

Sharon Flyer

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January Character Trait: Fairness/ Tolerance

Upcoming Events

January

- 4 First Day Back From Holidays
- 11 Scientists in the Classrooms
Gr. 1-8
- 15 P.A. Day
- 15 Kindergarten Registration Begins
- 20 Dairy Presentations in the library
Gr. K-4
- 21 Gr. 1&2 at Stephen Leacock
Theatre - a.m.
- 26 Gr. 8 Course Selection - afternoon
- 27 Mixed Jr. Volleyball Tournament
- 27 School Council Meeting 7:00p.m.
- 29 Bonhomme Carnaval Day
(snowman spirit day)

February

- 1 PA Day
- 2 Meningitis Gr. 7
- 3 Electives Day For Gr. 3 - 8
- 9 Grad Photos
- 11 &12 Valentine-O-Gram Sales
- 15 Family Day
- 16 French Concert Gr. 5 & 6 - a.m.
- 16 100th Day Of School
- 17 Michael Wade Author Visit Gr. 3-6
- 17 -19 Muskoka Woods Trip Gr. 7&8
- 23 Sr. Boys Basketball
- 24 Pink Shirt Day (wear pink to
support no bullying)
- 24 Council Meeting 7:00p.m.
- 25 Sr. Girls Basketball

A Message From The Principal

Dear Sharon Families,

I wish to inform you that I have submitted my resignation for the purpose of retirement, effective April 30, 2016.

It has been a pleasure working with your children, the community and yourselves for the past six years.

Yours Sincerely,
Steven White

A letter from Second Chance....

“Dear Students & Teachers,

I would like to thank you for the generous donation from your food drive in support of our second Chance Clothing Depot and Food Closet.

Since 2011, we have been open every Wednesday morning throughout the year. In 2014, we helped 35 families consisting of 57 adults and 37 children and in 2015 the numbers have been increasing every week. Many of our families visit the Depot and Food Closet on a monthly basis receiving not only clothing but food and food gift cards. The need is continuing to grow as we see more and more new families arriving every month.

Unfortunately, there is a great need for our services in the community and your help is most appreciated.

Thank you,
Janice Hodgson, Outreach Chair
Second Chance Clothing Depot & Food Clothing Closet”



Cold Weather Wear

We wish to remind students and parents at Sharon P.S. that we believe that children learn better when they receive regular intervals of exercise and fresh air. We send the children out for either a full or a shortened recess in everything but the **most** inclement weather. We keep a close eye on all conditions; including wind chill, before making our decisions which are based on parameters set out by our Board. When conditions necessitate, we may decide that students remain inside for recess. Conditions may vary from school to school, so it's important that we continue to make decisions based on conditions at our school. We ask that children are appropriately dressed for the weather: warm hat, gloves, scarf, coat, pants and boots at this time of year. **Please send extra socks, mitts and pants in your child's backpack in case these items become wet during the recess breaks. We have no way to dry these items.** If any family is in need of a ski jacket or snow pants, hats or mitts, please let us know.



Kindergarten Registration Begins January 15, 2016

Kindergarten registration will commence on January 15, 2016 for the 2016-17 school year. Registration forms are available on YRDSB's website: www.yrdsb.ca. Children who turn four or five years old during 2016; 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 and children will be planned for May. Further information will follow including the date and time.



French Immersion Registration Begins January 15, 2016

Information sessions for the French Immersion (FI) program will take place at French Immersion schools on January 14, 2016 at 7 p.m. Please visit YRDSB's website in January 2016 (<http://www.yrdsb.ca/Programs/fi/Pages/Program-Locations.aspx>) to find the FI program location for your elementary school location. FI registration will begin January 15, 2016. Parents or guardians of Senior Kindergarten students entering Grade 1 in 2016, and wishing to enroll in the FI Program, can visit or call the school office and request an *Office Index Card - short version*. The Office Index Card must be signed by the principal of the home school. Parents or guardians then take this form, along with one piece of identification showing their address to the designated FI program location to register between January 15 and February 12, 2016. This eliminates the need to provide duplicate enrollment information or to pre-register.

Thank You!

Sharon Public School would like to thank the community for your generous support of our Holiday Hero Toy Drive. With your donations, we were able to help families within our community.

Elf Day News

A huge thank you to all volunteers, staff, students and families for their support of another successful Elf Day. We raised \$6000 to provide students with enhanced learning at Sharon!





January 2016



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4 Back To School LUNCH LADY	5 PIZZA	6 SUBWAY	7 LUNCH LADY	8 LUNCH LADY	9
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31	<div data-bbox="332 1837 1279 1978" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Character Matters! Fairness/Tolerance We are sensitive to the needs of each individual. We treat each other as we wish to be treated ourselves. We interact with others without stereotyping, prejudice or discrimination. We stand up for human rights.</p> </div>					