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KITCHENER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Dear Kitchener families:

We are looking forward to a great summer for all of our families. We have had so many good moments as we wrap up this school year. Much learning has happened during the third term. As a staff, we are also very proud of the many contributions our parent community and PAC have made. I wish you the very best this summer. May you remember Kitchener as a welcoming, positive school community. We bid farewell to all of our grade 7 students. They are an amazing group of students, and we wish them the best as they enter high school. Special thanks to Mr. Baldin, Mr. Hayes, Ms. Liu and supporting staff for their leadership with them this year. We hope they will have lasting memories as their time closes at Kitchener. Best wishes to our leaving staff. To Mr. Wu, Ms. Liu, Ms. Meeking and Ms. Dafoe. We thank all of you for the contributions made to our school community. Thank you to Ms. Giannone who taught in Ms. Karmali's classroom this year. Thank you to our EAs who are leaving: Ms. Chandler, Ms. Lee, Ms. Avelar, and Ms. Wright. Many exciting experiences are ahead of us. Thank you to our P.A.C. for their support and guidance this year. I wish everyone a safe and happy summer.

See you in September!

Sincerely,

Mr. D. Klarich



PLEASE NOTE: **FUTURE DATES AND INFORMATION IN THIS NEWSLETTER ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON COVID-19 DEVELOPMENTS**



HAWKS FESTIVAL

On Friday, June 24th Kitchener students were able to celebrate another successful school year with HAWKS FESTIVAL! Willingdon Park was booked for the day and filled with activities. The Vancouver Circus School taught students how to juggle, the tennis courts were booked, and students rotated through the park doing a variety of fun activities through the day. Thank you to Ms. Wong-Reinhardt for her hard work in organizing such an amazing day full of fun and to our PAC for their support in this event!



Moving forward and throughout the school year, important information and communication is posted on our website. This includes an updated calendar of events, community information, and district communication. Please bookmark

our **WEBSITE:**

<https://kitchener.burnabyschools.ca/> and visit often!

You can also follow us on **INSTAGRAM:**

@kitchenerhawks

And **TWITTER:** **@kitchenerSD41**



Grade 7 Kitchener students enjoyed an overnight stay filled with activities at Timberline Ranch.

They went horseback riding, swimming, team building, hiking, and learned archery. What a great opportunity to celebrate their last few days of elementary school together before they move on to high school. Thank you to Mr. Baldin, Mr. Hayes, Ms. Liu, Ms. Nicholas, Ms. Bulos for accompanying them on this great memory.



MOVING?

If you are planning to move in the summer and will be attending another school in the fall, please let our office know at

kitchener.info@burnabyschools.ca

We will forward all student files to the new school once a formal request from that school is received.



Kitchener is filled with students who have some sensational talents! Our talent show was filmed and shown virtually in classes this year. Talents included:

- Gymnastics
- Basketball
- Lacrosse
- Skipping
- Soccer
- Martial Arts
- Hula Hoop
- Card Tricks and Magic
- Strings (cello, violin, guitar)
- Acting
- Singing and rapping



- Baking
- Piano
- Dance (hip hop, tap, jazz, ballet, acro, Greek dancing)

A big thank you to Ms. Yu and Mr. Turpin for organizing, filming all our many student talents!

GRADE 7 CLASS OF 2022:

As the school year comes to an end we say goodbye and good luck to our leaving grade 7 students. We wish you well as you enter into high school and into the next educational chapter in your book of life.

Once a HAWK, always a HAWK. Remember to be: **H**elpful, **A**ccepting, **W**elcoming, **K**ind and **S**afe.

Zayn A
Betul A
Elena B
Anne B
Kevin C
Rome C
Abigail C
Roberto D
Charnpreet D
Devan D
Abdelaziz E
Aidan F
Kiara Victoria H
Sofia H
Carrington H
Carson H

Mirika H
Aiden H
Adin I
Elsie I
Pinar K
Gyua K
Gyumin K
Reo K
Ruby K
Max L
Michael L
Mae M
Hayden N
Karmyn P
Kloey P
Devin S

Connor S
Mimi T
Luka T
Sejal V
Teja V
Lazarus W
Lucas W
Yideun W
Jiyue Y
Heemin Y
Hayley Y
Angiolina Z
Klement Z



2022-2023 DATES TO REMEMBER

Here are the dates we know so far for the upcoming school year.

Please note: Dates are subject to change



September 2022:

- 6 First Day of School (10am Dismissal)
- 23 Professional Day
- 29 Orange Shirt Day
- 30 National Day for Truth & Reconciliation—School Closed

October 2022:

- 4 Photo Day (Individual)
- 10 Thanksgiving Day: School Closed
- 21 Professional Day
- 24 Photo Retakes

November 2022:

- 10 Remembrance Day Assembly
- 11 Remembrance Day: School Closed
- 25 Professional Day

December 2022:

- 16 Last Day before Winter Break

Dec. 19, 2022 - Jan. 2, 2023:

Winter Break

January 2023:

- 3 First Day Back from Winter Break

February 2023:

- 20 Family Day: School Closed
- 24 Professional Day

March 2023:

- 10 Last Day of School Before Spring Break

Mar. 13, 2023 - Mar. 24, 2023:

Spring Break

- 27 First Day Back from Spring Break

April 2023:

- 7 Good Friday: School Closed
- 10 Easter Monday: School Closed
- 24 Professional Day

May 2023:

- 19 Professional Day
- 22 Victoria Day: School Closed

June 2023:

- 29 Last Day of School



September 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4			7	8	9	10
11	<p>Cross Country Meet 3:30-4:30pm</p>	13	14	15	16	17
18	<p>Cross Country Meet 3:30-4:30pm</p>	20	21			24
25	<p>Cross Country Meet 3:30-4:30pm</p>	27	28		<p>National Day for Truth and Reconciliation</p> <p>School Closed</p>	

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