



LEGACY PUBLIC SCHOOL E-BULLETIN

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Primary Concert



Please join us on
Wed, April 10th
for our Primary
Spring Concert
Grades 1-3
6:30-7:30 pm

Smencils

It is that time of year again Legacy! Once again the Legacy Student Council will be selling Smencils! You can buy 1 for \$2.00 or 3 for \$5.00. Smencils are scented pencils that make a great gift for friends and family, or just for yourself! They come in ten wonderful scents: bubble gum, strawberry, blue raspberry, blueberry, kiwi, pineapple, orange, rootbeer and black cherry. These pencils are fun, practical, and they are all made from recycled newspapers! Starting Monday, April 15th, Student Council members will be selling Smencils every morning recess until Thursday, April 18th. Sales will take place in the foyer, outside the gym.



AUTISM AWARENESS

APRIL 1st to 5th



Our Equity Team will be providing lunchtime education opportunities and raising money for Autism Awareness. Students will be encouraged to bring in a Toonie for Autism Research. When a student brings in a Toonie, they will be given a puzzle piece to colour.

APRIL 2nd-WEAR BLUE

KEY DATES

- Apr 1st-School Council Meeting
- Apr 2nd-Wear Blue for Autism
- Apr 4th-Spirit Day Twin Day
- Apr 10th Grade 1-3 Spring Concert
- Apr 10th- International Day of Pink
- Apr 13th-Vaisakhi

MOVE A THON

Legacy School Council is so excited to share the

Move A Thon Fundraiser raised just over

*** \$6600.00 ***

We would like to thank all our families for supporting this initiative!

All funds go directly back to the school to support students.



Please check our Calendar at:

<http://bit.ly/2DdPcaJ>



SCHOOL COUNCIL

Please join us in our Learning Commons for our School Council meeting on Monday, April 1st from 7:00-8:30 pm

KISS N RIDE WALL

We are pleased to notify our Legacy community that the half stone wall at the exit of the kiss n ride has been removed. Thank-you to our Safety Committee who advocated for this removal as it blocked the sidewalk and sight lines for drivers.

HEALTHY FOOD CHALLENGE

Mrs MacRae's class loved their healthy lunch provided by Public Health as the winners of York Region's Healthy Lunch Challenge
Congratulations!



“ Kindness is a silent smile, a friendly word, a nod of encouragement. Kindness is the single most powerful thing we can teach children. ”

- RAKtivist



Girls CAN Run®

Legacy Public School is excited to once again offer the Girls CAN Run program. Girls CAN Run was developed to provide every girl with an opportunity to recognize their potential through fitness and nutrition education. We focus on developing self-esteem, self-respect and a love for fitness. “Run” provides character development programs in an environment that inspires young girls to stay fit, have fun and discover their true potential.

The training sessions will also include activities and discussions about issues especially important to grade school girls. Legacy girls will be able to challenge themselves, embrace their differences and understand that no matter how fast a girl runs, the most important thing is that she has fun, and learns something new about herself and what she is able to achieve. By the end of our time together, it is our hope that our girls will have learned the importance of healthy peer relationships, how to stand up for herself in a healthy manner, and developed a stronger sense of self.

Girls Can Run is open to all girls in Grades 3-6 who want to make new friends, get fit and have fun! They will meet twice a week Mondays and Wednesdays from 3:45-5:00 pm. beginning April 9 to train for our celebratory 5K Run on Sunday, June 2, 2019. This year, they will once again participate as a group in the Unionville Festival Funky 5K.

There is a fee towards the implementation of the program, t-shirts and snacks. Please pay this fee on School Cash Online. If your daughter is interested in participating in Girls CAN Run, please return the permission form to Mrs. Ambtman by Friday, April 5.

WHAT'S GOING ON IN THE SCHOOL

ECO Club

Me to We

Student Council

Lunch Buddies

Wacky Snack

Library Helpers

Stacking Club

Primary Floor Hockey

Primary Games Club

Peer Mediators

Equity Team

Healthy Schools Club

Annie

Junior Basketball

Office Helpers



Say NO to Hate

How extremists target our students, and what to do about it

An event for parents/guardians, caregivers and secondary school students.

We invite you to join us in saying no to hate and to attend an important community forum.

You will learn more about:

- the dangers posed by right-wing extremism in our community
- the recruitment techniques being used in high schools
- how to address hate in our schools and community through education and action

April 8, 2019, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

**Newmarket High School
505 Pickering Crescent, Newmarket, Ontario**

This is a free event. Individual registration is required and space is limited.

To register, please visit <http://bit.ly/saynotohate>.

Please note that this event may cover sensitive content which is **not suitable for students under the age of 14**.

Featuring presentations by



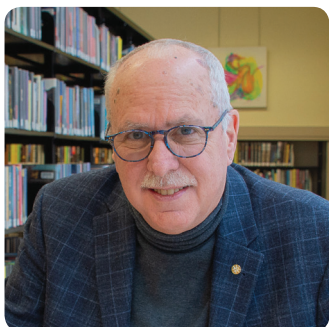
Elizabeth Moore

Elizabeth was born and raised in Scarborough, Ontario. While attending high school, a friend introduced her to the white supremacist group, the Heritage Front. Moved by feelings of anger and ignorance about the racial, cultural and economic tensions in her school, she embraced the racist-right. Elizabeth left the Front in 1995 and has since contributed to numerous anti-racist education and arts initiatives, reaching millions with her story of personal change. In 1998, her time within the Heritage Front made up part of the award-winning CBC drama, *White Lies*, starring Sarah Polley and Lynn Redgrave.



Evan Balgord

Evan is a journalist and researcher on the rise of the new far right in Canada, including the anti-Muslim movement, so-called patriot and militia groups, the alt-right, self-identifying fascists and neo-Nazis. Evan monitors hate groups across Canada and is often called on to share information with other journalists, researchers, law enforcement, and community organizations. He holds an Honours Bachelor of Science from the University of Toronto and double majored in psychology and sociology with a focus on racism, politics, and the link between speech, intentions, and behaviour. He is a fellow of the Munk School of Global Affairs Fellowship in Global Journalism.



Bernie M. Farber

Bernie's career spans more than a quarter century focused on human rights, pluralism and inter-ethnic/faith/race relations. Recognized and called upon by the courts, media and law enforcement as an expert in human and civil rights he is one of the few in the field to be accepted by Canadian Courts as an expert in hate crime, white supremacy and anti-racism. He has also worked closely with Canadian Indigenous communities on historical redress. He is Chair of the Canadian Anti-Hate Network and sits as a board member of Human Rights Watch.

If you have any concerns about hate-related crimes or other criminal activities please contact York Regional Police 1-866-876-5423.