



June Newsletter

Hello Kenilworth Families! June is here!

I would like to take this time to thank the Kenilworth families for another wonderful year here at Kenilworth PS. It has been a great 3 years, and I have enjoyed getting to know the students and families, especially now that we can have our parents volunteering! I also want to thank the staff for their dedication to your child's learning. Staff have created engaging, interesting and fun lessons over the year. They have worked very hard to move Kenilworth students forward. To the students, I want you to know how proud I am of all of your accomplishments this year. You all have worked hard, tried your best, and most importantly while learning...had fun!

As a school community we will be flying the Pride flag. Why are we flying the flag? The month of June is Pride month. Many of our students, staff, parents/guardians and community members identify as members of the Rainbow or 2SLGBTBQIA+ community. Flying the Pride flag not only signals that our schools are safe spaces for everyone, it also aligns with our Vision Statement and Guiding Principles of inclusion and student and staff well-being and our new Equity Plan. Our school district is showing our acceptance and celebration of the 2SLGBTBQIA+ community during Pride month by raising the Pride flag at schools and offices across the UGDSB. We continue to raise awareness and support inclusion and acceptance of other marginalized groups in other ways.



It is also this time of year in which we need to say some farewells. Mrs. Checkley's position has come to an end. It has been wonderful to have Mrs. Checkley in our building again this year. Best wishes Mrs. Checkley! Mr. Petrini will also be taking a leave of absence for next year. We will see Mr. P back in 2024! We will also be saying goodbye to Ms. Tyrell. Ms. Tyrell joined us in late March to support our Kindie and Gr. ½ students. We thank her for all the support she gave our students.

Lastly, we want to wish Mrs. Doney a Happy Retirement! Mrs. Doney has been an ECE for the last 37 years and with the board for 13 years. 13 years ago she started at Minto-Clifford and then joined Kenilworth in Sept. 2017. Mrs. Doney even did a year of online learning with a Kindergarten class. On behalf of the students, staff and school community we wish you all the best.

I would like to thank Mrs. Kress for organizing May's assembly on Initiative. Congratulations to the following students who received a Well Being Certificate for demonstrating Initiative. In Kindergarten Georgia and Quinn, Gr ½ Callie and Aria K., Gr ¾ Aria B. and Isabella, Gr ⅝ Jacob and Sophie. In the month of June we will be focusing on Self Regulation.

On behalf of the staff of Kenilworth PS we want to wish everyone a wonderful, healthy and safe Summer holiday! Take care and see you in September!

Mrs. Cozzarin

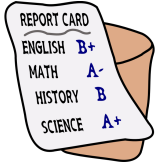


Lunch Supervisor Needed

We are looking for a Lunch Supervisor to begin in September 2023. Lunch Supervisors require a Police Check with a Vulnerable Screening before commencing work. Lunch Supervision is required from 10:20-11:00 and 12:40-1:20 **one or two times per week!** Duties include supervising students outside at recess and inside during eating time. If interested in this paid position, please contact Mrs. Cozzarin at 519 848-3320 ext 223 or email laura.cozzarin@ugdsb.on.ca

Electronic Report Cards:

Report cards will be available electronically June 22. Here is the link to access reports.
<https://connect.edsembli.com/on/ugdsb/kenil/portal/viewer/login/login.aspx?logintype=P>



PATS:

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday June 8, 2022 at 6:30. Please join us in the library or virtually. A link will be sent out the day of the meeting.

Playground Fundraising Update:

Thank you to Mrs. Vandepas who has taken on the challenge of looking for community sponsors for our new playground. **We are pleased to announce that we have now raised over \$26 000!** Hopefully we can keep this momentum going in the fall and can start looking at possible playgrounds and getting quotes! Well done Kenilworth community!



Moving:

Planning for the 2023-2024 school year is underway. If you will be moving this summer, or know of someone moving into the school area, please notify the school office as soon as possible.

Gardens:

Thank you to the Van Dongen family for taking care of our gardens and making them look beautiful!

