



May 2018

The 'DRAGON'

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St. George-German School

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Message From The Principal

The month of May will be an extremely busy time with many great activities, programs and events. Beyond the events listed below on important dates there will be a continuation of the Booster Club and Mad Science programs, badminton play and the Welcome to Kindergarten Orientation on May 25th for new students and parents. Please check our website and facebook page for updates. Have a great month everyone!

Mr. T. Zebroski, Principal

Important Dates to Remember

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| May 1 | - | Ukulele Club plays at Brant Music Festival |
| May 3 | - | Girls' Wellness Club performs at Sanderson Center |
| May 3 | - | School Council Meeting 6:30 pm |
| May 9 | - | French Café |
| May 10 | - | Annual Fun Fair |
| May 21 | - | Victoria Day Holiday |
| May 22 | - | EQAO begins until June 4th |
| May 20 | - | Microsoft Canada Class Support Day |
| May 24 | - | Grade Seven Immunizations |
| May 25 | - | Track and Field Day |
| May 25 | - | Kindergarten Orientation |
| May 28 | - | Last Pita Day for the year |

School Cash Online

This is a reminder to St. George-German families that we offer school programs and lunch items that you can pay for online which is very easy and convenient. If you haven't already registered, just go to the website at www.schoolcashionline.com Register by selecting the 'Get Started Now' and follow steps.

After you receive the confirmation email, please select the 'click here' option, login and add each of your childrens' last names, first names, and date of birth. You will also require their OEN number which can be found on their report card or you can call the school office to get it. There is a support option at the top right of the screen or feel free to call the school office at any time for help at 519-448-1493 or call the Parent Help Desk at 1-866-961-1803.

School Council Newsletter for May 2018

The event you've all been waiting for is fast approaching!!!!

Our Annual Fun Fair is Thursday May 10, 2018; 5-8 pm. Everybody is welcome!!!

We will have the St. George Lions there cooking up some of their famous BBQ with help from our friends at IFT Independent Food Town!!!

Individual **Krispie Kreme** Donuts will be available for purchase at Fun Fair so you can enjoy one with dinner!

The St. George Fire Department will have a fire truck on display. We will also be having the Bunny Hopping doing a demonstration around 6:30 pm.

Thanks to our generous sponsors we will be having some great prizes for our Passport winners!

Our Thanks go to The Arms, Dr. Willem Bouma, Ken's Auto to list a few.

We will have some of our classic games plus a few new ones! Don't forget to get a ticket for one of those great class baskets and check out our great Spirit Wear!!!

So come on out and have some FUN and help support our school in our efforts to raise money for our Primary UpHill Project!!!

The **Zumba A Thon** was a great success. Fun was had by all and all students had great participation and definitely worked up a sweat!! We raised a total of \$2275 with the top fundraising class being Mrs. Sellar and Ms Korakas' class; congratulations and thank you for your pledges and donations!

Thank you for all your continued support in our fundraising efforts!

Our next School Council meeting will be **Thursday May 3rd, at 6:30pm**, in the school staff room. Please come and join us! All are welcome!!!

Spring School Reminders

As we head into the final two months of the school year, please be reminded to use the crossing areas in the drive through lane that buses and cars use at the beginning and end of the school day. There is one crossing area that is monitored by safety patrollers who help keep everyone safe and another at the corner of College Street that should be used with the crossing guard.

We also ask to please keep dogs off of school property and at home when dropping off or picking up children at the end of the day. Although owners may feel dogs are well behaved keeping all dogs off school grounds better ensures there are no incidents involving them with students.



Brantford Rotary Classic Run

St. George-German runners participated in the Classic Run at W. Ross McDonald School in Brantford with a goal to raise \$500 for the Rotary Club who supports a variety of needs in the local community and exceeded their goal by raising \$945! As a thankyou, the school will be receiving a free pizza party at a date TBA. Thanks very much to all runners and to Mme Rochette, Mrs. Walker and Mme Chaplin who ran a running club for grades 3-8 and further organized the team.

From the Student Leadership Team

Our Student Leadership Team will be kicking off an initiative to raise money for "Right To Play Canada" this month. RTP provides materials and programs to developing countries all over the world to promote play based learning. We are hoping to raise money for this organization by running stations at nutritional break that our students would pay a small amount of money to participate in. There will be lots of prizes and excitement; be sure to watch for information coming home soon! May 18th is our next spirit and colour house activity day. The theme is "tacky tourist". Get out your fanny packs! Our SLT would like to organize a talent show at the end of the year for all students. It's a busy month, but we have a tentative date of June 22. Again, more information will come home as we get closer to the date.

French Café - Our Grade 8s have been working hard to prepare for "Café Disney à Paris" and are looking forward to using their French to serve their parents and all other students who take French at SGG. Invitations and sample menus have already gone home; please remember to send money with your child on May 9th if he or she is attending. Bon Appétit!