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Upcoming Dates At A Glance

November

- 1st - QSP Kick Off
- 1st - Gr 8 to Huron
- 2nd - Picture Retake Day
- 3rd - Skating (JK - 2/3)
- 7th - Int girls volleyball
- 8th - Dental Screening (JK,SK, 2, 8)
- 13th - Scientists in Schools
- 15th - Int. Boys Volleyball (Area)
- 17th - Wonder the Movie (Gr. 4-8)
- 21st - Report Cards Come Home
- 22nd - Int. Girls Volleyball (Area)
- 23rd - Interview Evening
- 24th - PA Day (Interview Morning)
- 27th - Gr 2 @ Sibbald Point
- 28th - Gr 8 to Huron Showcase
- 29th - Gr 4 @ Sibbald Point
- 29th - Int. Boys Regional Volleyball
- 30th - Int. Girls Reg. Volleyball

December

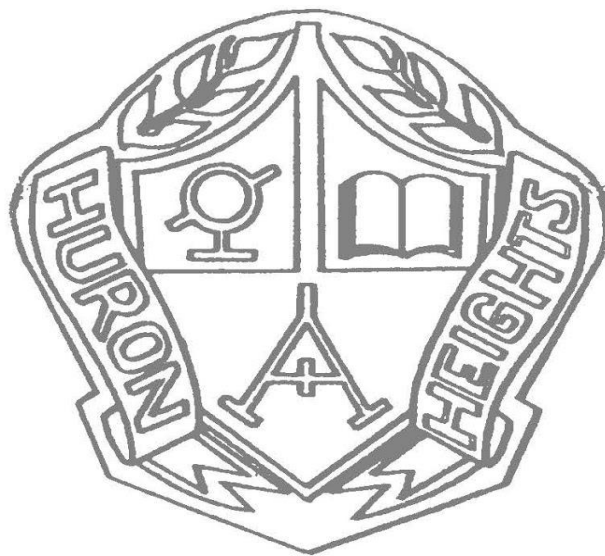
- 1st - Skating (Gr. 3/4-5/6)
- 9th - Elf Day
- 12th - Jr Boys Area Volleyball
- 14th - Jr. Girls Area Volleyball
- 23rd - Jan 7 - Christmas Break

Future newsletters will not be sent home in print copy. Please visit the school website:

<https://sharon.ps.yrdsb.ca>

Huron Heights Secondary School

Grade 8
Information Night



Grade Eight Students, Parents,
Teachers, Principals

You are cordially invited to attend
An Open House and Information Session
At Huron Heights Secondary School

On Thursday, November 16, 2017 At 7:00
p.m. in the Cafeteria

Flu Season is on its way – are you ready?



Flu season is nearly here. Be prepared by getting the flu shot as early as possible.

The first and best step to preventing influenza (the flu), is to get the flu shot every year. Influenza spreads quickly and easily from an infected person to others.

Everyone six months of age and older can get the flu shot.

Flu shots are available at:

- Health care provider's offices for people six months of age and older
- Participating pharmacies, for people five years of age and older

Visit ontario.ca/flu to find where you can get the flu shot.

How can the flu be avoided?

- Get the flu shot!
- [Wash your hands](#) well and often with soap and warm water. If soap and water are unavailable, use an alcohol-based [hand sanitizer](#)
- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze and throw the tissue out immediately. Wash your hands afterward. Cough into your upper sleeve if you don't have a tissue.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Avoid large crowds and stay home when you are sick
- Keep common surfaces and items clean and disinfected

To learn more about flu and the flu vaccine visit york.ca/flu

Community and Health Services

Public Health



NOW OPEN!



2017-18 SPEAKUP PROJECT GRANTS



Students in grades 7-12 at publicly funded schools! SpeakUp Projects Grants of up to \$2,500 can help you lead projects that make a difference.

