# **Kersley Elementary**

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I would like to thank all of the students and their families for welcoming me into the Kersley Elementary Community. I have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know all of you and am very much looking forward to another fantastic year!

As a staff, we have been working on redefining our core values in collaboration with our students, and will be asking for your feedback over the next couple of weeks. We appreciate your feedback, and want to ensure that your voices are reflected in this important work!

Mrs. Joelle Withey, Principal

## **New – Monthly Planning Meetings for Whole-School Activities**

Next year, the staff plans to meet, after school, on the third Wednesday of each month to discuss and plan upcoming events, such as sporting events, seasonal activities, and spirit days. We will keep you updated, in the newsletters, regarding the dates, times, and topics each month. Please join us whenever you can, as your ideas and help are always welcomes and appreciated!

Please return all library books next week. Fines for unreturned books will be sent home on Monday, June 24<sup>th</sup>.

## **Business Fair (Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup>)**

Please come to our Business Fair tomorrow! It starts at 2:30pm and will run until at least 5:00. Students from Division 3 have been working hard to create fantastic products for purchase. We look forward to seeing everyone there!

## **Grade 7 Orientation Morning** (Tuesday, June 25<sup>th</sup> – am only)

Our grade 7 students will attend at QJS for the morning, and then return to the school by bus to join in on the Fun Day activities!



## **Upcoming Dates**

#### June 12

Fry Release – Division 3

#### June 13

Business Fair at 2:30!

#### June 14

QJS staff visit – grade 7's

#### June 21

National Indigenous Peoples Day!

#### June 25

Grade 7 Orientation Day at QJS

School-Wide Fun Day!

#### June 26

Year-End Celebration – 1:00pm

Last day for Kindergarten

Summative Report to families

#### **June 27**

PAC Pancake Breakfast and slideshow – 9:00am

Last day for grades 1 to 7

#### June 28

Administrative Day

No school for students

## School-Wide Fun Day! (Tuesday, June 25th)

Please join us for a day of fun-filled, farm themed activities and games!

Thank you to PAC for supporting us with snacks and lunch, and helping to co-plan this special day for our students!



## Year-End Celebration (Wednesday, June 26th at 1:00pm)



Our students are currently in the process of creating beautiful learning portfolios to share with you on this important day. They will be able to show you samples of their accomplishments, walk the red carpet, and share what they are most proud of with all of you!

We will also be recognizing Mrs. Campbell at this even for her 10 years of dedicated service to School District #28! We are so grateful to have her on our Kerlsey team!

## PAC Breakfast and Slideshow (Thursday, June 27<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am)

Thank you PAC for carrying on the tradition of a pancake breakfast on our last day of school! We will enjoy a wonderful breakfast together and watch a slideshow that highlights all of the specials days, activities, and field trips we have enjoyed over the course of the 2018 -2019 school year.

Although our Kindergartens are not in attendance this day, families are welcome to bring their Kindergarten students to this year-end event!







We love to see our students bike and skateboard to school! Please review the following bike safety rules with your child, to help them stay safe on the way to and from school.

- Wear a properly helmet every time you get on anything with wheels.
- Wear light or bright coloured clothing and shoes that cover your toes.
- Listen for vehicles and others on the road. (Avoid headphones.)
- Check your tires for air before each ride and make sure your breaks work properly.

## **Kersley PAC**

President: Shannon Wilwand Vice President: Desiree Wiebe Secretary – Shannon Braconnier Treasurer – Patricia Townsend

### Elections: Thursday, June 20<sup>th</sup> at 3:30

On behalf of the Kersley Elementary PAC, I would like to thank all of our wonderful parents and volunteers who have helped make another successful year.

As we finish another year, we are looking to elect our new PAC Executive for the 2019/2020 school year. As parents, grandparents and guardians, we are all PAC members.

All positions are available. We will be seeking a new President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary. We all work together to make our school successful.

If you are looking to get involved, want to support our school, kids, and community, we invite you to come attend our elections on June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 3:30pm in the school library.

Parent involvement and support is critical to our school community. If you have questions or concerns, PAC is here to help. Come on out and see how you can get involved.

We look forward to seeing everyone on June 20<sup>th</sup>, as well as in the new school year.

Thanks for another great year!

Shannon Wilwand Kersley PAC President

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## Kersley Elementary 2019-2020 School Supplies.

Please visit our website to see all school supply lists. They will also be included in the report card envelope. www.kersleyelementary.weebly.com

There is also an option to purchase a kit from Staples. These kits will arrive at the school at will be presented to the student on the first day of school. They will need to be ordered by July 21, 2019.

The CODES are:

**K-1**: 96DA7E5A-09760 (\$51.78)

**2/3**: 76521A06-09761 (\$65.26)

**4**: 66941356-09762 (\$63.01)

**5,6,7**: *option 1*: 6DCF0F0D-79899 (\$58.88)

**5,6,7**: *option 2*: 9F92D770-89914 (\$73.19)

## Visit staplesschooltools.ca to purchase!

(click on *Place your order here* on the website)





As we bring June to a close....
We hope you all have a fantastic summer full of memories! See you in September!

Good luck to our Grade 7's who are moving on to their next chapter of high school. Work hard, and remember to have fun!!





## **September Notes:**

Reminder that the first day of school will be a half-day on Wednesday, September 4, 2019

Please send a snack (no need to send supplies that day)

Please refer to the school website late August for more information on dismissal and bus times.

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