

Northlea Weekly News

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Friday, May 6, 2016.

Hello Northlea Families,

Thanks to all who came out to Tech Night yesterday. Great info was provided, and it was good to see the student and staff effort acknowledged by a good turnout. Another highlight of the week was the Primary Track/Play morning - thanks to the volunteers who assisted (some even w/o kids in the participating grades!). Interesting today was a power outage at Northlea, well-handled by students and staff alike.

Fort McMurray Fundraiser

In response to the horrifying fire disaster in Alberta, the Student Leadership Council is organizing Friday Pyjama days on all remaining Fridays in May. Please bring Toonies for Fort McMurray!

Musical DVDs ready to order

Did you love the Northlea Musical and/or you want to see My Son Pinocchio (again)? Make sure to get the DVD! Order deadline May 13, price and all info: [here](#).



Chess: seeking one more volunteer

Great news: one chess co-ordinator has come forward, we are looking for one more. Info: [here](#).

Yearbook: Photo Day rescheduled, Last Call for photos

Please note that due to student absences, Team/Club Photo Day will not be on May 10 - final date will follow. As many pages are already being put together, this is the very last chance to submit your pictures at yearbook@northleaschool.ca.

Submit your Funding Proposals!

Each spring the Northlea Home and School Association solicits proposals for H&S funds. In past years we have funded instruments, guest speakers, the purchase of technology, playgrounds, and much more. New proposals for spending the monies raised in 2015/2016 are now welcome, and due May 25. All



Important dates!

Full Calendar at northleaschool.ca

May 6:

[Movie Night](#) - SOLD OUT

May 10:

[UPower/Resilient Families meeting](#)

May 13

[DEADLINE to order Musical DVDs](#)

May 19

[Northlea Music Evening](#)

May 23

Victoria Day - NO SCHOOL

May 25

[DEADLINE to submit H&S Funding proposals](#)

May 30

[Northlea Choir @ Blue Jays](#)

May 30 - June 3

[EQAO grade 3](#)
Bike to School Week

June 3

[DATE KNIGHT](#)

June 6 - 9

[EQAO grade 6](#)

June 8

information (instructions and form) can be found: [here](#).

All Northlea parents and caregivers are invited to the Home and School fund allocation meeting on Wednesday, June 8th, where they can vote on which proposals they would most like to see funded.

Speaking of H&S fundraisers:

- Make sure to order your tickets for **Date Knight**.
- Mabel's Labels now available to
- Social Series: tickets are available for great events, like:
 - Get Crackin' - Lobster Dinner - May 14
 - Brunch and Garden Tour - May 27
 - Dodge & Draughts - May 28

We also like to point out several valuable education-related events coming up that parents might be interested in attending:

- May 10: UPower/Resilient Families Workshop (at Leaside High School)
- Sat. May 14: Girls in STEM Conference, open to girls in Grade 6-8. Enrolment is limited so don't delay!
- Sat. May 14: Parent STEM Conference.

As usual, much more information is featured at northleaschool.ca, including:

- May 3-7: Talk, Exhibit and Walk with Leaside Matters.
- May 11: Girl Guides Euchre Night
- May 13/14; Lawn Bowling Open House

In closing: make sure to mark your calendars for Kilometre Club: this year in June (from the 8th to the 17th).

Have a great Mother's Day weekend everyone!

Wilmar Kortleever, *Communications Chair*

Alexis De Castro, Rachel Chernos Lin, Kara Kane, *Co-Chairs*

Northlea School Council / Northlea H&S Association

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[H&S Association/School Council meetings](#)

June 8-17

Kilometre Club

June 21

Staff-Student Baseball Game

June 28

Graduation

Ongoing:

Sports Teams; Choir, Musical, and other co-curriculars; Chess, lunchtime programs, and other extra-curriculars

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