	K-MW	14
15	16	17	18 GRADE 1-8 FRIDAY CLASS SCHEDULE 	19 TERRIFIC TREAT EVERY THURSDAY \$1.25 AM RECESS	20 PA DAY (No School)	21 WINTER BEGINS
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# MOVEMBER



**\$1**  
**MUSTACHES**



**FRIDAY NOVEMBER 22<sup>ND</sup>**  
**AND**  
**TUESDAY NOVEMBER 26<sup>TH</sup>**

# **MOVEMBER**

## **AT LEGACY P.S.**

MOVEMBER IS A GLOBAL CHARITY THAT RAISES MONEY TOWARDS MEN'S HEALTH ISSUES EVERY NOVEMBER. THIS YEAR LEGACY STUDENTS WILL BE ABLE TO HAVE A MUSTACHE PAINTED ON THEIR FACES FOR \$1.00 TO SUPPORT THIS GREAT CAUSE. PLEASE DONATE TODAY.

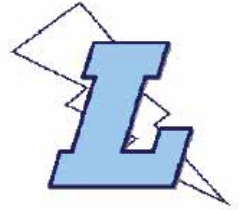


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November 15, 2013

Dear Parents:

Once again, Legacy P.S. is offering you the opportunity to purchase beautiful poinsettia plants to beautify your home for the holidays.

- Please see the attached order form to view the available plants we are offering you this year and their cost.

For each poinsettia sold, a **minimum of \$2.00** will be returned to the school to be put toward our fundraising endeavours. Cheques must be made payable to **Legacy P.S.**

**There is no obligation for students to participate in this event.** The poinsettias may be sold in the student's neighbourhood, to relatives and friends, but we do not encourage students to go door-to-door. Students should collect money for the poinsettias sold when taking the orders.

The plants will be delivered to the school on Thursday, December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2013. We ask that you pick up your order by 6:00 p.m. A reminder notice will be sent home with your child a few days prior to the order arriving.

**The attached order form must be returned to school by November 25<sup>th</sup>, 2013 in order to be processed.**

**P. Cockburn  
E.O.A.A.**





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November 18, 2013

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Last December, the Government of Ontario announced funding to support elementary schools to lock their front doors during the school day.

All elementary schools are being equipped with front door cameras, monitors, intercoms and buzzer locking systems.

Beginning **Monday, February 3, 2014**, elementary school doors will be locked 15 minutes after the school bell rings in the morning and will stay locked for the remainder of the school day. All visitors, including parents/guardians will be required to use the buzzer at the front door and to sign in at the main office.

Our schools are safe places and safety continues to be our top priority. We have a number of safety measures already in place. Locking doors during the school day is one additional step the Board is taking to support student and staff safety.

Our schools will continue to be welcoming and inclusive places where parents and community members have an important role to play as a vital part of the school community.

We understand that you may have questions, and more information will be made available to you in the coming weeks.

If you have any questions or concerns, I encourage you to speak with your school principal.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "KOLR", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Ken Thurston  
Director of Education

# eShare

# want your photos in the yearbook?

## So do we!

Students, parents and teachers  
can **contribute** content to the yearbook staff  
by **uploading photos** directly to our  
**website** for potential use in our book.

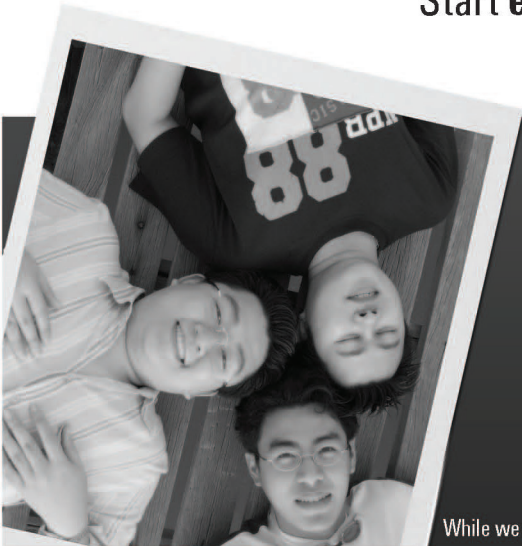
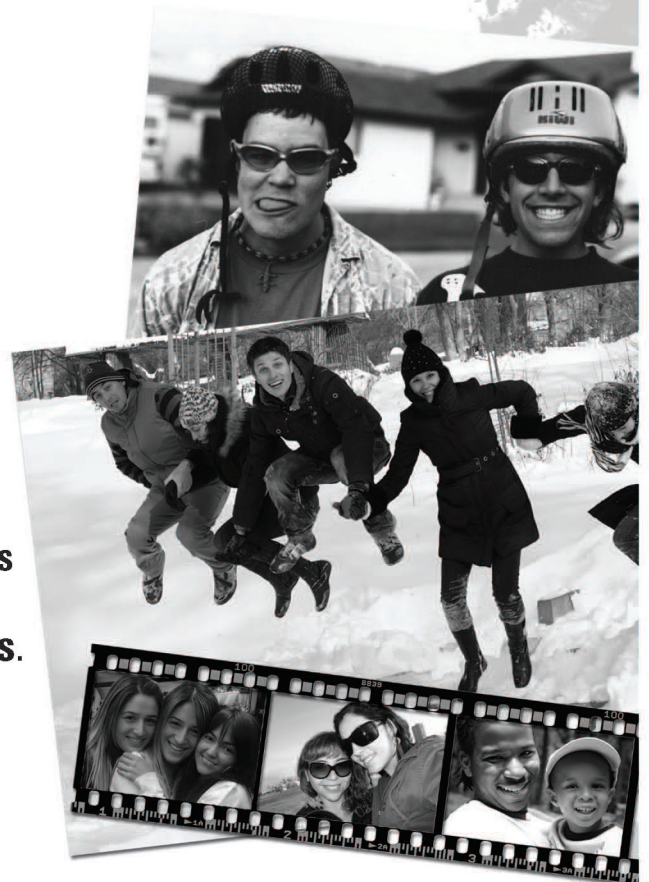
You can **eShare** photos of  
**field trips, sporting events, school and community activities**  
or shots of **you** and your friends  
that otherwise might be missed by our staff **photographers**.

Please **eShare** your pictures **quickly**  
as we are constantly selecting images to meet **deadlines**.

Provide as much **detail** as possible  
(including **names** and **grades**) for each photo,  
so we have all the **information** needed for accurate identification.

The more you **eShare**, the better our **coverage** can be.  
Start **eSharing** today!

Last day to **submit** photos: \_\_\_\_\_



· Go to: [www.hjeshare.com](http://www.hjeshare.com); Enter your school code: **legacy (all lowercase)**

- Locate the picture (file) you want to upload. Click on the filename to select it, click "Open."
- To upload more than one file, Ctrl-click on each filename. You can upload 10 files at a time.
- Click each thumbnail to select it, and enter information about all images. This assures that the information in the yearbook is correct, if the photo is used.
- Click "Submit Image Information" when you are done.

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