

Thornhill PS Email Information: Monday February 17, 2025

**please note that all previous Parent Weekly memo are archived on our website [here](#)*

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday, February 17

- **Family Day – No School**

Tuesday, February 18

- Homework Club – Ms. Noordeh
- Pizza Day – for those who ordered
- Report Cards - Electronic Distribution this week on Family Dashboard
- Intermediate Boys BB 3:30 @ Yorkhill

Wednesday, February 19

- Intermediate Boys BB 3:30 @ Johnsvie
- Popcorn Distribution for those who ordered

Thursday, February 20

- Subway Sandwich Day– for those who ordered
- RESCHEDULED: Learning Through Play Event – join us at 6 p.m.

Friday, February 21

- Homework Club – Ms. Sacks

EVENTS NEXT WEEK

Monday, February 24

- Homework Club – Ms. Rehan

Tuesday, February 25

- Homework Club – Ms. Noordeh
- Pizza Day – for those who ordered

Wednesday, February 26

- **Pink** Shirt Day

Thursday, February 27

- Subway Sandwich Day– for those who ordered

Friday, February 28

- Homework Club – Ms. Sacks
- Int. Boys Basketball - Areas

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- Reporting Students Absences
- Popcorn – Spring Orders**still available until March 27th
- Parent Morning Drop off Reminders
- Board Celebration of Black History

SPRING PIZZA LUNCH ORDERS

Thornhill Public School is pleased to offer individually boxed cheese pizza slices from Pizza Pizza and sandwiches from Subway for sale as our Spring 2025 Lunch Program. This is a part of our fundraising efforts to support school-based initiatives. Please see [this flyer](#) for more details.

TERM ONE REPORT CARDS

The YRDSB Family Dashboard will give you one-stop access to information and applications related to your child's education. It is designed to make it easier for you to engage with your child's education.

Access the Family Dashboard at family.yrdsb.ca.

Report Cards

Term 1 Report Cards will be available in the Family Dashboard. Parents/guardians will receive an email letting you know when the report card is available for your child and how to access it.

Setting Up Your Account

If you do not have a Family Dashboard account, you can create one at any time by visiting family.yrdsb.ca, clicking on "No account?" and "Create one."

****When creating an account, you must use the email address you have on file at your child's school.***

Detailed instructions and frequently asked questions are available at <https://www2.yrdsb.ca/family-dashboard>.

Families are invited to share their feedback on the Family Dashboard through a [short survey](#) available in the Dashboard.

RESCHEDULED: LEARNING THROUGH PLAY EVENING

We invite you and your child to join us for **Learning Through Play Night** on **Thursday, February 20th, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.!**

Our staff has prepared a variety of exciting activities, including **cooking, building, games, sports, and more!** Plus, enjoy **hot chocolate and prizes** as part of this fun-filled evening.

Want to make the night extra cozy? Feel free to wear your **pajamas!**

FAMILIES PLANNING TO MOVE OR STUDENTS NOT RETURNING IN SEPTEMBER

Dear Families,

As we begin our planning for the 2025-2026 school year, we kindly ask you to inform the school office if your family has plans to move over the summer, or if your children will not be returning in September for any reason. This information helps us to ensure a smooth transition for all students and to make necessary staffing arrangements for the upcoming academic year.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated and helps us in planning effectively for the new school year. Thank you for your support.

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DISMISSAL AND SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS

Please note that students are dismissed at **2:50 pm** and unless your child signed up to be in Macklin After Care or on a bus, we expect students to be picked up at dismissal. If you need to notify us about a change in your pick-up arrangements, please call the school **before 2:40pm** to ensure we can pass on messages to your children. After this time, it may be difficult to relay messages, as staff are focused on safely dismissing students.

Thank you for your cooperation and support!

REPORTING STUDENT ABSENCES

Just a reminder, if your child is going to be late or absent, please contact the office either through EDSBY, INFORM, email or voicemail. Do not just let the teacher know. If the teacher happens to be away on the day your child is absent, we have no way of knowing where (s)he is.

POPCORN SPRING ORDERS

We are happy to announce that we will continue to have our Popcorn Fundraiser at T.P.S. to fund educational programs and materials for our classes.

Popcorn will be sold three times for the month of April and will be sold twice a month for the months of May, and June on the following dates:

April: Wednesday, April 2nd, Wednesday, April 9th, and Wednesday, April 23rd, 2025
May: Wednesday, May 7th, and Wednesday, May 21st, 2025
June: Wednesday, June 4th, and Wednesday, June 18th, 2025

Pre-packaged butter/salt 23g popcorn bags will be sold for \$3.00 each, for a total of \$21.00 for seven bags of popcorn, delivered twice a month, except April, which will be three times during the month. If you are interested in purchasing popcorn for your child, please purchase using **School Cash Online** by **Thursday, March 27th, 2025**.

Popcorn will be delivered to students on the mornings of all of the dates listed above.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

PARENT MORNING DROP OFF REMINDERS

It has come to our attention that there have been a couple of unsafe maneuvers in our bus/carpool loop at drop off in the morning. Please follow the directions from our supervising staff to ensure we are keeping all of our students safe. Proceed slowly through the loop (not more than 10 km/hr) and only allow children to disembark when the staff member signals that it is safe to do so.

We also ask that parents do not reverse or park in the loop at any time. Please patiently wait for the car in front of you to leave.

BOARD CELEBRATION OF BLACK HISTORY

Our Board will be hosting a Black History Month Celebration at various YRDSB High Schools throughout the month of February. There will be interactive performances, student showcases, and dinner will be provided. Registration is due by January 31st. Please [see this flyer](#) for more details.