

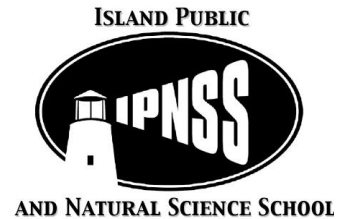
Island Breeze



The Newsletter of
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IPS Events & Information Mid-January 2019

ISLAND PUBLIC SCHOOL FAMILY SKATE NIGHT

The Island Public School invites all families to an evening of outdoor fun and socializing and exercise.



Thursday, January 17, 2019
5:00pm to 6:30pm
Harbourfront Natrel Skating Rink
(Harbourfront Centre)

Skate & helmet rentals are available at the rink!

Pizza will be available for sale!

All pizza sale donations will go to the mid-morning meal snack program!

Please note that this is a Family Event and Parents/Guardians are responsible for supervising their own children.

We look forward to seeing everyone at the rink.



Inclement Weather

Recess & Weather Conditions

Elementary school students are kept indoors for recess and lunch times for a number of weather conditions such as rain, lightning in the area, extreme winds and extreme cold. When temperature and wind chill measure -28C or lower, students are kept indoors. Recesses and lunch hour may be shortened if the temperature and wind chill reading is between -28C and -20C.

If a student's medical condition requires further consideration due to weather conditions, or if parents have other questions or concerns about how and when weather conditions affect your child's school day, please contact the school office to speak with Mr. Woolford.

Severe Weather

This is a reminder to parents and guardians that during times when weather is severe, it is very important to check both the School's and the TDSB's website for information on bus cancellations.

Our school can only be accessed if buses are running. On occasion when weather becomes too severe, then buses must be cancelled. This results in possible relocation.

Parents can access information via the websites and on news stations.

Grade 6 to 7 School Transitions

For the most recent and updated information on neighboring school open houses, alternative school application processes and packages, parents and students are encouraged to check the TDSB website School Choices at:

<http://www.tdsb.on.ca/Elementary-School/School-Choices/Elementary-Alternatives>

Upcoming Info Sessions

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| Alpha II Alternative Feb. 7 @ 6:00pm | City View Alternative Jan. 17 @ 6:30pm |
| Delta Alternative Jan. 7 @ 6:15pm | Equinox Holistic Alternative Jan. 23 @ 6pm |
| High Park Alternative Jan. 30 @ 6:00pm | Quest Alternative Jan. 29 @ 6:30pm |
| Horizon Alternative Jan. 15 @ 6:30pm | Spectrum Alternative Jan. 30 @ 6:00pm |

The Waterfront School, TDSB

Grade 6 students, who reside within the IPS attendance boundary, have an option to attend The Waterfront School located at 835 Queens Quay as their middle school. There will be a Parent & Student Info Visit on January 31st @ 5:30pm for interested IPS Grade 6 Families. In the spring a school visit will be organized for students registered for Grade 7.



**Board-wide
P.A. Day
Friday, Jan.
18, 2019
Schools Closed**



Kindergarten Registration



February is Kindergarten Registration month in the TDSB!

Kindergarten is the first step in a lifelong journey that will see your child learn, grow, achieve, and succeed at the TDSB. We look forward to sharing this journey with you and your child.

To Register for all Kindergarten Programs:

- Your child must be 4 years-of-age (Junior Kindergarten) by December 31, 2019
- If your child is currently registered and attending Junior Kindergarten, you do not need to register 😊

When registering at the school, please bring the following information about your child:

1. Age (a birth certificate or passport)
2. Ontario Health Card (OHIP)
3. Address (two pieces of identification that show your address)
4. Immunization card (the card listing the needles your child has received)

Island Public School Kindergarten Registration Evening

****Thursday, February 21, 2019****

- ✓ In order to make an appointment for the registration evening you must initially register **ONLINE** anytime between Monday, February 4, 2019 to Wednesday, February 20, 2019.
- ✓ Once you have registered online, we will contact you to make a registration appointment at our Kindergarten Registration Evening scheduled for Thursday, February 21, 2019 between 5:30pm to 8:00pm at Longos, Maple Leaf Lounge.
- ✓ For those families unable to make the Kindergarten Registration Evening, there will be an opportunity to register at the school the following week. Please contact the school to make an appointment.
- ✓ We will hold a Welcome To Kindergarten school visit in June.

**If you have any questions, please contact the school at
416-393-1910.**