

December 22, 2022



## **PETHS Weekly Newsletter**

NOTICE: All YRDSB in-person schools will be CLOSED on Friday, December 23, 2022 due to expected severe conditions. Students should complete asynchronous school work.

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Guide to the 2022-2023 School Year Click on the link to read the Guide to the 2022-2023 School Year

PETHS 2022-2023 Student Handbook

Click on the link to read the Student Handbook and Startup Package

<u>School Cash Online</u> (SCO)







School Cash Online

## **School Information**

### Dear Families.

As this year comes to a close with a much-deserved winter break, I would like to thank our students, staff and families for their support over these very challenging recent years. We have had to rally together as educational partners to support and ensure our students' academic achievement and well-being.



As we shifted back to pre-pandemic life we were able to bring back many of the wonderful school activities that make Trudeau a special place. It was wonderful to feel the positive energy and buzz that filled the halls and classrooms this semester.

Fall sports were back with spectators and Trudeau students competed in soccer, basketball, volleyball, swimming, golf and cross-country running. Thank you to our teacher coaches who volunteered their time to support our athletes.

The arts were once again alive at Trudeau. The Music Department featured two Winter Melodies concerts at the Flato Markham Theatre, with performances by the Grade 9 concert band, Grade 11 Wind Symphony, Trudeau String Orchestra, Grade 10 Symphonic Winds, Trujazz and the Grade 12 Wind Symphony. As well, Trudeau Theatrics hosted a Cabaret evening, where students showcased their artistic talents in dance, music and drama.

This semester, Student Council hosted many spirit events including a Halloween Haunted House and Winter Spirit weeks, which had our students engaging in daily theme based activities. On December 16, TSAC and a number of student clubs held a Winter Market to fundraise for a variety of causes, including raising funds to build a home in Sri Lanka.

In early December we had drummer & multi-instrumentalist, Babarinde Williams perform for our grade 9 and 10 students. His presentation used the art of music and storytelling, as a vehicle for leadership, character development and mental well-being. Both staff and students really enjoyed this interactive presentation.

I am so looking forward to seeing what the new year brings to the Trudeau school community.

On behalf of the administration and entire school staff, I wish our families and students a safe and joyous holiday season and much happiness and peace for the New Year.

Looking forward to seeing everyone in 2023!

Lisa Wargo

Principal



We hope you have a wonderful winter break! Zisa, Ayesha, Georgia, Ranjit



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December 20 - January 0 - Winter Dreak Monday, January 9 → Classes resume Tuesday, January 10 → Wednesday, January 11 → Thursday, January 12 → Deadline to apply to OUAC Friday, January 13	January 18 - MOBYSS Bus @ Trudeau January 18 - Practice Math EQAO Test January 18 - School Council Presents: Steve Chappelle Virtual Presentation: "Authorized Access" (link to follow) January 19 - Drama Mosaics January 19 - Math EQAO January 20 - Math EQAO January 20 - Math EQAO January 26 to February 1 - Exam\Culminating Activities February 3 - PA Day (no school) February 6 - First day of Semester 2 Important School Information links Staff Directory Guidance *****NEW Daily Schedule September 2022		
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Self-Screening All students are required to complete the <u>COVID daily</u> <u>screening</u> prior to entering the building. The screening tool will out-line if/when you can come/return to work and duration of isolation or self-monitoring requirements. Individuals experiencing one or more common symptoms, or two or more other symptoms are presumed to have COVID-19 and must isolate (regardless of vaccination status)	Period           1 HOMEROOM           2           3 LUNCH (grade 9 + 11)           4 LUNCH (grade 10 + 12)           5	Time           8:10 AM – 9:25 AM           9:25 AM – 9:30 AM           9:35 AM – 10:50 AM           10:55 AM – 12:10 PM           12:15 PM – 1:30 PM           1:35 PM – 2:50 PM	
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## School Updates/News

#### MOBYSS

We are fortunate this year to have the MOBYSS bus visit our school twice/month on Wednesdays. MOBYSS is Ontario's first mobile walk-in clinic for youth that provides primary care and mental health care to individuals between the ages of 12 and 25. Their services are completely free of charge, anonymous, and do not require a health card. The MOBYSS team includes a Nurse Practitioner, Youth Mental Health Worker, and Peer Support Specialist.





## Attendance

To report an absence or for questions about your child's attendance, please call 905-887-2216 ext. 190 or send an email to pierre.elliott.trudeau.hs.attendance@yrdsb.ca

If you receive notification that your child has been marked absent and you believe this to be incorrect, please have your child ask the teacher to notify the office to make the correction. All attendance corrections must be verified by the classroom teacher.

## Exams

The Semester 1 exam schedule has been posted on our website. Students will write one exam per day corresponding to the subject in that specific period. All exams will begin at 8:30 a.m. The exam schedule is as follows:

- Thursday, January 26, 2023 period 1 exams
- Friday, January 27, 2023 period 2 exams
- Monday, January 30, 2023 period 5 exams
- Tuesday, January 31, 2023 period 4 exams
- Wednesday, February 1, 2023 period 3 exams

Once their exam is completed, students have the remainder of each day to study at home for upcoming exams. View these links for: <u>January 2023 Exam Schedule</u>

#### 2022-2023 Exam Guidelines

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#### Student Success Support in Room 116

Grades 9 and 10 can visit room 116 during their lunch (11:30-12:00 pm) for extra help and support in English, Math and other de-streamed subjects. Ms. Babcock and Mr. Jeddi will be available for extra help on a daily basis.

# STUDENT SUCCESS

## **Resources for Families**

#### Artwork Requested from Black Youth

(15 – 25 years of age) for Revolution Now's February 4th Black Excellence Celebration in Support of a Scholarship for a YRDSB Black Student Graduating from High School in 2023



#### DETAILS:

- *Revolution Now (R.N.) is a movement that believes ordinary people can create radical social change through collective and conscious love.*
- · On February 4th, R.N. will be hosting a Celebration of

Black Excellence at the Market Brewery, in Newmarket. Studio musician, Stacie Tabb, will be the musical guest for the evening.

- · A portion of every ticket sale will go to generating an AEBS scholarship.
- R.N. is currently looking for Black artists (15-25 yrs. old) who would like to sell their work in the silent auction.
- $\cdot\,$  In previous events, R.N. had original paintings, signed prints as well as a ribbon skirt, and hand painted drum as donated art auction items.
- $\cdot$  100% of the earnings from the silent auction will go towards creating the 2023 scholarship.

Please contact Megan Glanfield (megan.glanfield@yrdsb.ca) with questions and to express your intent to donate your work (before January 14th). Alternate contact: charlottereid60@gmail.com

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