

## Community Weekly Time Lion

Hear us Roar



### May

*Asian Heritage Month*

*Jewish Heritage Month*

*National Speech and Hearing Month*

*Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month*

Monday, May 13	Day 1	<b>HWDSBe Kind Campaign</b>
Tuesday, May 14	Day 2	
Wednesday, May 15	Day 3	Jump Rope For Heart
Thursday, May 16	Day 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 4PM-5PM Kindergarten Orientation</li><li>• 6PM Yes I Can Awards</li></ul>
Friday, May 17	Day 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia, Biphobia</li><li>• Soccer Tournament at SWL</li></ul>

### Upcoming Events

*Victoria Day No School May 20*

*Pizza Day May 29*

*Sub Day June 6*

*PA Day June 7*

*Grade 8 Commencement June 19 5PM at Glendale Secondary (ceremony),*

*6:15PM-7-00PM Sir Wilfrid Laurier (family celebrations), 7PM-9PM*

*Student/Dinner Dance*

## Community Updates

### Happy Mother's Day – May 12

*To our SWL mothers/caregivers/guardians who celebrate Mother's Day.*

*Enjoy your day and hope you find some time to relax. Thank you for the care you demonstrate every day!*

## School Parking Lot

Thank you to our families for your continued support in ensuring safe travel to and from school for our students. We have observed an increase in families walking to school and we appreciate your support with this process.

A friendly reminder, students needing to cross Albright Rd to enter the school grounds should cross at the crossing guard spaces placed close to both our entry and exit areas of the school. In addition, students should not be entering the school through our parking lot. Please remind your child to use the sidewalks as these are the safer pathways entering and exiting school.

Travel To and From School Reminders:

- Families requiring to drive will need to park vehicles on adjacent streets following bylaw
- Walk, Roll, Bike to school
- Students assigned to a bus should utilize the bus service

Your understanding and support for student safety is appreciated.

## Sub Day

Sub Day is Thursday June 6<sup>th</sup> 2024, 2<sup>nd</sup> nutrition break. Subs are \$5.00 and are 6" long. Proceeds will be going towards our grade 8 Commencement. Subs can be purchased on School Cash Online from May 6<sup>th</sup> - May 24<sup>th</sup>. Cash will be accepted directly in the office from May 21<sup>st</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> only. Order forms will be sent home with students on May 3<sup>rd</sup>. An order form must come back if your child is ordering a sub, whether they are paying online or with cash.

## Jump Rope for Heart

Jump Rope for Heart will take place on May 15<sup>th</sup>. You can donate to Jump Rope for Heart through this school link. <https://jumpropeforheart.crowdchange.ca/46407>  
Our school goal is to raise \$1000.00 this year.

The funds we raise will support research, education and other Heart & Stroke initiatives that empower kids and families across Canada to protect their heart and brain health.

Visit [jumpropeforheart.ca](http://jumpropeforheart.ca) for further information.

## HWDSBe Kind Initiative

Sir Wilfrid Laurier is excited to host a fundraiser during the week of May 13<sup>th</sup>- 17<sup>th</sup> to support the HWDSBe KIND campaign!

The theme of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's fundraiser is promoting kindness by improving school mental and physical health! We are excited to be selling kindness stickers, popcorn, running kindness activities and raising money for DPA equipment! To learn more about our school's fundraiser and how you can donate, [click here](#) to visit our website

### Background

Launched by [Hamilton Foundation for Student Success](#) (HFSS), HWDSBe KIND aims to raise funds for our school and HFSS Student Support Grants, which provide financial assistance to HWDSB students for school-related expenses and basic personal needs.

In addition to supporting a common cause, the fundraiser is an opportunity to provide students with real and practical applications for everyday life that will support the positive physical, emotional and mental health benefits associated with kindness.

## How You Can Help

This year HWDSBe KIND will raise fund for Sir Wilfrid Laurier's classrooms to obtain additional DPA equipment and HFSS' Student Support Grants so that all students can come to school and participate as equals while there.

Students and families can support through our [online donations](#). We would not be able to provide this same level of care and assistance for students without you, and we sincerely thank you for your kindness and generosity.

We look forward to seeing everyone come together to help support students!

[Click here](#) to learn more about Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Be KIND week!

## Thank you for Supporting our SWL Open House on Wednesday, May 8





Check out some of our Student Art from our Primary/Junior Art Club

