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Tracy Armstrong
Principal
Ross R. MacKay Public School
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Dear Ms. Armstrong,

Wellington County Library presents the 2019 TD Summer Reading Club

Wellington County Library is proud to participate in the national TD Summer Reading Club. This annual summer programme includes special library activities, themed materials to help kids track their reading habits, and incentives to encourage regular use of books (in print, digital, or audio form). The programme is free to all participants.

Studies have shown that school-aged children experience what is known as the “summer slide” – a decline in reading ability due to a lack of regular exposure to literacy practice over the holidays. As we approach the end of the school year, we would appreciate your support in promoting our summer programmes, which are designed to help children maintain and enhance their reading level for the coming school year.

Noni Nixon from our Hillsburgh Branch will be contacting you in hopes of arranging a brief presentation to your students. We would also welcome class visits to the library. Promotional materials will be made available for students to take home.

If it is possible, we would love for you to include our summer programme information in your school's newsletter or website. The TD Summer Reading Club information will be available on our website at www.wellington.ca/Library starting May 15. We would also be happy to send you the information directly.

If you have any questions, please feel free to get in touch with Noni Nixon, Assistant Branch Supervisor from the Hillsburgh Branch at 519.855.4010 or hillsburhlib@wellington.ca. You can also contact me using the phone number or email below.

Thank you for considering our request. We hope that all students at Ross R. MacKay will enjoy our TD Summer Reading Club events this summer.

Sincerely,

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