



LEGACY PUBLIC SCHOOL

WEEKLY EBULLETIN FOR MAY 16, 2014

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Gauss Math Contest

Congratulations to 72 intermediate students who accepted the challenge and participated in the Gauss Mathematics Contest on Wednesday! Prepared by the University of Waterloo, the test consists of twenty-five problem-solving questions derived from the curriculum expectations for Grades 7 and 8. Legacy students prepared ahead of time by trying out tests from past years and we are proud of their achievement!

Special congratulations to the top scorers:

Grade 8: Jerusha, Erin, Aarth

Grade 7: Valentina, Naomi, Nadia

Spring Showcase

Our school was alive with the sound of music and the movement of dance on Thursday as our junior and intermediate students presented our Spring Showcase. Our students showed their amazing talents and all the hard work paid off!! What an entertaining event!! Thank you to the students and staff (especially Steve Pavey who lead us with his vision). Through the sale of tickets we raised over \$2000 that will be used to purchase new instruments for our music program.

Looooooooooooooooong Weekend

On behalf of the Legacy Staff we hope everyone has a great long weekend!! If you are looking for something to do with your family consider participating in the Legacy Clean Up (see attached)! Enjoy!



Learning About Community Helpers





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May 12, 2014

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Our school values your input. We are inviting parents and guardians to participate in a survey to support student achievement and well-being.

The surveys provide the Board and our school with valuable information about how you feel about the school environment and your child's education. Results from the survey will be used to identify areas to be addressed, monitor progress and plan strategies to support students.

The questionnaire will take approximately 15 minutes to complete and is available online and in paper format. **Please complete the survey between May 20 and June 2** using one of the following methods:

- Online (English only) at: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/SchoolClimateParent2014> after May 20.
- Paper copies are available in English, Chinese, Farsi, Gujarati, Hebrew, Korean, Punjabi, Russian, Tamil, Urdu and Vietnamese. **Please contact the school to request paper questionnaires.** If you choose to complete the survey on paper, please return it to the school in the envelope provided.

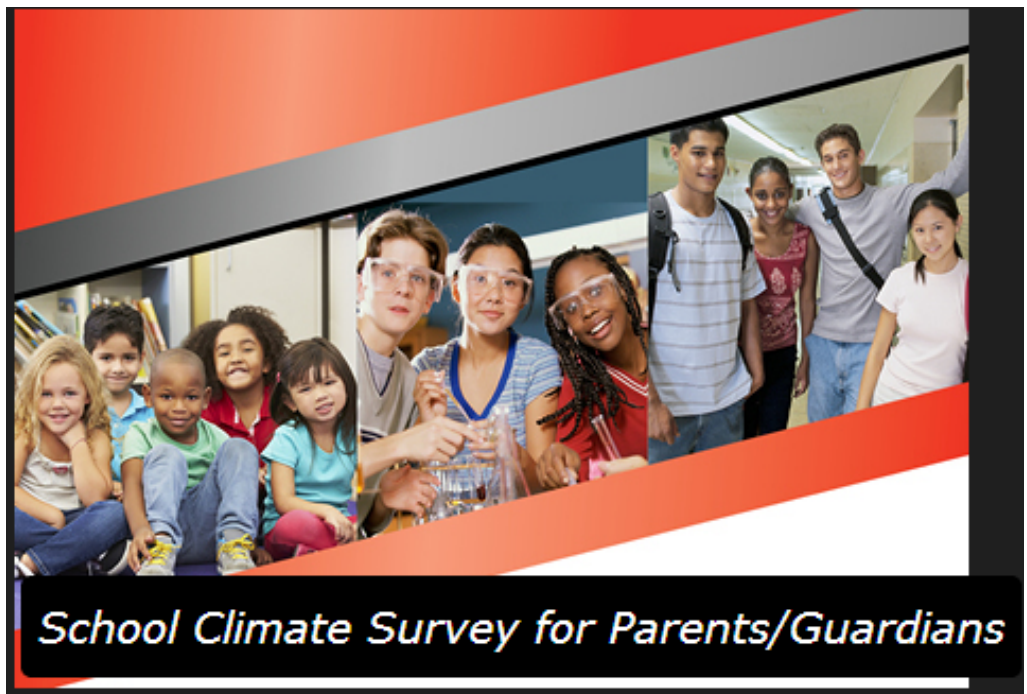
The information you provide will be anonymous and individual responses will be kept strictly confidential. Individuals will not be identified in any reports resulting from this survey.

