



November 2018 Newsletter



Dear Families,



Progress Report Cards will be sent home on Thursday, November 8th, 2018.

Within this Report Card envelope, is confirmation of your interview time either after school on Thursday, November 15th or in the morning on November 16th.

If you need to reschedule or are unable to make the interview, please contact the office and leave a message.

Thank you.
Ms. C. Morphet

School Council

We are excited about the upcoming move to the new build. A special thank you to our families for your continued patience as routines are established!

Please join us for our next meeting on :
Wednesday, November 21, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.
At The Minga.

Mustang Assembly

We held our assembly on Thursday, October 25th, and it was wonderful to see so many families join us in recognizing Mustangs. Go Mustangs!

A special thanks to Brock H., Heidi S., Chase M., Cameron C. and Ava L. for their excellent skills at leading our assembly. Congratulations to the following students for being recognized for demonstrating cooperation: Jocelyn H., Jacey W., Payton H., Dougie D., Caledyn R., Jaxon S., Kiera W., Tommy S., A.J. G., Kylie D., Kennedy C., Jorja S., Logan P., Megan S., Timmy D. and Lochlyn R.

We celebrate success for everyone at Mapleview. At the assembly, the following students were given a star celebrating their personal success: Melanie R., Alivia H., Lucas P., Bryce L., Ryder B., Bella S., Brayden B., Austin H., Mackenzie M., Morgan D., Lyvia K., Makenna W., Lucas S., Charlotte B., Tristan G., Henry B. and Jayden P.

Congratulations to the following Mustangs for being celebrated this month as being excellent leaders: Stella P., Zoey M., Jacklyn N., Avery V., Jaxon A., Grace H., Skylee K., Niko I., Leah K., Charlee L., Attika S., Nash B., Adrianna B., Heidi S., Kayla H., and Chase M. We are so proud of all the Mustangs who were honored today, and to those Mustangs who are doing their best and being kind, always.

Next Mustang Assembly is Friday, November 30 at 9:15. a.m.

Strong Start needs you! If you are interested in becoming a volunteer coach for our Strong Start Reading program, there are additional training sessions being held at J. C. Hill Elementary School in Ohsweken. Please see calendar for dates. Please visit strongstart.ca to register for the training session or contact our Site Coordinator, Laura Fletcher, at 209-289-5288. Please note volunteers must attend both Part 1 and Part 2

Moving Day!

It is hard to believe that moving day is almost here, and soon we will be in Mapleview Elementary School. This is an exciting time for us and our Dunnville Community.

This has been an exciting journey for all of us. We will continue to have learning curves, as our playground will now be the demolition site and entries/exits will be rotating depending on the asphalt/construction schedule.

A reminder that Mustangs will **not** come to school on Friday, November 9th and will return to school on Monday, November 12th. We will have special visitors this day welcoming us to our new school.

Before School Routine:

Kindergarten students will go to their classes from the 'pen' outside their classes in the morning. Kindergarten students will also leave school at the end of day from this spot.

Students in Grades 1—8 will go to the gym before first bell, daily. Students are welcome from 8:30 to 8:45, when the bell rings.

Mrs. Uyen's students will go to their classroom from the bus before the bell.

Families, thank you for dropping off your children as they will come into the gym to meet staff. This routine may change as we gain some of our playground back.

Families, please allow your children to come into the school independently.

Recess: Students will continue to be on split recesses.

Kindergarten students will play in their area/pen.

Grade 1—8 students will use the stone path to access the bridge to Kinsmen Park (10:25—10:45 and 1:05—1:25 for K—4 outside/ 10:45—11:05 and 1:25—1:45 for Grades 5-8 outside).

IMPORTANT: Pick Up and Drop Off

Thank you in advance to families, for 'sharing the road', with the buses during drop off and pick up. Please continue to be very cautious while on the property.

Families will have their own round about, where buses, have the larger round about. Cars are not to be in the bus section and there is **NO parking** in the kiss and drop off lane.

It is recommended for families, if they are picking up their children, to park and walk to meet their children. Parking may have to be on the road, if there are no open spaces in the parking lots. Again, **NO Parking in the kiss and drop off lane or in the ONE lane for cars and buses.**

Please refer to map(s) on page 3 for further information about new procedures. These maps are not to scale and are 'free hand' based on blueprints.

Routines may change:

There may be changes to routines for pick up and drop off, but we will communicate these changes when necessary.

When is the Opening Ceremony?

We will have an Official Grand Opening in the Spring of 2019. Families will be able to visit the school during the interview days on November 15 and November 16th. Also, families can visit the school during our Christmas Open House on Wednesday, December 19th. More details will follow.

