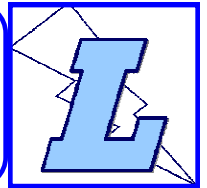




LEGACY PUBLIC SCHOOL

WEEKLY EBULLETIN FOR MARCH 27, 2015

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Creating safe and healthy schools for children with allergies

A special thanks to families for your help in avoiding sending peanut and nut products to school. There has been a reduction in the number of peanut and nut products brought to school in snacks and lunches and we would like to thank you for continuing to avoid sending these products to school with your child. Since even a small amount of the allergic substance can cause a life-threatening reaction, remaining vigilant in keeping these products out of our classrooms is our best method of preventing a serious reaction at school. Thank you again for your co-operation in this important issue.

Student Council Raffle

The Easter holiday is around the corner and Legacy's Student Council will be holding an Easter raffle to celebrate! Three Easter baskets filled with prizes and treats will be raffled on Thursday April 2nd. Tickets will be available for sale for only \$0.50 each next week (March 30th to April 2nd). We will be drawing a prize for each division (primary, junior, intermediate) giving everyone a great chance to win. Happy Easter and good luck!

Autism Awareness Week at Legacy - March 30th - April 2nd

In 2007, the United Nations General Assembly declared April 2 as World Autism Awareness Day (WAAD) with the goal of bringing the world's attention to autism, a pervasive disorder that affects tens of millions globally. WAAD shines a bright light on autism as a growing global health concern. WAAD activities help to increase and develop world knowledge of autism and impart information regarding the importance of early diagnosis and early intervention. Staff and students at Legacy will participate in a variety of activities and are encouraged to wear blue on Thursday to bring awareness to this important issue.

April is a Busy Month!!

We have several initiatives planned for the spring. Each one supports our goals for student achievement and well-being. This month, we will be participating in Autism Awareness Week (March 30-April 2); promoting healthy living through Sneak it in Week (April 7-10); and building our environmental awareness during Earth Week (20- 24). There is much more going on and we encourage you to take a look at our [school's calendar](#) to stay up to date!!

Happy Easter!

There will be no school on Friday April 3rd and Monday April 6th.

Mon Mar 30	All day	⊕ Day 2
	All day	⊕ Autism Awareness Week
	9:00am – 12:00pm	⊕ GR 8 - Markham Theatre - Flato Markham Theatre, 171 Town Centre Boulevard, Markham
	11:00am – 11:30am	⊕ Easter Basket Raffle Tickets 50 cents ☐
	1:10pm – 1:50pm	⊕ GR 4&5 JR Boys Basketball Tryouts with Mr. Carlisle - Gym ✕
	2:00pm – 2:30pm	⊕ GR 1-3 Autism Awareness Assembly in Gym
	2:45pm – 3:15pm	⊕ GR 4-8 Autism Awareness Assembly in Gym - Gym
	3:30pm – 5:00pm	⊕ Staff Meeting in Library ✕
Tue Mar 31	All day	⊕ Autism Awareness Week
	All day	⊕ Day 3
	All day	⊕ Dental Screening
	11:00am – 11:30am	⊕ Easter Basket Raffle Tickets 50 cents ☐
	11:15am – 11:30am	⊕ GR 7 & 8 GPS Club Information Session - Room 217
	1:10pm – 1:50pm	⊕ JR Sports Activities with Mr. Carlisle - Gym ☐
Wed Apr 1	All day	⊕ Autism Awareness Week
	All day	⊕ Dental Screening
	All day	⊕ PIZZA LUNCH
	All day	⊕ Day 4
	11:00am – 11:15am	⊕ \$1.25 Wacky Wednesday Snack Day - Outside Music Room & Room 211 ☐
	11:00am – 11:30am	⊕ Easter Basket Raffle Tickets 50 cents ☐
	1:10pm – 1:50pm	⊕ School Council Executive Meeting in Room 207 - Room 207
	1:10pm – 1:50pm	⊕ JR Sports Activities with Mr. Carlisle - Gym ☐
Thu Apr 2	All day	⊕ Autism Awareness Week
	All day	⊕ Wear Blue Today for "Light It Up Blue" for Autism Awareness Week
	All day	⊕ Day 5
	11:00am – 11:30am	⊕ Easter Basket Raffle Tickets 50 cents ☐
	11:00am – 11:30am	⊕ Grade 8 Ensemble Practice - Music Room 115 ☐
	1:10pm – 1:50pm	⊕ Battle of the Books Meeting in Room 110 - Room 110
	1:10pm – 1:50pm	⊕ JR Sports Activities with Mr. Carlisle - Gym ☐

Markham Recreation

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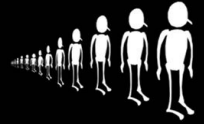


General Programs

Swimming Lessons

Summer Camps

SOCIAL MEDIA ZOMBIES



A presentation for parents and educators from Steve Chapelle

Thursday, April 9, 2015
7:00 - 8:00 pm

William Armstrong PS
gymnasium

Join us for an examination of the importance of applying critical thinking during social media usage. We will explore these concerns from an Android and iOS perspective:

- Cyberbullying
- Willful self-exposure
- Unsecured confidential information

Risks, examples and most importantly, prevention measures will be presented.

Please complete the form at the bottom and return it to William Armstrong PS by April 2. Last-minute walk-ins and childcare needs will also be accommodated. The presentation is for parents and educators-only.



About ...

Steve Chapelle has been providing social media behaviour education to Ontario schools and parents since 2006. Through this period he has also given information management best practices training to Canadian small business associations. Prior to this he spent 25 years in management and analyst roles across a range of technology. Steve has contributed to publications such as the Ontario Principals' Council's *OPC Register*, the Catholic Principals' Council of Ontario's *Principal Connections*, the *Lawyer's Weekly* and *The Bottom Line*. He has chaired a Toronto daycare, volunteered with Junior Achievement of Southern Ontario and is the father of two teenage children in Toronto.

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Yes, I _____ will attend, bringing a total of _____ adult guests.

My phone number: _____ My email address: _____

We require childcare. Number of children: _____ Children's ages: _____

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