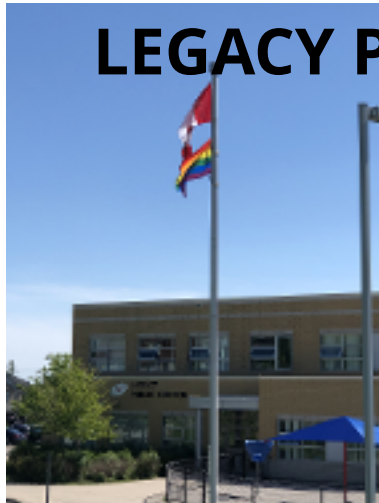


LEGACY PUBLIC SCHOOL E-BULLETIN



DATE: January 17th, 2020

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2020/2021 KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Kindergarten Registration Starts January 17, 2020

Kindergarten registration begins Friday, January 17 for the 2020-21 school year. We look forward to welcoming our new students and families to our school.

Children who turn four or five years old during 2020, live within the school boundary and whose parents/guardians are public school tax supporters will be eligible to register.

NEW

There are two ways you can register for Kindergarten:

Online. You can access the online registration information at bit.ly/KindergartenYRDSB.

A laptop or desktop computer is strongly recommended to complete the online registration, rather than a mobile device. Once you have completed the forms online, you will need to take some required documents to your school for verification only.

In person. Families are welcome to visit the school in person to register beginning January 17. Registration forms are available at the school or on the Board's website at bit.ly/KindergartenYRDSB

THAI PONGAL

The Tamil Harvest festival continues until January 18th

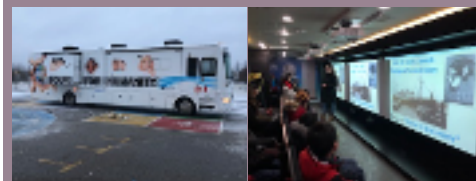
Learning about Thai Pongal

The festival's most significant practice is the preparation of the traditional "pongal" dish. It utilizes freshly harvested rice, and is prepared by boiling it in milk and raw cane sugar. Sometimes additional ingredients are added to the sweet dish, such as raisins, cardamom, coconut and cashew nuts. Pongal is cooked in clay pots on stoves similar to the picture below.



Tour For Humanity

Grade 6-8 students participated in an in-school field trip this past week called the
The Canadian Experience



In this workshop, students learned about a variety of topics in Canadian history including the Indian Residential School System and the systemic internment of Japanese Canadians during the Second World War. Following a review of the past, current issues including cyber bullying and modern-day examples of intolerance were examined and discussed.



UPCOMING KEY DATES

Jan 22nd-Walk to School Wednesday

Jan 24th- Dress Backwards Day

Jan 25th- Lunar New Year

Jan 31st-PA Day -NO SCHOOL

Feb 4th-7th-Grade 2 and 4's to Milne

Feb 5th- Winter Walk Day and World Read Aloud day

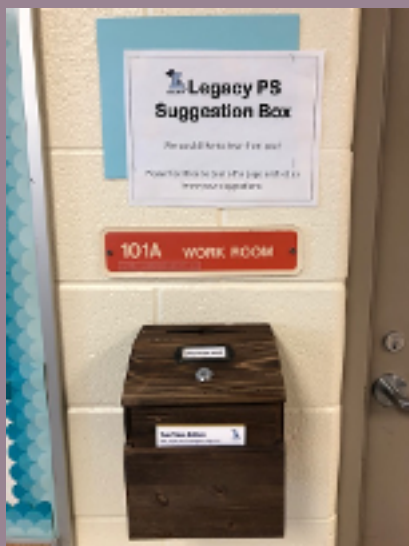
Please check our Calendar at:

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



Your Voice Matters

We want to hear from you!
What are Legacy PS greatest strengths and how can we make our school even better?
Drop a note in our school suggestion box



SCHOOL COUNCIL VACANCY

There is a vacancy on our school council for interested candidates. If a vacancy or vacancies in the membership of School Council arise during the school year, School Council is required to communicate the vacancy(ies) to the parents and school community and request candidates to come forward to fill those vacant positions.

1. A person is qualified to be a parent/guardian member of a school council if he or she is a parent/guardian of a pupil who is enrolled in the school. O. Reg. 612/00, s. 4 (1).
2. A person is not qualified to be a parent/guardian member of a school council if, he or she is employed at the school;

If you are interested in applying for this vacancy please contact Shelley Jones at shelley.jones@yrdsb.ca or contact the school office

MATH, MATH and more MATH!

Legacy School Council Present: Math Nights for Parents

Registration for these math nights will be through School Cash Online beginning Tuesday, January 21st. Space is limited so register early.

Wednesday, January 29, 2020 – An evening with Professor Trevor Brown for Parents with children in grades JK-3

Professor Brown will help parents understand why Math is taught the way it is now, and how to help support your children's learning in a fun/joyful/inquisitive way.

Wednesday, February 12, 2020 – An evening with TVO for Parents with children in grades 7-8.

Representatives from TVO will introduce you to mathify and help your child to get signed on. **TVO Mathify** is a practical, interactive digital learning tool that is live and provides free 1:1 online after school math tutoring with an Ontario Certified Teacher. You can log in between 3:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.ET from Sunday to Thursday for one-on-one tutoring.

Wednesday, February 26, 2020 – An evening with Professor Trevor Brown for Parents with children in grades 4-6.

Professor Brown will help parents understand why Math is taught the way it is now, and how to help support your children's learning in a fun/joyful/inquisitive way.



WHAT IS GOING ON IN THE SCHOOL?

Me to We Club (Grade 7-8)	Lunch Buddies (Gr 5 and 6)
School Council (Grade 6-8)	Peer Mediators (Gr 5-8)
Office Helpers	Intramural Basketball (Gr 4-8)
Class Economy (Gr 8)	Legacy Talent Club (Gr 4-8)
Announcement Teams	Int Boys and Girls Volleyball
Walk to School -Active School Travel	Eco Club
Equity Committee	Play Leaders
	Games Club (Gr 1-4)