

Northlea Weekly News

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Thursday, February 11, 2016.

Hello Northlea families,

Last call for the [Book Fair](#)! Ms Robbins will be closing it down about 11am tomorrow morning. Many kids and parents have already visited, but there are still lots of books, magazines, posters, and other items left! Did you know anywhere between 30-70% (!) of everything bought comes back to the Northlea Library? If you are there for a Parent-Teacher interview, why not swing by?

EQAO: Important dates were announced this week for students in grades 3 & 6:



EQAO testing will be May 30-June 3 (grade 3) and June 6-9 (grade 6). Please don't book any appointments or trips in this period, so that kids can be present for this testing.

2016/2017 School Survey Form: Believe it or not, Northlea Admin and Office Staff are already starting to prepare for next year. Part of this planning is knowing how many students will return for the 2016/2017 school year. A letter and form will be sent by e-mail to the addresses that are on record in the school office (not to be mistaken with this distribution list). Whether you have already received it, or will so shortly, the form is due February 26! You can also read and download it on the website: [here](#).

Safe Arrival: the Safe Arrival line experienced a minor hiccup on Monday, but is back in business at 416 396 3775.



When you can't reach Safe Arrival, never give up: if there is a malfunction, please call the main school number, and/or e-mail [Mrs. Keith](#) and [Ms. Saroglou](#).

In other news, make sure to check out what promises to be a very interesting parent evening nearby. Blythwood School has graciously invited everybody for an event: well-known psychologist Alex Russell will speak about Raising Children in a Connected World on Thursday February 25. Full info: [here](#).



Important dates!

Full Calendar [at northleaschool.ca](#)

until February 12
Scholastic Book Fair

February 12
PA Day - No School
February 15
Family Day - No School

February 22-24
[Kiwaniis Choir performances](#)

February 25
[Blythwood Speaker](#)

February 26
Grad Picture Day

Feb.29 - March 2
gr. 6 Sheldon trip (English)

Feb.29 - March 4
Lost & Found Parade

March 3
[FAMILY FUN NIGHT](#)

March 14-18
March Break - No School

March 23
Parent Presentation: Social Networking

March 25 & 28
Good Friday & Easter Monday

Speaking of parent events, the Toronto District School Board is organizing a fabulous Parent Conference on April 16. Over 80 different workshops are scheduled, on all sorts of subjects. Please reserve the date, and check it out: you can already register at www.parentsaspartners.ca



In the meantime, preparations are ramping up for Family Fun Night at Northlea. Make sure to read the latest news: [here](#). With only three weeks to go, a few deadlines are coming up:



- Propose Social Series events!
- Donate stuffies for Teddy Bear Surgery!
- Sponsor a classroom!

As always, much more information is on northleaschool.ca. Please note that tomorrow, Friday Feb. 12, is a P.A. Day, and Monday, Feb. 15 is Family Day. School resumes next Tuesday as Day 1 in the [5-day rotational schedule](#).

Have a great weekend, Northlea!

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Northlea School Council / Northlea H&S Association

- No School

April 12
Blood Donor Clinic

April 13
International Day of Pink

April 4-13
[Dental Screening](#)

April 15
[P.A. Day - No School](#)

April 16
[TDSB Parent Conference](#)

April 25-27
gr. 6 Sheldon trip (Fr. Immersion)

April 26-28
Musical

May 30 - June 3
[EQAQ grade 3](#)

June 6 - 9
[EQAQ grade 6](#)

Ongoing:
House League Soccer;
Teams; Choir, Musical, and other co-curriculars;
Chess, lunchtime programs, and other extra-curriculars

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