

MERTON HOME AND SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

January 20, 2010



Last week was our first meeting of the year and I would like to thank all the parents who took time off from their busy schedule to attend. The Home & School needs parents to participate in order to exist.

Enrichment: Most enrichment courses will begin this week with the exception of courses in which grade 5 and 6 take part due to the Camp Boute-en-Train trip. Please look at the schedule enclosed below.

DAY	DATES
Monday	Jan 18,25, Feb 1,8,15,22, March 8 and 15-ALL Monday Classes
Tuesday	Jan 19 th ,26, Feb. 2,9,16,23, March 9 and 16 th - All Tuesday classes
Wednesday	Jr Sports Jan 20,27, Feb 10,17,24 March 10,17,24 Mad Science Jan 20,27 Feb 10,17,24 March 10 <u>Only 6 weeks.</u> In. Guitar Jan 27, Feb 10,17,24 March 10,17,24 and 31st
Thursday	Scrap booking Jan 21,28, Feb 4,11,18,25, March 11,18 Ad. Guitar & Sr Sports Jan 28, Feb.4,11,18,25 March 11,18,25.
Friday	Ballet & Hip Hop Jan 22,29, Feb 5,12,19,26, March 18 and 26 Hockey Jan 29, Feb 5,12,19,26, , March 19,26 & April 9

Please note if you are picking up your children after Enrichment: The instructor WILL escort the children to the gym at the end of the session. Donna Martineau will be waiting in the gym NO earlier than 3:25pm. These changes are necessary for the safety and well being of the children.

AEF: The deadline for the AEF fee (100.00 per child) was October 31, 2009. A letter has been sent out last week to parents who have still not paid their fee. As per the Home & School collection policy if payment is not received by Thursday January 21, 2010 the Home & School will have no choice but to remove the child from Enrichment and ASA.

ASA: All ASA invoices **MUST** be paid no later than 10 days from the invoice date. If a parent has suffered a financial set back due to the current economic conditions and can't pay the invoice **PLEASE** contact the office and leave a message for the Treasurer. The Treasurer will contact you in confidence in order to work something out.

Zukacise Class: This fun Latin dance/aerobics class is offered to everyone. We "zukacise" every Tuesday night from 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm in the school gym. You can purchase your tickets at the gym door or at the Home & School Office.

Teacher Appreciation: This year it will be the week of Feb. 15, 2010. More information will follow as the date approaches. In the meantime some class mothers will be calling upon parents to donate items for the lunch which will be Feb. 19, 2010.

Thank You,
Merton Executive