



The Hillcrest Herald

April 2019 edition

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Notes from the Principals

Spring is right around the corner and we are entering the last stretch of our school year. Many fantastic activities are coming up as well as end of year exams for many of our students. Attendance in school and arriving on time is even more important as the students are reviewing in preparation for term 3 evaluations. Let's keep up the good work!

Happy Easter and Happy Passover to those who celebrate!

Regards.

Mrs. Lazaris &
Mrs. Bond

March Recap

SCIENCE FAIR – Our grade 6 students displayed great scientific knowledge during the science fair. The younger students were very impressed with the experiments and demonstrations!

HAHSA REWARDS—The students enjoyed the delicious treats throughout the month of March. Thank you to HAHSA and all the volunteers!

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

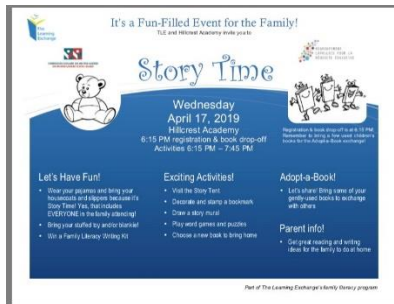
- We are having a LOT of issues at lunch time on Thursdays. PLEASE check the calendar for pizza days and send in a lunch for your child on days we do not have fundraisers.
- Please note that students are **NOT ALLOWED** to go back in the classrooms after dismissal.
- Late arrivals remain a serious concern. Please have your children in the building for the beginning of their first period.
- Please remember to call **before noon** or write in the agendas to notify us of any change in routines.
- Please ensure your children leave home properly dressed for the season. It is still cold and snowy and we will go outside for recesses. Students **MUST** wear **BOOTS** outside and change into their **SHOES** indoors.

Upcoming Events

Calendar changes –Due to the two snow days we had in February, the following pedagogical days were removed from our calendar and are becoming **REGULAR SCHOOL DAYS: April 1st and June 5th, 2019.**

Reading Week – From April 8th – 12th, 2019. Students will enjoy many different activities related to reading and arts. The full activity schedule was sent out with the calendar.

Story Time—April 17th For students from K-3.



Easter Break – Please note that we will have Easter Break from April 19th – 22nd, 2019.

Grade 4 Vaccines—April 11th.

Montreal Greek Film Festival—Is presenting *Swing Away*, a movie for students about a girl finding out about her Greek origins. *The cost of this movie is \$10.00 and can be seen on Saturday, April 13th, 2019, at 11:00 AM at Cinestarz Cote-des-Neiges.*



Next Meeting: Tuesday, April 16, 2019 @ 7:00pm at the Sir Wilfrid Laurier School Board Office in room 36A

Compliments of the Chef



Should you have any inquiries or questions, please call us anytime at 514-490-1235.

Team Merenda

Student Council Corner

Leadership Summit—Our student council attended the Summit and came back with many ideas for our school. They were also very proud to share everything they do with their fellow leaders from both elementary and high school.

Leadership Retreat for Future Leaders—Some of our grade 5 students have been selected to be part of our future leaders group. They are going to Arundel Nature and Science Center on April 9th to work on their leadership.

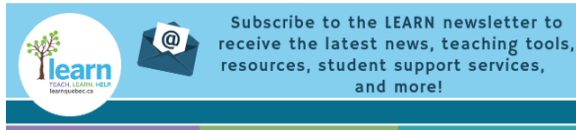
Don't forget we are still recycling old markers in the box by Ms. Natasha's office!

HAHSA to Home

This month's Rubs lunch is on the 26th.
Pizza lunches are set for the 4th, 11th and
the 18th.

COMEDY NIGHT—Was a great success! Many thanks to everyone who was involved.

Anyone interested in volunteering for HAHSA activities at school, please contact us at: volunteerhahsa@gmail.com



The spring session of LEARN Tutoring is back! Our request form is open for students to join the tutoring program from now until June. LEARN's online tutoring program, provided by experienced Quebec teachers and offered to students in Quebec's English education community at no cost, runs until the end of June exams.

LEARN Tutoring Spring Session:

- Elementary - April 1 to June 6
- Secondary - April 1 to June exams

Make a request for an appointment today at www.learnquebec.ca/tutoring

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