

Sharon P.S. Flyer

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Upcoming Dates At A Glance

February - Black History Month

March

1st - Jr. Co-Ed Volleyball (Regional)
2nd - P.A. Day - No School
5th - Term 2 starts
6th - 100th day of school
7th-9th - Valentine o'gram sales
14th - Jump Rope For Heart
16th- Huddle up Assembly
19th - Family Day - No School
21st - Int. Boys Basketball (Area)
23rd - Gr. 8 Grad Photos
28th - Pink Shirt Day (Wear pink to say NO to bullying)

12th-16th - March Break28th - Huddle Up Player'sAssembly30th - Good Friday

Future newsletters will not be sent home in print copy. Please visit the school website: https://sharon.ps.yrdsb.ca

Message From Our Trustee

With report cards coming home, this is a good time of year to review your child's progress and to set goals for the rest of the school year.

As trustees, our goals are set out in the Board <u>Multi-Year Plan</u>. In the coming months, trustees will be reviewing and updating this plan. This process will include opportunities for public input, and trustees will be out in the communities talking about this. More information will be shared about this in the spring.

Developing and reviewing the Multi-Year Plan is just one of our responsibilities as publicly elected officials. Trustee responsibilities also include hiring the Director of Education, setting <u>Board policies</u> and the <u>annual budget</u>, and communicating with the public.

This is a good time to learn more about the <u>role of trustees</u> with the next <u>municipal election</u> taking place later this year on October 22, 2018. York Region District School Board has <u>12 trustees</u>, elected by ratepayers. As a trustee, listening and communicating with families is an important part of my role. Students, families and members of the public are welcome to attend and observe any public Board, Advisory or Board Committee meetings and to share their views with us on policy and Board governance.

As we move into the second half of the year, I hope that you are seeing evidence of your child's learning and progress, and finding opportunities to get involved in their learning and the life of the school.

I wish you all the best for a successful second term.

School Cash Online

All YRDSB schools are now using School Cash Online as an online payment system. School Cash Online is an easy, safe and convenient way for families to pay online for extracurricular items or events, including yearbooks and field trips. It helps to reduce paper and the amount of cash/cheques handled by parents and students.

Families may make payments using School Cash Online, or by cash or cheque.

You can<u>register for School Cash Online</u> at any time. There is also a button on our school website. Once you are registered, you will be notified of any new items available for your child.

Student Drop Off and Pick Up & Student Safety

Please be mindful that supervision does not start until 8:45 am, and students may not be left on their own (inside or outside) prior to that time.

Bus Loop and Pick up/Drop off

The lot at the front of the school is off limits to parents during the bus times - 8:45 - 9:00 am and 3:15 - 4:00 pm. To ensure student safety, please use the Kiss and Ride loop, as opposed to the bus loop. If your child is arriving late, please park and walk your child into the school. If you are picking up your child early, please park and come in as opposed to stopping in the bus loop.

If a child is arriving at 9:00 they are considered late, and will need to come into the office to sign in before heading to class.

Thank you for supporting Student Safety

18/19 Kindergarten Registration continues

Kindergarten registration commenced on January 19, 2018 for the 2018-19 school year. Registration forms are available on YRDSB's website: <u>www.yrdsb.ca</u>. Children who turn four or five years old during 2018, live within the school boundary and whose parents are public school tax supporters will be eligible to register for kindergarten. A kindergarten information session for parents is being planned for this spring. For more information please visit the YRDSB website or contact your local school.

Updating Student Immunization Records for York Region Public Health

If parents/guardians or students receive a letter from York Region Public Health requesting immunization information, here's what to do:

Update York Region Public Health on your child's immunization status in one of the following ways:

- Online at <u>https://eimmunization.york.ca</u>
- Fax documents to 905-895-6066 or 1-866-258-2026
- Mail immunization information to Immunization Services, Box 147, Newmarket, ON L3Y 6Z1
- Call York Region Public Health at 1-877-464-9675 ext. 73456

Spirit Committee - Upcoming Spirit Days

February is Black History Month



Tuesday Feb 6 - 100th Day of School - Dress like a 100 year old to celebrate!

Feb 7th, 8th & 9th - Valentine O'Grams for sale - \$1.00 each They will be delivered Feb 14th.

Wednesday Feb 28th - Pink Shirt Day - Say NO to Bullying!

Student Absences

Please **DO NOT** email absence notes to the teacher. Please inform the office by phone at 905-478-4952. (You can leave a voicemail on our attendance line 24 hours a day), or by email at sharon.ps@yrdsb.ca. We will notify the teacher. Please include your child's first and last name, teacher, reason and anticipated return to school date.

Inclement Weather - Call in Absences

If the YRDSB deems a day an Inclement Weather Day, all bus and taxi transportation will be cancelled. If your child will be late or absent, please inform the school before 9:00 a.m. to
avoid an attendance phone call. You may leave a message 24 hours a day at 905-478-4952
on the attendance line, or you may email us at sharon.ps@yrdsb.ca to inform us of your
child's attendance.

Please note that the regular school arrival procedure of calling home for absent students is not in effect for eligible bussing students on a Board declared inclement weather day.

No Hot Lunches

Please be reminded that on Inclement Weather Days, there is no hot lunch (pizza, subs, Lunch Lady) delivery. If you send your child to school, please make sure s/he has a lunch!

