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Lakewoods P.S.

<http://www.lakewoods.ddsb.ca>

“Believe, Persevere, Achieve”

Welcome back Lakewoods families! We hope that everyone had a very relaxing summer and are ready for an exciting year. We look forward to working with you and making this a year to remember!

Thank you to our amazing staff who have worked diligently to prepare for our students. Our sincere thanks to our custodial staff, Mr. Mash, Ms. Lepper and Mrs. MacDonald, who have worked so hard over the summer to prepare for our return. The school looks wonderful and we encourage all students to do their best to respect the work that has been done and help to keep Lakewoods looking great!

The partnership between home and school is an extremely important part of your child’s success. We are committed to working with you throughout the upcoming year as we foster the growth and development of all students at Lakewoods.

Please remember to complete a daily self-assessment for your child prior to coming to school.

Please do not hesitate to get in contact with your child’s teacher regularly throughout the year. Their [email link](#) is on our Lakewoods website.

We encourage you to get involved in your child(ren)’s learning and to express your interest in what they do at school on a continual basis through the school year. We know that each year brings with it many triumphs and challenges.

Please know that we value your participation as a member of the Lakewoods team.

Sincerely, Mr. Bozanis

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Staffing Changes

We are very happy to welcome our new staff members to our Lakewoods community including our new Principal Mr. Bozanis.

Welcome Mr. Quesnel in room 105, Kindergarten

Welcome Mr. Thompson in room 210



Parent Portal—Waivers are due!!

The annual information review and update ensures that your child(s) information is most up to date and completes consent information for all waivers for each school year. This is a mandatory requirement. Emails were sent to each family on providing link and instructions. If you do not have access to a laptop, tablet or computer, please visit local library for access. Thank you to our families who have completed waivers for this year.

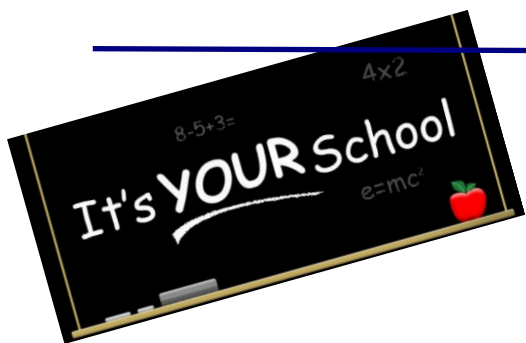
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School Community Council

The SCC is a group of parents who meet monthly to plan fundraising events for the school, act as a liaison between the parent community and the school, and discuss student achievement and well-being at the school.

All are welcome to attend our virtual SCC meetings which will be scheduled on our Lakewoods website!

www.ddsb.ca/school/lakewoods



Events

We have our upcoming **Terry Fox Run, by classes the week of Sept 20th.**

Thank you for each student donating \$2 towards cancer research.

LUNCHBOX has arrived—order your child(s) lunch to be delivered to school through

[School Cash Online](#)



Daily School Screening

If you are feeling sick—stay home. We are also asking students and families to do their part to help to keep everyone safe and have a successful school year. Please use the following daily checklist to help you and your child(ren) prepare for each day before coming to school.

Access the Elementary Daily Checklist; [Ontario.ca/school-screening](https://ontario.ca/school-screening)

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Thank you!!

Thank you to Stephanie, her son and friend Kayden and Zachary. This summer they worked hard to collect and purchase lunchbags, waterbottles for our Lakewoods students. What a generous and heart warming gesture!

These gifts have been very popular with some of our students and we would like to share our appreciation!



EVERY DAY
8:00-8:20 AM

All students are
welcome!

Parent Volunteers
Needed!

A graphic with a green background. At the top right is a white icon of a face mask. Below it, the text "It's OK to wear a mask." is written in white and black. At the bottom, it says "DDSB is a mask-friendly environment for all." and the DDSB logo, which includes a flame icon and the text "DDSB Ignite Learning".

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Parking Lot Safety

Parking cars and dropping off children continue to be a safety issue. Lakewoods Public School is a community school and we encourage students to walk to school. Thank you to our families that continue to respect our community members by following courteous driving/parking guidelines. Drivers are reminded that you must park your vehicle in an authorized parking space and that the circular driveway and front lot is not for stopping or parent parking.

If you must drive your child to school or pick up your child at the end of the day, please consider meeting the student on Sauble St. or Sharbot St.

**PLEASE DO NOT PARK IN THE CIRCULAR DRIVEWAY OR
ALONG THE DRIVEWAY ENTRANCE**



End of Day Dismissal

Reminder—To ensure the safety of our students, end of day dismissal for students in grades 1—8 is at the back of the school. Students are supervised by their teacher until 3:10 dismissal/pick up. It is important to our staff and our community that we follow the regular routine of end of day transition from school to home.

Please help us support a culture of respect and harmony by reinforcing school safety procedures from teacher to parent/guardian.

SCHOOL CASH ONLINE

ddsb.schoolcashonline.com

- School Cash online is a web based solution that gives parents the ability to pay for student items online.
- Have your students OEN# to set up today.

Dates to Remember

Sep 20	Terry Fox run/walk
Sep 30	Orange Shirt Day
Oct 5	National Walk to School day
Oct 6	Open House 4pm-5:30pm
Oct 10	Thanksgiving Holiday
Oct 11	Cross Country Meet
Oct 18	Picture Day
Oct 24	PA day—all schools

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