Learn more and apply online at ontario.ca/speakup



Helpful Tips and Information

Hotmail and YRDSB Issues

Please be advised that over the course of the last several months we have been experiencing some difficulty with mass communications to our community. This affects all “hotmail” addresses, particularly when a mass mailing is involved. For those affected, please provide the office with a new email address so that you will be in receipt of future mail with important reminders and information. The York Region District School Board is working on resolving this issue.

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 child’s first and last name, teacher, reason and anticipated return to school date.

Bussing

1. Per Student Transportation Services policy, students may not ride on any bus that they are not already assigned to.
2. 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>

School Council News

QSP – November

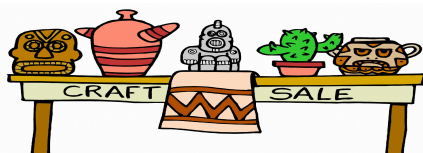
SPS will be kicking off our QSP fundraising campaign on November 1st. We have lots of exciting new items available to purchase this year including magazine favourites (so don't forget to renew your subscription or maybe choose something else from the 150+ titles offered), Dream Big brochure with Reversible Christmas Gift Wrap and of course, for those of you with a sweet tooth, QSP cookie dough with two exciting new flavours! QSP information packs with full information will be issued on November 1st."

Cookie Dough is not going to be able to be picked up at Elf Day as delivery is Monday to Friday only and we have no room in the freezer to store it. There will be extra ordered for sale at Elf Day but it will be minimal and can therefore be stored in the freezer for this purpose.



SAVE THE DATE!! ELF DAY – DECEMBER 9TH!!

SPS will be holding our 8th Annual 'Elf Day' Holiday Bazaar on Saturday, December 9th. More information will follow at a later date.



East Gwillimbury Santa Claus Parade

School Council will have a Walking Group in the Santa Claus Parade on November 12. Families are welcome to participate by meeting behind the E.G. Civic Centre as outlined in the e-bulletin sent out by SPS on October 25.



School Council

The first School Council meeting for the 2017-18 was held on October 2nd. Your elected Council Members are: Zoe Graham as Chair, and Sofia Bountas as Treasurer. We are still in need of a Secretary to take minutes at our meetings. If you would like to volunteer, please contact the school. Our **next Council Date is December 4th** Please plan to join us – there are so many ways to get involved – with your ideas, your time, or just to come out and meet other families and help us to make our school even better.

Adventure Day

Scanlon Creek Nature Centre
PA Day Camp (ages 6-12 years)

PROGRAM DATES AND FEES

- Friday November 17th, 2017
- Friday November 24th, 2017
- Friday January 26th, 2018
- Friday February 2nd, 2018

HOURS: 9 am - 4 pm* FEE: \$45 per day

*Extended camp hours available until 5 pm sharp:
\$10 per participant per day

CONNECT WITH NATURE through a
variety of activities:

- Shelter and Fire Building
- Pirate Treasure Hunt
- Snowshoeing/Kicksledding
- Olympic Themed Winter Games
- Orienteering
- Arts and Crafts

LOCATION

Scanlon Creek Nature Centre
2450 9th Line, Bradford

To register visit www.LSRCA.on.ca/education
Send inquiries to education@LSRCA.on.ca



Let the adventure begin!



Join us for an
exciting **PA Day**
full of exploration,
fun and adventure!

Register Now

November 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
			QSP Kickoff	Picture Re-takes	Skating Gr. JK - Gr. 2/3	
			Gr. 8 to Huron Heights			
5	6		7		8	9
		Int. Girl's Volleyball	Dental Screening Gr. JK, SK, 2 & 8			
12	13		14		15	16
E.G. Santa Claus Parade	Scientists in Schools 		Int. Boy's Volleyball Area		Gr. 4 - 8 to see Wonder The Movie 	18
19	20		21		22	23
		Report Cards go home	Int. Girl's Volleyball Area	Interview Evening	P.A. Day	25
					Interview Morning	
26	27	28	29	30	30	
	Gr. 2 @ Sibbald Point	Gr. 8 @ Showcase Huron	Gr. 4 @ Sibbald Point	Int. Girl's Volleyball Regional		
			Int. Boy's Volleyball Regional			