

May 2018

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The Hornet



HPS Reminders

Office

705-789-2318

Safe Arrival

705-789-0165

- Pizza Days are Thursday
- Milk Is \$1.00

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Message from the Principal

Dear Parents:

Spring has finally arrived and none too soon. The first week of May is Earth Week and you will see our classes outside cleaning up the community trying to do our part. We have lots of great activities coming up at HPS. Track and Field, Jump Rope 4 Heart and class trips are all coming up in the near future. Please see our calendar for all of our event dates.

Parent Council is hosting a Math Night on May 9th from 5:00 - 6:30 pm. Please join us to learn about some strategies and some current thinking around math. There will be a draw for prizes along with free food. We are looking forward to seeing you there.

Hopefully, you had a chance to see our production of Shrek, the musical. We are very proud of all of our students who did such an amazing job pulling this together. Special thanks to Mme. Cyr and Mme. Fitzgerald who spent a ton of time organizing, planning and bringing out the best in our students.

Have a great May and if you have any questions, concerns or feedback, please drop us a line at the office.

Sincerely,

Mr. T. Truax
Thompson
Principal

Mrs. D.
Vice Principal

PARENT COUNCIL:

Hello everyone,

I know you are all probably gearing up for a busy Spring and Summer but we still have a couple fun nights coming up so please mark them on your calendar.

Question:

What would you like to see more of from your parent council/ Parent involvement committee? We have done so much fundraising, for a great cause, over the last couple years but feel that there should be more FUN now in our Committee. What are your thoughts? Is it something you would want to be more involved in? We are always looking for help and ideas when it comes to any event. Drop me a line if you have time at jendanharwood@yahoo.ca

Coming Events:



Mark it on the calander for a family fun and educational night for parents and students on **May 9, 2018 from 5-6:30pm.** It is specifically for parents and students with children in JK to Grade 5. The theme is Math Night and the teachers are hosting this event with fun math games and activities related to what your children are learning. There will be free hot dogs, cooked and served by parent council. This event will be fun and **FREE!** All who attend will have a chance at winning a family pass to the Muskoka Drive In OR a Surprise Gift Card!



Our next parent council meeting will be May 28, 2018 at 6pm in the library and we would are always looking for people to join us and share their ideas, so please come out! I Hope to see you all soon.

Jen Harwood
HPS Parent Council Chair

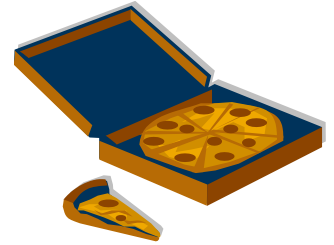


Milk/Juice and Pizza:



Milk – White and chocolate milk are for sale at both nutrition breaks for \$1.00. Milk cards are available at \$10.00 for 11 milks and are available in the office to purchase.

Pizza – Orders must be placed each Tuesday morning with the student's classroom teacher. Pizza is delivered on **Thursdays**. Pizza flavours include cheese, Hawaiian, and cheese with pepperoni. Each slice is \$2.00. If you would like to pay in advance – e.g. \$10.00 for 5 pizza slices – please buy tickets from the classroom teacher.



TRACK AND FIELD:

HPS track and field will happen on June 6th with a rain date of June 7th for Grade's 3-8. The meet will take place at both Conroy and the Lookout tracks. We are in need of parent volunteers to help that day. Please contact Tracy Marshall at the school 705-789-2318 or by email tracy.marshall@tldsb.on.ca if you can help.

BADMINTON:

Congratulations to HPS for winning the Badminton Banner for the second year in a row. The banner is given to the school that earns the most points based on Gold and Silver medals and Consolation winners. Student achievements that contributed to winning the banner were as follows:

Grade 7/8

Boys Doubles: Nolan Turner and Corey Maw - Gold Medalists

Girls Singles: Mya Marshall - Silver Medalist (Lost gold medal by one point in final)

Boys Singles: Aiden Spiers - Silver Medalist

Boys Singles: Logan Therien – Gold Medalist (Logan Therien lost both games in semi-finals to win the gold medal with scores of 15-14 and 15-14)

Girls Double's Consolation winners: Chloe Palmer-Ariake and Eden Bennett

Grade 5/6:

Boy's Singles: Wyatt Blair: Gold medalist

Girl's Doubles: Justine McNaughton and Millie Langlais - Gold medalists
Katie Harwood and Megan Koop - Silver Medalists

Girls Singles Consolation winner: Eva Standing

Congratulations to all badminton players on a great season!

JUMP ROPE FOR HEART IS MAY 15:

Huntsville Public School, is a school with heart. For 17 years, HPS has participated in the Jump Rope For Heart activity and has raised over \$93,000.00 for the Heart and Stroke Foundation. That is incredible!!! Last year we raised \$5145.00 and we are hoping for even \$1 more this year. I have encouraged each student, with adult permission to go online to jumpropeforheart.ca and register with our school. For each student that does this, Jump Rope will donate \$5 in that students name. We are looking forward to a great time of being physically activity, being outside and exercising our hearts!!!

Kari Aubin
Educational Assistant
Huntsville Public School

Family Math Night!

Wednesday May 9th
5:00 pm – 6:30 pm
JK – Grade 5
Parent Council and HPS staff bring you

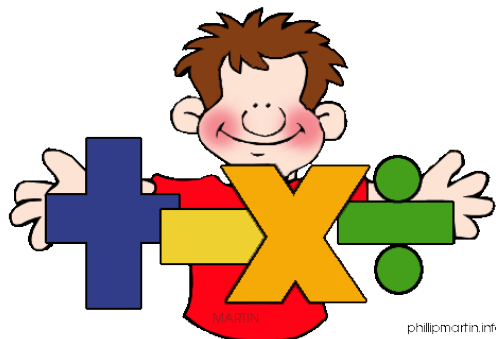
“Learning About Math Through Games”

for students in JK to Grade 5 and their adults!

Participate in games and activities related to what your children are learning and fun ways to improve math skills!

FREE hot dogs will be served by Parent Council!

Everyone who attends will have a chance at winning a prize!





HELLO SUMMER!

YWCA
GIRLZ UNPLUGGED
MUSKOKA

Ages 9-11

July 3-6 Bracebridge
July 9-13 Huntsville
July 30 - Aug 3 Bracebridge
Aug 7-10 Huntsville
Aug 13-17 at the Gravenhurst YMCA



Share. Grow. Discover

ON SALE: MARCH 1st, 2018

5 Day: \$175/\$145 w/ membership 4 Day: \$140/\$110 w/membership

Be a leader. Make a difference.



Ages 12-16

July 16-20 in Huntsville
July 23-27 in Bracebridge

Camp Runs from 9am - 4pm Early drop off & pick up available Subsidies available

Register online at www.ywcamuskoka.com or 705-645-9827

