

Northlea Weekly News

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Friday, November 13, 2015.

Hello Northlea families,

Two major Northlea School traditions were front and centre during this shortened school week:

- Wednesday, all students participated in assemblies that were held in honour of Remembrance Day. Students contributed music, art work, and thoughtful readings. Read, see, and listen more: [here](#).
- Yesterday, over 300 kids, parent volunteers and staff celebrated another season of Cross Country at the annual X-Country Pizza Lunch with great food, awards and a terrific slideshow. Keep running, everybody, less than 325 days till the start of next season!



Important dates!

Full Calendar [at northleaschool.ca](http://northleaschool.ca)

until November 19
NEW Lost & Found Parade

November 13
PA Day - No School

November 14
PIAC Parent Conference

November 17
Program Area Review: Public Meeting

November 18
TDSB French Immersion Webchat

November 19
French Immersion Information Evening

November 24
SK Parent Information Meeting

November 26
H&S / Council meetings:
w. Krista Wylie

November 30
H&S / Council parent evening:
w. Jennifer Kolari

December 1

We have some important events to tell you about:

- **Tomorrow, Sat. Nov. 14: PIAC Parent Conference: 'Unlocking Your Child's Full Potential':** a free TDSB event with a variety of interesting workshops. Walk-in registration available (child minding only with confirmed pre-registration).
- **Thursday, Nov. 19: French Immersion Parent Info Evening.** Registration (for current JK kids starting SK in September 2016) is now open. In addition, TDSB is organizing a [webchat](#) on **Wed.Nov.18 (8-9pm)**.
- **Next week, until Thu.Nov.19: NEW Lost & Found Parade:** last week, older items were displayed. Coming week, all items found September-



November 11 should be retrieved!

- **Nov. 24 & Dec. 1: SK & JK Parent info meetings.** Kindergarten parents please mark your calendars for November 24 (SK) and December 1 (JK). Northlea's speech-language pathologist, Ms. Leggett, will discuss how children this age learn to read, write, and develop communication skills.

Other upcoming activities and events:

- Tue. Nov. 17: PART Public Meeting
- Mon. Nov. 23: Trustee Community Coffee.
- Thu. Nov. 26: **Council and H&S Meetings**, with Krista Wylie from Fix our Schools.
- Sat. Nov. 28: 44th Leaside Canned Food Drive.
- Mon. Nov. 30: **Parent Presentation** with Jennifer Kolari.
- Mon. Nov. 30: North Leaside Traffic Survey deadline

As always, much more information is on northleaschool.ca.

New and/or recent and/or relevant:

- **Snow shoveling:** students wanted.
- **Spiderweb climber:** fenced off for repairs.
- **Gifted Program:** changes to Secondary (High School) catchment areas.
- **Mandarin:** registration continues.
- **EcoSchools:** Northlea Silver!
- **Epi Pen recall.** Info: here
- **Yearbook:** please send pictures.
- **Safe Ball Play:** Principal notice
- **Grade 8 to 9 transition** information.
- **PSP Kiss & Ride:** important tips and requests.
- **Servery:** tasty & healthy & affordable food menu



H&S/Council Communication

We have switched to the new 2015/2016 distribution list. For any address changes/updates, please contact homeandschool@northleaschool.ca.

Please note our distribution list is separate from Northlea School's database. To facilitate the School Office/Administration sending their information directly to parents, we have passed along the addresses from our mailing list.

If your contact info changes, please notify the School Office *and* the H&S/Council, so that your family will stay informed

JK Parent Information Meeting

December 3

DEADLINE for French Immersion Registration
Leaside High School Info Evening

December 9

Winterfest Concerts

December 18

Last school day of 2015

December 21-January 1

Winter/Holiday Break

January 4/2016

School resumes

January 22/2016

PA Day - No School

Ongoing

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

Northlea
Classifieds

[November issue online](#)

and updated on all things school-related!

With today being a PA Day, school resumes as Day 4 in the 5-day schedule on Monday.

Have a great long weekend!

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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