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To the parents/guardians of «[First_Name](#)» «[Last_Name](#)»

INFORMATION ITEMS

This e-bulletin contains important school information and a summary of your child's attendance. If you have any comments or feedback, please email Jean Janzen at jean.janzen@yrdsb.ca

Student of the Week:

Congratulations to Jessica Byam for being chosen as this week's "Student of the Week". Well done!

York Regional Police Press Release

Dear Parents,

York Regional Police have asked our school to share the attached press release with our school community. We continue to reinforce the importance of personal safety to our students and encourage you to do the same. If you have any questions or information regarding the attached press release, please contact YRP at 1-866-876-5423 ext. 7341, or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

Thank you for your ongoing support and commitment to our school and student safety.

Sincerely,

Dan Gillis
Sutton DHS



[2017-11-16]
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Girls' Night In

Girls'Night In is coming up on Thursday, November 23 from 3:30-9:30. It's a night for all girls to come out and participate in games, activities and workshops of their choosing. Dinner will be provided. It promises to be a fun night that rejuvenates the mind, body and spirit. Please pick up a brochure from the main office. The event is free for all girls.

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 www.schoolbuscity.com and by calling 1-877-330-3001, or by following @YRDSB and @YCDSB on twitter.

Guidance News

Full Disclosure

The Ministry of Education has legislated that students taking grades 11 and 12 courses are subject to a Full Disclosure Policy. This policy states that all grade 11 and 12 courses attempted by students must be recorded on Ontario Student Transcripts. This means that any course completed, dropped, failed, taken at day school, night school or summer school will appear on a student's transcript along with the marks earned in the program. This semester the Full Disclosure date for courses completed at SDHS is **November 23, 2017**. This means that all courses must be dropped by the end of this day so that they do not appear on transcripts. Parents and students who have questions about this policy should contact the Guidance Department at 905-722-3281.

Class of 2018- Remind App

Is your son/daughter graduating this year? Students and their parents are encouraged to sign up and receive texts/notifications from SDHS Guidance regarding post-secondary pathway information, application deadlines and graduation updates.

From your smartphone: open your web browser and go to the following link rmd.at/6h7adg OR Text the message @6h7adg to the number (587) 316-6156

Don't have a mobile phone? Go to rmd.at/6h7adg on a desktop computer and sign up for email notifications.

Message from Public Health

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

YRDSB Scent Free Policy

The YRDSB has a scent-free policy and this policy includes SDHS. Many students do not realize that wearing fragrances to school or applying them at school before class or after gym can cause another person exposed to have an allergic reaction. This reaction can be as minor as watery eyes to full out anaphylaxis where their throat closes up and they stop breathing. Some people can develop an allergic reaction which results in asthma and every exposure can make the symptoms worse. The solution is simple.

1. Do not wear fragrances to school.
2. Do not apply fragrances while at school.
3. Obey SDHS scent-free policy.

School Council Information

The SDHS School Council will meet at 7 p.m. in the school library on the following dates:
November 20, 2017; Feb. 20, 2018; and May 22, 2018.
 (all dates are subject to change)

School Council Co-Chairs: Tiffany Drummond and Tracy Sedore-Drinkwater
 School Council e-mail address sutton.dhs@sc.yrdsb.ca

Upcoming Events

Nov. 20	School Council Meeting – 7:00 p.m.
Nov. 23	Full Disclosure (see description under “Guidance News”).
Nov. 23	Girls’ Night In – 3:30–9:30 p.m.
Nov. 24	PA Day

Attendance Report

Please review the following attendance report. The report includes all lates and absences for your son/daughter for the week of November 3-16, 2017 inclusive.

The attendance report below contains information for all courses attended. Classes with zero lates and

zero absences may not appear on the report.

Please note: the midterm and final report card is the official document for reporting attendance. Students and/or their parents can pick up a detailed attendance report from the Attendance Office.

Course	Period	Teacher	Total Absences	Total Lates
«Course_A»	«Period_A»	«Teacher_Last_A»	«Absence_A»	«Lates_A»
«Course_B»	«Period_B»	«Teacher_Last_B»	«Absence_B»	«Lates_B»
«Course_C»	«Period_C»	«Teacher_Last_C»	«Absence_C»	«Lates_C»
«Course_D»	«Period_D»	«Teacher_Last_D»	«Absence_D»	«Lates_D»
Totals			«Total_Abs»	«Total_Lates»

COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER HOURS

As a graduation requirement, students are required to complete 40 hours of community volunteer hours. It is recommended that students complete these hours in grades 9, 10 and 11. «First_Name» «Last_Name» has completed «Community_Servi» hours of community volunteer hours. Community volunteer hour forms can be found in the Guidance Office. Please be advised the completed forms are processed periodically, the hours submitted to the office may not appear for up to four weeks. Please contact the Guidance Office to follow up should community service hours not appear after that time.

Community Events

Holiday Bazaar

Linking Georgina - The Training Centre - Georgina Trades Training Inc. (GTTI) One Stop Holiday Shopping - Nov 19 - 11am-3pm at the LINK - Sutton
[OSHS 2017 Vendor Flyer.pdf](#)

Late bus Information

Late Bus Pass Schedule
Monday - Thursday - Pefferlaw
Tuesday and Thursday - Keswick
No late busses on Fridays

HOLIDAYS, CELEBRATIONS AND OBSERVANCES IN OUR GLOBAL COMMUNITY

Sikhism

November 24 Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahadar Ji. The Guru was executed in 1675 C.E. by a Mughal emperor. Sikhs believe that he gave his life to save the Hindu faith and religious liberty.

SUTTON DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL LINKS

Sutton District High School Website
<http://www.suttondistrict.hs.ca>
York Region District School Board
<http://www.yrdsb.ca>

Sutton DHS email address
sutton.dhs@yrdsb.ca