A note from Coach Hart: Our junior soccer tournament was October 4th at Logan Soccer Park in Dunnville. As the day progressed so did our Mustang B Team in many ways. Playing our positions, passing and staying focused on the bench all got better as well as sportsmanship and attitude. Our last game was by far our best. It's not easy to lose all day but many players took the wacky weather, mud, bees and being in a very tough pool in stride. We lost respectfully in the round robin and earned a spot in the semis so we should celebrate that accomplishment. Many left the tournament with smiles and good memories. Madame Hart would like to thank all those who kept trying, never gave up and kept encouraging others.



The Mustang B Team: Shyloh A., Easton B., Laura C., Kaitlyn C., Liam G., Cohen H., Tierra H., Cole H., Alexis L., Evan L., Zander L., Natalie M., Travis M., Morgan M., Johnny S., Xander S., Owen T., Jude W., and Trinity W.

Update from Coach Cole: The Mapleview Mustangs A Team was very successful at the Haldimand Family of Schools soccer tournament. The team was undefeated in round robin play, posting scores of 9-0, 4-0 and 4-0. In the semi playoff round they were victorious once again with a score of 3-0. They faced Oneida in the A division championship game, tying them 3-3 in regulation play. The Team then competed in a double round shoot-out but were defeated.

Mrs. Cole was extremely proud of the players' sportsmanship, team work and work ethic. The team members were humble about their accomplishments and supportive of one another throughout the tournament.

The team advances to the Grand Erie District School Board's CAGE soccer tournament in Brantford on October 30th. GOOOOOO MUSTANGS!

Congratulations to : Henry B., Michael K., Bryadon K., Marshall H., Timmy D., Lucas S., Eli Z., Nash B., Dominic C., Charlotte B., Christina L., Aspen G., Jalyn T., Peton H., Shaye L. and Josie D.

A note from Coach Dear: The intermediate soccer team had a great day at the Haldimand tournament held at the Dunnville Soccer Park on October, 4th. The team came up just short, losing by a score of 1-0 in the "B" division semi-finals. The team demonstrated great sportsmanship throughout the day and played hard right to the last whistle. Thanks for a great season!

Team Members were Ryan H., Brock H., Heidi S., Cassandra D., Natalie D., Jordan R., Alex S., Haley B., Bryce M., Cameron C., Rylan H., Tristan G., Campbell I., Kevin S., Marcus M., Justin H., John B., and Octavia S.



From Coach Jackson: The cross country meet on October 17th was a little chilly and this was the Haldimand meet. Taquanyah was dry and the footing was good. Our Mapleview team pushed themselves to do their best and showed excellent sportsmanship. Many of our competitors finished in the top ten. We had 5 of our team go on to the CAGE meet, which is against all runners in the Board. The following Mustangs made the Cross Country Team: Gr 3; Ella B., Brianna P., Natasha S., Niko I., Sheppard S., and Willie Y. Gr 4; Kylie D., Bailey P., Evan B., Amber N., Morgan D., Jackson R., Zachary L., Dominic C., and Jordan S. Gr 5; Josie D., Alexis L., Natalie M., Cole H., Marshall H., and Zander L.. Gr 6; Charlotte B., Brayden K., Michael K., and Henry B.. Gr 7; Jordan R., Kayla H., Alexandria S., Campbell I., and John B. Gr 8; Zoe I., Haley B., Natalie D., Carter J., and Chase M. Congratulations to the following team members for representing Mapleview at CAGE.: Henry B (1st), Michael K. (2nd), Brayden K (3rd), Jordan R (1st) Charlotte B (3rd).



Pictured here from L to R: Michael K. Brayden K. and Henry B.

Staffing Update at Mapleview Elementary School

We have been very fortunate to have Mrs. Ricker join us in the capacity of a principal as we transition to the new school. We also welcomed two new staff members to Mapleview this month and they are Mrs. Green and Miss Inglis. They join our team in the role of an Education Assistant. Mrs. Gould, a Designated Early Childhood Educator (DECE) will return from Maternity Leave on November 19th and will be reunited with Mrs. Rosa. Welcome back!

Lest We Forget We remember. We honour soldiers, past, present and future. Due to the timing of our move, we will recognize Remembrance Day with a two minute silence on Thursday, November 8th. Students will be doing readings over the PA system the week of November 5th—8th. There is no assembly. Students have created posters and poems to the Legion for their annual contest. We encourage families to attend the ceremony at the cenotaph on November 11th in Central Park.



Inclement Weather Information:

- Information on Student Transportation Services can be found here: <http://www.stsbhn.ca/>
- For transportation delays, cancellations or school closures, visit: www.transinfobhn.ca/Cancellations
- If there are school or board facility closures, Grand Erie will post a notification by 6:30 a.m. on the Board's website here: www.granderie.ca
- Information will be posted on Grand Erie's Twitter (@GEDSB) and Facebook (www.facebook.com/GEDSB) accounts
- Closure information will also be shared with local media (i.e. radio, television)
- Find the Board's Inclement Weather Policy here: <https://bit.ly/2HoCIYX>
- Learn how Student Transportation Services makes its decision about inclement weather here: bit.ly/2JIVSk9