We appreciate your participation in this voluntary survey. If you have any questions, please contact the school.

Your thoughts and insights will help further our vision as we work together to promote student achievement and well-being.

Sincerely,

Jeff Demacio
Vice Principal
Legacy Public School
InspireLearning!



School Climate Survey for Parents/Guardians

ESL SUMMER SCHOOL



July 7 - 31, 2014



Bring your
Immigration
Documents

REGISTER AT
Uplands Learning
Centre
Monday - Friday
9 am - 4 pm

Please call
(905) 731-9557
for more
information

ADULT ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE CLASSES (ESL)

Visit [www.yrdsb.ca/
programs/coned/
pages/esl.aspx](http://www.yrdsb.ca/programs/coned/pages/esl.aspx)

for a complete list of
locations

Tamil speaking Women's Group

Please join us together with other women, have fun and discuss topics that matter to you and your families!

When: Monday, May 5th, 2014

Languages: Tamil and English

WHERE: Legacy Public School in Markham
61 Russell Jarvis Drive

FREE!!

Time: 6:30 to 8:30 pm Yoga or Zumba included

You are welcome to Join Anytime!

How to help your child with **Parenting**
literacy and math **Family Stress**



Adjusting to Canadian living
Health & Nutrition **self care**

Dealing with children with different learning needs.

For Registration and more information call

Initha Subramaniam at (905) 884 2046 ext 270 or
FSYR's Tamil line at (416) 857-6308

Language specific funding provided by



www.fsyrr.ca



**YOGA, ZUMBA &
EXERCISE**

MAKE FRIENDS

**FREE CHILD CARE,
SNACKS**

Legacy Community Spring Clean Up - Saturday, May 17th, 9 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
@ Old Mill Pond balcony, Rouge Bank Drive and Legacy Drive



Legacy Community Spring Clean Up

Event Date: Saturday, May 17th, 9 a.m. to 12:00 noon (Rain or Shine!)

Location - Old Mill Pond balcony, near corner of Rouge Bank Drive and Legacy Drive

Happy Spring Legacy Residents!!

It's been a long and cold winter however we made it and the warmer days have finally arrived. We need your help to tidy up the neighbourhood and get ready for summer. Bring your energy and enthusiasm, bring a friend or a family member and join us as we assemble at the Old Mill Pond balcony at 9:00 a.m. The event will continue until 12:00 noon, and you are welcome to join whenever you can make it, someone will be there to dispatch you to cover as much ground as possible. Protective gloves and garbage bags will be provided. We would like to extend a special invitation to our Legacy youth to come out, and accumulate community hours.

Please be sure to wear appropriate clothing and footwear.

Help keep Legacy beautiful by volunteering your time and supporting this valuable community event. If you need further information or have suggestions for this activity or any other community setting related ideas, please contact Jean-Pierre at setting@legacynet.ca.

