June 2017

Principal: Ross Jewiss

Vice-Principal: Trudi MacKinnon **Trustee**: Bruce Reain

website:http://hps.tldsb.on.ca

The Hornet



HPS Reminders

Office 705-789-2318 Safe Arrival 705-789-0165

- Pizza Days are Thursday
- Milk is sold daily for \$1.00

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Message from the Principal

Dear Parents and Friends:

As I near the end of this school year and, in fact, my career as an educator, I have so much to be thankful for. To wake up each morning knowing I am going to work in a place so alive and so welcoming, to know that while there may be some lumps and bumps in the road I know each day will be enjoyable and rewarding is a gift. To be able to work with such great staff in a building this full or heart has been wonderful. To see the 500 bright young faces each day of students who depend on us to care for them touches my heart in a way impossible to convey in writing. There will be one more piece for correspondence from me as the year end gets closer, but I do want to thank you all now for your support of the school, for caring enough to ask questions about the six hours each day that you trust us with your children and their education and for working with us to support their needs. It has been a pleasure to be part of the HPS community and I will be forever grateful for my time here.

I would also like to take this opportunity to welcome the new HPS principal, Mr. Todd Truax, who starts officially in September but who will be working with us throughout June as we configure the school in terms of classrooms and grades, assemble class lists and set out classroom timetables and supervision schedules.

I wish you a wonderful month of June, a fabulous summer with your children, and love and happiness always.

Yours truly,

Ross Jewiss, Principal

PARENT COUNCIL:

As the school year draws to a close, I would like to thank everyone that has helped with our fundraising initiatives over this past school year, We have had a very successful year with our all of our projects to help rebuild our playground. We will hit the ground running in September with another action packed year of fundraising.

If you would like to be added to our email mailing list or volunteer list please send me an email. (marybutterfly1974@gmail.com)

Parent Council wishes Mr. Jewiss a wonderful start to his much deserved retirement! We will miss you greatly.

We also send congratulations to all of our graduates!

Have a safe and wonderful summer and see everyone in September!

Mary Wright Parent Council

<u>Very Important – Safety Reminder !!</u>

<u>Please</u> **DO NOT** drop off or pick up on *either* side of Caroline Street in the morning or dismissal time for the **safety of our children**. This area is for busses only! The parent/student drop off is located on Susan Street at the ramp. <u>Please</u> use the Susan Street ramp for morning drop-offs and afternoon student pickups.

POSTING OF CLASS LISTS:

Once upon a time it was part of the fun of returning to school; to find out who your teacher would be. Times have changed, however, and it has been the norm to post lists of students with their teachers for the coming year just before school starts or even at the end of the current school year. For privacy reasons, however, we will no longer be posting class lists. If your family situation is such that it would be best that you know your child's teacher for next year, please contact school administration via email or on the school website and we will respond to you individually on Labour Day weekend after the class lists are finalized for fall. Thank you for your understanding.

MILK/JUICE AND PIZZA:

<u>Milk</u> – White and chocolate milk is for sale each nutrition break. Each milk is \$1.00 Milk cards are also available. Each milk card is **\$10.00** for 10 milks.





<u>Pizza</u> – Each Thursday is Pizza Day at HPS. We have 3 choices, cheese, hawaiian or pepperoni. Each slice is \$2.00. If you would like to pay in advance.

<u>Year End Notice</u> - The school year is quickly coming to an end and this is just a reminder that the last week for milk will be **June 19th** and Pizza will be **June 15th**.

Huntsville Public School FUNRAISER CONCERT

When: June 14, 2017

Where: Algonquin Theatre

What: 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. - Appetizers & Silent Auction

7:00 - 9:30 p.m. - Concert

Featuring:

DOUGLAS & ARLENE MCLEAN

DAVEY MELOY

PATTY CROZIER

THE FLASHBACKS

LEWIS HODGSON

RUTH CASSIE

ANDY MCCLELLAND

Tickets: \$35

Can be purchased at the Huntsville Public School Office or at the Door the evening of the event