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Robotics LEGO Club

Edmison Heights was well represented by Peterborough's first-ever Robotics LEGO team this December. The team, led by parent volunteer Tamara Bicks and mentor Jessica Kelso, came together in September and competed on December 8th in North Bay. The challenge was to identify a physical or social problem during long duration space exploration and to design a way to solve the problem. The team won a special Judge's Award for teamwork. Congratulations to Bailey Antzis, Mackenzie Bailey, Liam Cornish, Raeleen Jin, Addy Katz, Emily Kenny, Ronan Miller and Robi Ksander-Montaya. A special thank you, as well to all the parents who contributed their time and energy to the team and to Mme Heenan and Mme Gregory for supporting our team every Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Junior Mixed Volleyball



The two Edmison Heights volleyball teams had a great day at the tournament at James Strath on December 6, 2018. There were many nail-biting games with awesome 3 hit rallies and many plays showing genuine teamwork. Some balls dropped our way and some did not but the teams played hard and showed true sportsmanship. One of our teams ended up in the final game but lost in a tough battle to Chemong Public School. Congratulations to Audrey Lett, Meghan Carter, Bella Harvey, Hannah Loch, Cady McQueen, Julia Ellis-Ireland, Emily Hogg, Keira Bletsoe, Jaffe Antzis, Melina Meletiou, Lincoln Rose, Seth Ireland, Oliver Clusiau, Travis Maxwell, Wade Brandsma, Egan Norton, Landon Kirkwood, Adam Stimers, Julian Martin and Griff Coupland.

Mrs. Goodfellow, Mrs. Ryckman, Mrs. Szusz and Mme Lavery are all very impressed by the progress our teams made throughout the season and were very proud to be at the tournament with such a fine crew of volleyball starts! Thank you to Mrs. Goodfellow, Mrs. Ryckman, Mrs. Szusz and Mme Lavery for coaching our teams.



Kindergarten Registration

If you have a child, or know of anyone who has a child who is eligible to attend either Junior or Senior Kindergarten for September 2019, please come into the school or contact us at 705-745-0722 to register. In addition, you can register online at www.kprschools.ca.

The following information will assist you with the registration process: Junior Kindergarten students must be 4 as of December 31, 2019. Senior Kindergarten students must be 5 as of December 31, 2019. Proof of age by birth certificate or equivalent and proof of address must be provided. In addition, immunization is required. Accurate enrollment projections are key to getting funding from the Ministry of Education and to the Board's budget process.

Edmison Heights Food Drive



From November 30th to December 7th, the Edmison Heights' students and community collected items for our Food drive in support of Kawartha Food Share. Mme Smith's

class was able to go to the Kawartha Food Share Warehouse on December 13th to help with organizing all of these donations. Thank you for helping Edmison Heights show support for those in need in our community.



Parents and guardians are encouraged to pay school fees online. Field trips and hot lunches can be paid online. It is fast, simple and secure.

Please register at:

<https://kprdsb.schoolcashionline.com>

Contact Parent Help Desk at 1-866-961-1803 or parentshelp@schoolcashionline.com for additional information and technical support.

School Council Update

Our Scholastic Book Fair was very successful again this year, raising \$5500.00! This money has been used to purchase new items for both the school and classroom libraries. A special thank you to organizers Laura Gunning and Karen Stoyles and to everyone in the Edmison Heights community who supported this fundraiser. Way to go!

The next round of Hot Lunches ordering will be open for ordering via school cash online from January 1st-22nd. **Reminder**— Should we experience a snow day on a Wednesday (pizza, East Side Mario's or Subway) all meals will be cancelled and rescheduled for the next regular school day.

Did you get new clothes, hats and gloves for the holidays? Keep track of your belongings

and support our school with Mabel's Labels. Go to mabelslabels.com and click on "support a fundraiser" in the top right corner to select "Edmison Heights (Peterborough)" from the list prior to filling your cart. FREE shipping in Canada and 20% OF ALL SALES come right back to our school! Happy shopping!

We have lots of fun things planned for the new year starting with breakdancing which will lead into our DANCEATHON! Later in the year, we will welcome Nature Nancy, once again.

The next School Council meeting is Monday February 4, 2019 at 6:30 pm in the Edmison Heights Library. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Student Nutrition Program

We hope everyone had an amazing holiday! We're back in the kitchen packing healthy snacks in the bins for each classroom. Ask your kids which is their favorite part of the bin? Do they ever go for more

apples? Have they tried the cheese? Or veggies? We want them to eat it ... all!

We are always looking for more volunteers, message Kristin Gibson for more information at kristinmackenzie@hotmail.com



Important Dates

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| January 1-22 | Cash online open re Hot Lunch for February and March |
| January 9 | Car Free School Day |
| January 9 | East Side Mario's |
| January 16 | Pizza Lunch |
| January 23 | Subway Lunch |
| January 30 | Pizza Lunch |
| February 1 | PA Day - No classes |

