

Colonsay School NEWSLETTER

June 24, 2024

📌 Staffing Changes . . .

- We welcome Ms. Anna Karagiannis to the Kindergarten/Grade 1 classroom next year to fill Mrs. Addley's maternity leave. Ms. Karagiannis is currently teaching Kindergarten at Hanley School. We wish Mrs. Addley all the best with her maternity leave. Enjoy your time with your family.
- Mrs. Paulsen will be on a leave until the end of October caring for her husband, Mark, who is having open heart surgery at the end of July. We wish Mark a speedy recovery. We welcome Mr. Syd Laskowski as principal for the start of our next school year. Mr. Laskowski has been principal at Valley Christian Academy for the past 25 years.
- Ms. Scharback will be leaving at the end of June. We will miss your amazing organization, dedication, hard work and caring personality. We look forward to having you back in our school to sub.

📌 Bell Times for the 2024/2025 school year will remain the same:

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| 8:50 | First Bell |
| 8:55 – 9:58 | Period 1 |
| 9:58 – 12:19 | Periods 2/3 |
| 11:01 – 11:16 | K – 12 Break |
| 12:19 – 12:52 | Lunch |
| 12:34 – 12:52 | Elementary Lunch Recess |
| 12:56 – 1:59 | Period 4 |
| 1:59 – 3:02 | Period 5 |
| 3:02 | Dismissal |

📌 **School picture day** for the 2024/2025 school year will be **Friday, October 4th**. Pre-School students are welcome. **Picture retakes** will be **Thursday, November 7th**.

📌 Hamburgers and Hellos will be held on Thursday, **August 29th** from 4 pm to 6 pm at the school. Everyone is welcome. Thank you to the School Community Council for sponsoring this BBQ. Parents are encouraged to drop off their child's school supplies this day.

🚩 **Congratulations to this year's scholarship winners:**

Rylan Brochu - Cando Rail Spirit Scholarship
Royal Canadian Legion Scholarship

Maddy Lang – Royal Canadian Legion Scholarship

Preston Yousie – Suncrest College Scholarship

🚩 **Year-end procedure:**

- **The last day of classes** - Kindergarten students - **Wednesday, June 26**
Gr. 1 – 12 students – **Thursday, June 27**
Students will be dismissed at the regular afternoon closing time. **The last day for buses is June 27th.**

We will be printing out and sending home report cards with K – Gr. 8 students. If there are students in Gr. 9 – 12 that would like a printout of their report card, they are welcome to stop by the school between 9:30 and 11:00 on Friday, June 28. **As usual, report cards can also be accessed on Edsby.**

Please note the **first day of classes will be Tuesday, September 3rd**. This is a FULL day of classes.

ENJOY YOUR SUMMER!!!