Please arrange to pick your child up by 3:30 p.m.

Inclement weather days mean transportation is cancelled, but the school is still open. If you send your child to school, please be aware that you are responsible for arranging their transportation home by 3:30 p.m.! Thank you for your cooperation.

Bussing

- 1. Per Student Transportation Services policy, students may not ride on any bus that they are not already assigned to.
- STSYR works closely with school bus operators to help ensure safe, reliable transportation is provided to students. Occasionally service times may be disrupted for various reasons. As a result, parents and students are encouraged to review the Late Bus Report

http://net.schoolbuscity.com/latebus



KINDRED SPIRITS ORCHESTRA Kristian Alexander | Music Director Saturday, February 10, 2018 Flato Markham Theatre, 8 pm THE WILL OF LIFE

NIELSEN, Symphony No. 4 PROKOFIEV, Piano concerto No. 3 VINCENT HO, Rejuvenation: A Taoist Journey



Kristian Alexander conductor

905.305.7469 171 Town Centre Blvd MarkhamTheatre.ca



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LIVE ARTS MATTERS.



Yi Qin narrator



Leonid Nediak pianist







School Bus Cancellation Notice

To ensure the safety of students, school bus service may be cancelled due to inclement weather, extreme temperatures and/or poor road conditions. In these cases, parents and students should develop alternate care/transportation arrangements.

Cancellation decisions will only be made after thorough consultation with the Safety Officers of school bus companies servicing York Region and are based on several factors including precipitation, air temperature, road conditions and weather forecast.

Please note the following;

- A decision to cancel school bus service will be region-wide meaning all school buses, vans and taxis will not operate.
- School bus routes may be cancelled when severe weather may not be affecting all municipalities in York Region. Both the YRDSB and YCDSB operate many regional educational programs. Students attending these programs are transported over large attendance areas encompassing several municipal boundaries. This limits the ability to cancel bus service using a municipality or zone methodology.
- When bus service is cancelled all school tests and/or examinations will be cancelled and rescheduled.
- Student trips involving the use of school buses will also be cancelled.
- Unless otherwise stated, schools will remain open and parents can make arrangements to transport their children to and from school even if school bus service is cancelled. If buses are cancelled in the morning, they will not operate in the afternoon. Therefore students transported to school by parents will require the same transportation home.

Parents, students and school staff are asked to access the following radio and television stations after 6:00 a.m. to receive bus cancellation information:

RADIO

590 AM	640 AM	680 AM	860 AM	1010 AM	1050 AM
1540 AM	1580 AM	88.5 FM	89.9 FM	92.5 FM	93.1 FM
94.9 FM	95.9 FM	97.3 FM	98.1 FM	99.1 FM	99.9 FM
101.1 FM	102.1 FM	104.5 FM	100.7 FM	105.9	107.1 FM

TELEVISION

CITY TV CTV Barrie CTV Toronto CP24 GLOBAL NEWS

A bus cancellation message will also be available at <u>www.schoolbuscity.com</u> and by calling 1-877-330-3001, or by following @YRDSB and @YCDSB on twitter. Live in EG! Play in EG!

2018 Outdoor Soccer Season REGISTRATION NOW OPEN Register online: www.egsc.ca

2018 REGISTRATION FEES	Jan 1 – Feb 28	Mar 1 – Apr 15*
Micro: U4-U6	\$170.00	\$220.00
Mini: U8-U10	\$185.00	\$235.00
Youth: U12-U18	\$200.00	\$250.00
Over 30: (7 a-side)	\$200.00	\$200.00
Adult: (11 a-side)	\$230.00	\$230.00
*Additional fees may apply for any regist	ration received after April 15	

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2018 LEAGUES AVAILABLE

Micro: U4, U5, U6 Mini: (Boys and Girls) U8, U10 Youth: (Boys and Girls) U12, U14, U16, U18

Adult (all skill levels welcome): Men (Open), Men (30+), Women (Open), Women (30+)

For full details on league format, program description & night of play visit www.egsc.ca • (905) 473-7656 • admin@egsc.ca • #soar2018

Division	Location(s)	Game Formats	Offer	ed on
U4 (2014 Mixed)		3v3 (15 minutes)	Tuesday or Saturday	
U5 (2013 Mixed)	Mount Albert	3v3 (20 minutes)	Wednesday or Saturday	
U6 (2012) Boys & Girls		4v4 (30 minutes)	Thursday or Saturday	
			Game	Optional
U8 Boys (2011-10)	Mount Albert	5v5 (2X25 halves)	Wednesday	Monday (Staff Led)
U8 Girls (2011-10)			Thursday	
U10 Boys (2009-08)	Mount Albert	7v7 (2X25 halves)	Tuesday	
U10 Girls (2009-08)			Tuesday	
U12 Boys (2007-06)	Mount Albert,	9v9 (2X30 halves)	Tuesday	Monday (Staff Led)
U12 Girls (2007-06)	Georgina		Thursday	
U14 Boys (2005-04)	Mount Albert,		Thursday	Monday (Staff Led)
U14 Girls (2005-04)	Georgina, Newmarket,	11v11 (2X45 halves)	Wednesday	
U16 Boys (2003-02)	Stouffville,		Tuesday	N/A
U16 Girls (2003-02)	Markham		Tuesday	

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February

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				Volleyball	No School	
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