



Watt's Happening

Watt Public School
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Utterson, ON P0B 1M0

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PRINCIPAL's MESSAGE

Welcome back to another school year! I would like to extend a special welcome to all of our new families this year. It is a very exciting time for all. We hope everyone enjoyed a wonderful summer.



The staff of Watt PS look forward with anticipation to an educationally rewarding year for all students. As we start a new school year I encourage everyone to maintain a high level of communication with your child's teacher – staying informed about his/her learning is one of the first critical steps to helping your child be successful at school. Please be sure to read classroom and school newsletters, check our school website and follow us on Twitter @WATTPS.

The parents and community of Watt PS help make our school a great place to learn and grow. Over many years, our school has greatly appreciated our community volunteers and School Council for the commitments made to ensure a better educational experience for all students. If you are interested in volunteering in any way, please contact our school secretary Laurie Johle in the front office. Thank you!

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome the following new staff to Watt PS: Laurie Johle (Secretary), Drew Matthews (Gr. 7/8), Janet Shield (French) and Roxana Iliuta (EA). We are happy to report that the following staff are returning: Amanda Veitch (Gr. 3/4), Laurie Hetherington (JK/SK), and Heather Lipskie (Instructional Leader). Watt has also been assigned a new SSAC (Student Services Attendance Counsellor), Hunter Marshall. Welcome Hunter!

Finally, please join us for our annual *Welcome Back BBQ*, taking place on Monday, September 18th, from 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm. See you there!

Norah Morrison
Principal

"Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire"
William Butler Yeats



PRINCIPAL
SECRETARY
TRUSTEE
SUPERINTENDENT

Norah Morrison
Laurie Johle
Louise Clodd
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SCHOOL CASH ONLINE

Have you created your account for online payments?

Families will be able to make payments and monitor outstanding amounts for student-related activities next year!

IT'S EASY, IT'S CONVENIENT
tldsb.schoolcashonline.com

SCHOOL START-UP – WELCOME BACK!

Students receive lots of information during the first weeks of school.

Some of these documents need to be reviewed, signed and returned. ***Student Verification Form**

Please review, make necessary changes, sign and return. ***Offence Declaration**

Volunteers that have an original Criminal Reference Check on file must sign and return the offence declaration.

PIZZA & MILK SALES:

Starting in September white & chocolate milk will be for sale during 2nd nutrition break for \$1.00 each. Pizza will be available on Fridays to students that pre-order pizza for \$2.25 per slice. Order forms will be sent home. Please complete the monthly form and return to school with exact cash.

SEPT PIZZA DAYS

Friday, September

15th, 22nd & 29th, 2017!

SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday September 19, 2017 – 6:30 pm library

THANK YOU to our Watt volunteers!

Where can you help?

| | |
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| breakfast club | reading |
| field trips | sports/music |
| classroom assistance | library |

PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU'RE INTERESTED

MEDICAL INFORMATION

To support your child's well-being please contact the school to complete the medical forms for any **medically-supported condition**.

With your cooperation medical plans will be put in place to protect your child's health.

This may include (not limited to) asthma and allergies.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

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MEET OUR WATT FAMILY!

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| Principal | Mrs. Morrison |
| Secretary | Mrs. Johle |
| Custodian | Mr. Crewson |
| Kindergarten | Mrs. Hetherington |
| Grade 1/2 | Ms. Riffel |
| Grade 3/4 | Mrs. Veitch |
| Grade 5/6 | Mrs. Small |
| Grade 7/8 | Mr. Matthews |
| French | Mme. Shield |
| Special Ed | Mrs. Montgomery |

Ed Assistant Mrs. Sowrey

Ed Assistant Mr. Cowan

Ed Assistant Ms. Iliuta

SAFE ARRIVAL:

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) please remember to contact the school in the event that your student(s) will be away/late. **705-769-3643**