Legacy Community Ratepayers Association

info@LEGACYnet.ca

LEGACY PUBLIC SCHOOL CALENDAR IN AGENDA FORMAT IS ON OUR WEBSITE

legacy.ps.yrdsb.ca

Mon May 19	All day 6:30pm – 8:30pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⊕ Victoria Day - No School ⊕ CANCELLED THIS WEEK - Tamil Speaking Women's Group ✕
Tue May 20	All day All day All day 8:00am – 4:00pm 1:10pm – 1:50pm 1:10pm – 1:50pm 3:45pm – 5:00pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⊕ Earth Art Posters DEADLINE - Deliver to Room 124 - Room 124 ⊕ GR 1-8 MONDAY CLASS SCHEDULE ⊕ School Climate Survey for Parents/Guardians - https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/SchoolClimateParent2014 ⊕ GR 4&5 French Crêpes Demonstration in Staffroom - Staff Room ⊕ GR 6 Boys' Book Club Meeting in Portable 3 with Mrs. Wirth - Portable 3 ☐ ⊕ GR 5-7 Volleyball Practice in Gym - Gym ☐ ⊕ GR 3-6 Girls Can Run - Meet in the Music Room ☐
Wed May 21	All day All day 9:00am – 3:00pm 10:40am – 11:10am 1:10pm – 1:50pm 4:30pm – 6:00pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⊕ School Climate Survey for Parents/Guardians - https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/SchoolClimateParent2014 ⊕ Pizza Day ⊕ Community Class Track & Field Event ⊕ Ice Dawgs For Sale \$1.50 each ⊕ Student Council Meeting in Room 227 - Room 227 ☐ ⊕ Kindergarten Information Evening
Thu May 22	All day 9:00am – 3:30pm 10:40am – 10:55am 1:10pm – 1:50pm 1:10pm – 1:50pm 3:45pm – 5:00pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⊕ School Climate Survey for Parents/Guardians - https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/SchoolClimateParent2014 ⊕ GR 4-8 - Legacy Track & Field Day Outside - Outside ☐ ⊕ Terrific Treat Thursday ☐ 🧑 ⊕ GR 7 & 8 - GPS Club in Room 217 & Outside (Weather Permitting) - Room 217 & Outside ⊕ Asian/South Asian Heritage Day ☐ ⊕ GR 3-6 Girls Can Run - Meet in the Music Room ☐
Mon May 26	All day All day All day 1:50pm – 3:30pm 6:30pm – 8:30pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⊕ School Climate Survey for Parents/Guardians - - https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/SchoolClimateParent2014 ⊕ GR 8 Ottawa Trip ⊕ GR 3 & 6 - EQAO Testing ⊕ GR 7&8 Presentation from Covenant House in Gym - Gym ⊕ Tamil Speaking Women's Group in Library - Free Child Care - Library ☐
Tue May 27	All day All day All day 9:00am – 10:00am 9:00am – 12:00pm 9:30am – 10:30am 10:30am – 12:30pm 1:10pm – 1:50pm 1:10pm – 1:50pm 3:45pm – 5:00pm 6:30pm – 8:30pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⊕ School Climate Survey for Parents/Guardians - - https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/SchoolClimateParent2014 ⊕ GR 8 Ottawa Trip ⊕ GR 3 & 6 - EQAO Testing ⊕ Kaufman/Arumugam/Andrews - Bring Your Parent To School Day ⊕ GR 5 Scientist in the School Energy ☐ ⊕ GR 3 Firefighter Visit ⊕ Fostering Confidence Presentation in Library - All Parents are Welcome - Please RSVP online or Call - Library ⊕ GR 6 Boys' Book Club Meeting in Portable 3 with Mrs. Wirth - Portable 3 ☐ ⊕ GR 5-7 Volleyball Practice in Gym - Gym ☐ ⊕ GR 3-6 Girls Can Run - Meet in the Music Room ☐ ⊕ Fostering Confidence Presentation in Library - All Parents are Welcome - Please RSVP online or Call - Library
Wed May 28	All day All day All day 9:00am – 10:30am 9:00am – 12:00pm 1:10pm – 1:50pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⊕ School Climate Survey for Parents/Guardians - - https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/SchoolClimateParent2014 ⊕ GR 8 Ottawa Trip ⊕ GR 3 & 6 - EQAO Testing ⊕ Kindergarten Celebration & Concert Performance in Gym - Gym ☐ ⊕ GR 5 Scientist in the School Energy ☐ ⊕ Student Council Meeting in Room 227 - Room 227 ☐
Thu May 29	All day All day 9:00am – 10:30am 10:40am – 10:55am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⊕ School Climate Survey for Parents/Guardians - - https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/SchoolClimateParent2014 ⊕ GR 3 & 6 - EQAO Testing ⊕ Kindergarten Celebration & Concert Performance in Gym - Gym ☐ ⊕ Terrific Treat Thursday ☐ 🧑

LEGACY PUBLIC SCHOOL CALENDAR LINK ON OUR WEBSITE

<http://www.yrdsb.ca/schools/legacy.ps/NewsEvents/Pages/School-Calendar.aspx>

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9 Dental Screening Tuesday & W 7p School Council Meeting	9 Dental Screening Tuesday & W 9 Jr. Speech/Spoken Words Cont 1:10p GR 6 Boys' Book Club Mee	Pizza Day 8 Regional Track & Field 1:10p Student Council Meeting in	8 Rain Date - Regional Track & Fi 10:40 Terrific Treat Thursday	K-TT Staff Appreciation Lunch 9 Multicultural Event in Gym 9:30 Community Classes Field T +2 more
23	24	25	26	27
9 GR 4 Casa Loma Field Trip	9 GR 5&6 - Toogood Pond Field 1:10p GR 6 Boys' Book Club Mee 2p Firefighter Visit	GR 8 Graduation at Markham Di Reports Go Home	Noon Class Dismissal 10:40 Terrific Treat Thursday	PA DAY - No School