

## LAKEWOOD ELEMENTARY

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### Jump Rope for Heart

Last Monday we had our Jump Rope Kick Off! This Friday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> we have our Jump Rope Skipping Event! Pledge forms have been sent home and fund raising for this worthwhile event will take place until May 3<sup>rd</sup>. Last year Lakewood was again



the top provincial fund-raising school having raised just shy of \$13,000! We were able to keep this cool trophy which is displayed behind Ms. Willner's desk! In the last 22

years our school has raised **\$187,068!**

As always, it is thanks to you, your extended family and friends that have made our school #1 in this worthwhile fundraiser! On the afternoon of Friday May 3<sup>rd</sup> we will close the pick-up and drop off zone on Setchfield beginning at lunchtime and reopen it at 2:15. Students are reminded to bring labelled water bottles and wear comfortable shoes for skipping. **It is important for students to return their pledge forms no later than this Friday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>!** We are hoping for dry weather for this event. Thanks to Mrs. Penston and the Peer Helpers for organizing this wonderful event! We hope you have time to stop by and enjoy the fun between 1 and 2 PM!

### Reunification Drill

Thanks to our families and our staff, along with the support of Marketa Lund, Lakewood's Reunification Drill on April 18<sup>th</sup> was a success. We released a

total of 246 students in 45 minutes! These drills help prepare the school community for emergencies and we are appreciative of your support.



### Student Placement Meetings

Please be advised that this is not an invitation to "pick your child's teacher". If a parent wishes to advise the administration about the kind of learning environment they perceive would be best for their child, they must make an appointment. Appointments will be scheduled for 10 minutes.



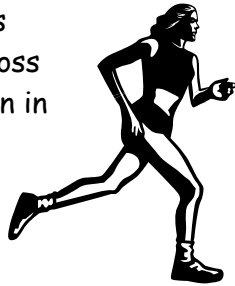
Please do not send letters or communicate your concerns through your child's teacher, Educational Assistant

or secretary. At the meeting, the parent has the opportunity to provide information about their child in relation to the educational criteria outlined in the attached document: *Parent Placement Meetings Lakewood 2019*. Although this provides an opportunity to meet with the administration to discuss your feelings regarding your child's educational needs, **it does not guarantee that your request will be granted**. The meeting with administration ensures that your voice will be heard during the configuration process; but in the end, the final decision rests with the teaching professionals. Please ensure that you have read the information about class configuration and multi-grade classes prior to attending the meeting. **You will be able to set up an appointment with school administration between May 6<sup>th</sup> and May 17<sup>th</sup>. Please contact the office to set up an appointment.**

## Cross Country Rocks

Last week saw the final Cross Country run of the year. Congratulations to all that participated and to the care-givers who brave the parking at JDF. Lakewood students routinely perform well with a number of personal bests achieved this season. Cross Country will kick off again in the new school year.

Thank you to  
Mrs. Jones, Ms. Lynch,  
Miss Sweetland,  
Mrs. Snook, Ms. Fafard and Miss Erickson.



## Lost and Found

There is once again an overflow of coats, sweaters etc. Please ask your son or daughter to check if they have lost an item. If you have time, please stop in and take a gander through the box and look for items that you know belong to your child.



## Student Drop Off

- When dropping off your child, parents need to stay in the car.
- Pull as far forward as possible to the area outside Mr. Sansom's classroom in the lane closest to the school. Don't stop and drop by the adventure playground area when there are no cars in front of you.
- Pull up as close as you can to the car in front of you and unload your child.
- The outside lane is for through traffic only and busses that need to get to the bus zone area.

## Student Pick Up after school

- The bus zone (in front of the cross walk) is full with buses.

- Pull up as close as you can to the cross walk if you are the lead car
- Pull up as close to the car in front of you and load your cargo quickly.
- Parents, remain in your vehicle.
- The outside lane is for through traffic only and busses that need to get to the bus zone area.
- Remind your child to keep an eye out for you.

## Lunchtime Soccer League

Congratulations to the Chicken Nuggets for winning the coveted Lakewood Floor Hockey League this year. We have started a new intermural soccer league for all interested grade four and five students.



Thanks to Mr. Wilson, Mrs. Katz, and Mr. Meiklejohn for refereeing the games, making this possible for interested students at lunchtime.

## DATES TO REMEMBER

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| ➤ Fri May 3 <sup>rd</sup>    | Skip-a-thon Finale!! 1:00pm                 |
| ➤ Fri May 10 <sup>th</sup>   | Pro D Day - No School                       |
| ➤ Tues May 14 <sup>th</sup>  | PAC Meeting Library 7PM                     |
| ➤ Fri May 17 <sup>th</sup>   | Hot Lunch                                   |
| ➤ Mon., May 20 <sup>th</sup> | Victoria Day - No School                    |
| ➤ Wed. May 22 <sup>nd</sup>  | Kindy Orientation - Info to come            |
| ➤ Fri May 24 <sup>th</sup>   | Parent Appreciation-8:00am                  |
| ➤ Thurs May 30 <sup>th</sup> | Fun Fair, 5:00pm                            |
| ➤ Fri Jun 7 <sup>th</sup>    | District Track Meet                         |
| ➤ Wed Jun 12 <sup>th</sup>   | Beach Day-Whole School                      |
| ➤ Wed Jun 19 <sup>th</sup>   | Grade Five Recognition Ceremony - 1:15pm    |
| ➤ Fri Jun 21 <sup>st</sup>   | Fun Day                                     |
| ➤ Wed Jun 26 <sup>th</sup>   | Grade 5 Farewell/Year End Assembly - 1:30pm |
| ➤ Thurs Jun 27 <sup>th</sup> | Last day of School/Report Cards home        |

