

Website: http://fgl.wrdsb.on.ca School Phone Number: **519 662-2830** Safe Arrival Phone Number: **519 570-8080 x3284** Transportation Website: www.stswr.ca Principal: Mr. M. Drummond Vice-Principal: Mr. A. Beddoe Office Staff: Mrs. K. Witmer Mrs. K. Harvey

# June 2015

Congratulations to all of our students for the hard work you have put into making this another great year. You have worked hard to uphold our core values of Learning, Respect and Responsibility. Many of the great things that happen here are a direct result of two groups of dedicated individuals – our staff and our parents. I would like to thank both groups for all of the work you do and for the extras you provide for us. We could not do it without you – Thank you.

As we leave for the year, you will see some staff changes listed in the newsletter. We have an additional change that I will mention here. Our Vice-Principal, Mr. Beddoe will be leaving us to be Vice-Principal at Wellesley Public School. I thank Mr. Beddoe for all his work at the Glen and wish him all the best at his new school. We will miss him. Replacing Mr. Beddoe is Mrs. Lisa Martin. Mrs. Martin is joining us from Stanley Park P. S. and Lackner Woods P. S. where she is a V-P. Mrs. Martin will be twinned as a Vice-Principal with Forest Glen P.S. and Sir Adam Beck P.S.

On behalf of the school, I wish everyone a safe and enjoyable summer. Good luck to our graduating students and we look forward to seeing everyone back on September 8<sup>th</sup>.

M. Drummond, Principal

**A.** Beddoe, Vice-Principal

### Important Dates

Welcome Back

Tuesday, September 8

### Meet the Staff Open House

• Tuesday, September 15

# **Photo Day**

• Friday, September 18

# **Family Math Night**

• Thursday, October 1

# September Class Lists

Class lists will be posted on the doors at the front of the school closest to the parking lot. They will be displayed on Friday, September 4<sup>th</sup> at approximately 5:00 pm and will remain on display until the first day of school.

The lists are not posted until that time, as we will still have changes to our student registrations until late in August. Class names and numbers will be placed on the doors at the back of the school to show students where to enter on the 1<sup>st</sup> day.

#### Thank you Strong Start donors

The Forest Glen community would like to thank Josslin Insurance Brokers Ltd., and Gore Mutual Insurance Company Foundation for their generous donations to the Strong Start reading program.

Strong Start is a registered charity, and the programs are made possible through the financial support of our donors. Strong Start is an early literacy intervention program that helps our young students learn to read.

Thank you again for helping make a difference in the lives of our young learners.

# **Staff Changes**

Good-bye and good luck to:

Mrs. Lenhardt, who is retiring

Miss Thorpe, who taught Grade 1 this year

Mrs. Holan, who is moving to St. Jacobs P. S.

**Mrs. Weicker**, who is moving to JF Carmichael P. S.

Mr. Wilson, who is moving to Forest Hill P. S.

Ms. Poniatowski, who taught Visual Arts and our Area Class

**Mrs. Spry**, who covered Kindergarten planning time.

**Mrs. McAuley**, who is moving to Mary Johnston P. S. and Cedarbrae P. S

Mrs. Yantzi, who is moving to Baden P. S.

**Mrs. McIntyre**, who was one of our Kindergarten EA's

We will be welcoming a number of new faces to The Glen. Some of those will be determined as hiring occurs throughout the summer. At this time we would like to introduce,

**Mrs. Dawn McCleave**, who will be an Educational Assistant in our Kindergarten classes.

# Moving this Summer?

If you are moving before next September, please call the school at 519 662-2830 or send a note to the office.



# September Transportation

Transportation details for the 2015 – 2016 school year will be available on Monday August 24, 2015.

Parents can login and view your child's transportation details by going to <u>www.stswr.ca</u> and following these easy steps:

- Click on "Student Login"
- Click on "Student Login" again (near the bottom of the page)
- Enter your child's Ontario Education Number (OEN). This can be found on your child's report card - Numbers only, no space, no dash
- Enter your child's birth date dd/mm/yyyy
- Enter your child's street number house number only
- Select the school your child is attending from the drop down menu

Please note: any address changes need to be done through your school. If you are moving this summer or change caregiver arrangements for the fall, you should communicate the change of address to your child's school before the end of the 2014-2015 school year.

#### Bell Times 2015 - 16

Supervision of students
Entry Bell for ALL
students (JK-Grade 8)
Instructional Day
begins
Nutrition Break 1
Nutrition Break 2
School Dismissal

# School Supplies

Please visit our website - http://fgl.wrdsb.on.ca to see a suggested list of back to school supplies.

#### Thank you Absolute Fitness

On behalf of the students at Forest Glen Public School, we would like to thank Absolute Fitness for subsidizing our Healthy Snack Initiative. The apples were extremely popular and helped to provide a nutritious snack for hundreds of students throughout the year.

The first part of our school mission statement is "A caring community" and your donation truly exemplifies this. Thank you for your generous support.

# Thank you Volunteers and School Council

A huge thank you to the countless and dedicated volunteers and School Council members who have helped out in many ways throughout the year. We appreciate your assistance and the time and effort you donate to making a difference.

#### **Greening the Glen**

Thank you to our Greening Committee for all of your work securing grant donations to get our projects started. Our large rocks for the outdoor classroom and trees have been ordered and are planned to be installed and planted before September. Way to go Green Team!