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

“Believe-Persevere-Achieve”

Wow! It's March already! We have just passed the mid-way point of the school year last month, and our students are doing a great job each and every day.

Safety of our students is a priority and we would like to thank you for calling ahead when picking up your child early. If you have a pre-determined appointment with your child(s) teacher or staff member, we require you to start your visit in the office. All visitors to Lakewoods are required to sign in/out.

We continue to have virtual Character Education assemblies each month. This month's character trait is Respect. We will be reminding students that showing respect means being courteous and polite. Showing respect also means treating others the way you would like to be treated. We know that students do best when the school and home, work together. Thank you for encouraging your child to show respect at home and at school.

A reminder that March Break is from March 10-17th. We will return to school on Monday, March 20th. As always students are encouraged to read and write each day and practice their number facts to ensure that they can hit the ground running when we return after the break. Enjoy your March Break!

As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to give me a call.

P. Bozanis, Principal



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Junior Kindergarten Registration Open

Parents will be registering their child using the DDSB online registration system. If you or someone you know has a child turning 4 by December 31st, 2023 remember to register them for school for September 2023. Look forward to more information coming in regards to Junior Kindergarten at Lakewoods!

Register [Here](#) for new 2023 Kindergarten

More information available at [Kindy @ Lakewoods](#)



Parking



Library Learning Commons

DDSB offers students and the community the tools, books, information and resources through the School Library Learning Commons. [Link](#) for your free access.



Attention Parents/Guardians:

If you are not receiving e-mails from the DDSB, please contact your child's school to ensure your e-mail is in the system to receive the latest updates about the school year!



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School Property Reminder

We have many families that are dog owners. We know it's nice to take the dog for a walk and drop-off or pick-up your child to and from school at the same time. However, it is the expectation that pet dogs are not to be on school property – especially at the beginning and end of the school day when there are many children walking and running about. Some children may be afraid of dogs, and the behaviour of a dog is never 100% predictable. Service dogs are exempt from this expectation and thank you for following DDSB policy.

Supervision of students begins at 8:30am, Thank you for staying with your child if arriving early!

Camp Information

<https://www.oshawa.ca/en/parks-recreation-and-culture/camps.aspx>

Girls and Women's Field Lacrosse is a dynamic sport that offers tremendous benefits to anyone who picks up a stick. Enhancing endurance, coordination, speed, agility, and strength, whether you're new to team sports, or an accomplished athlete, it's a great way to improve your overall fitness.

WOMEN'S FIELD LACROSSE EQUIPMENT:

- women's field lacrosse stick
- women's field lacrosse goggles
- mouthguard



JOIN OUR TEAM

Visit our website to learn more about our programs, specific age groups and team fees, or email us at lady_blueknights@yahoo.ca

To register to play in our upcoming season visit ladyblueknights.ca. Sign up before March 1st to save \$50 off your registration fee.

REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

A birth certificate or health card will need to be uploaded as proof of age for all new players at time of registration.



REGISTER TODAY



@ladyblueknights
Lady Blue Knights Lacrosse Association
LadyBlueKnights.ca

PLAY LIKE A GIRL



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OSHAWA'S ONLY WOMEN'S FIELD LACROSSE CLUB



SPRING MINOR BALL HOCKEY
HARMAN PARK ARENA
*Arena subject to change

Learn to Play: Kids Born 2017 to 2020 \$129
House League: Kids Born 2005 to 2016 \$219



REGISTER NOW

- Saturdays beginning late April/Early May
- Includes 10 Games and a Jersey
- Early Bird Pricing Ends April 1st, 2023
- Register to Guarantee a Spot!

FUN . FITNESS . FRIENDSHIPS .



2023 SPRING LEAGUE INFO

Our 2023 Spring league is set to begin at the end



Join us for Summer Camps
July and August

Our mission is to inspire kids to see STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) everywhere in the world around them. Hands-on activities and curriculum-based learning in robotics, coding, gaming, and much more, provide an experience that is both educational and fun!



Coding & Gaming camps *Fills quickly!*
From Minecraft, to coding, to artificial intelligence (AI), campers learn and expand coding and programming skills while exploring user interfaces, robotics, AI or virtual reality systems. Campers watch their visions come to life!

Engineering & Math camps
Discovery-based activities, design challenges and simulations promote an understanding of how engineering and math are useful in our everyday lives. Campers utilize the Engineering Design Process to boost problem-solving. Projects focus on building a better society!

Family camps
Bring the whole family! Family members learn alongside children in these one-day camps. Topics include outdoor family fun, STEAM, Minecraft, coding, gaming and robotics. **BONUS:** Campers receive activities and resources for home use.

LEGO®, Robotics & Technology camps *Fills quickly!*
Campers tackle hands-on challenges to build self-confidence, strengthen problem-solving skills and deepen technological skillsets. Bring your imagination and creativity, we will give you the knowledge and technology to explore, design, and innovate!

Science camps
Become a scientist! In these inquiry-based programs designed for the curious camper, campers explore nature, technology and science in everyday lives.

STEAM camps
Imagine and explore! Campers discover the intersection of Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math through hands-on challenges, explorations, experiments, and outdoor adventures!

Automation, Invention & Artificial Intelligence camps
Our world is constantly evolving, like our technology! Campers explore the mechanics, dynamics, and material sciences behind modern inventions, and learn about the newest developments within AI and automation, and the societal and ethical implications.

Turtle Island camp
In this STEAM-based camp, campers uncover and explore the relationship between STEAM, Indigenous peoples, and the land. Campers make connections between STEAM and Indigenous Knowledge, to better understand their responsibility as stewards of the environment.



In-person camps
Offered at Ontario Tech University
2000 Simcoe Street North, Oshawa
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Supervised extended care available for an additional fee
Times: 8 to 9 a.m. and 4 to 5 p.m.

Virtual camps
Camps meet using Zoom
Camps run weekdays for 2 hours

For more information
ontariotechu.ca/summercamps
summercamps@ontariotechu.ca

Camp Time

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Coming soon...



Dates to Remember

Month Trait	RESPECT
March 6th	Brights & Silly Sock Day
March 7th	Sports Spirit Day
March 8th	Class Photo Day Grad Photo Retake Day
March 9th	Lucky Green Day
March 10th-17th	March Break—Enjoy!
March 22nd-April 20th	Ramadan
March 24th	Grade 4 Excursion to Duffins Creek
March 25th	Earth Hour 8:30pm
March 29th	Grade 5 & 6's Excursion to Durham Forest
April 7th-10th	Good Friday Easter Monday

SAFE ARRIVAL

1-844-350-2646

attendance.ddsbs.ca

Please report planned absences in advance by contacting the above Safe Arrival options.

STUDENT VERIFICATION

<https://ddsbps.ddsbschools.ca/public/home.html>

Update your child's contact information every September on the Parent Portal.

SCHOOL CASH ONLINE

ddsbs.schoolcashonline.com

School Cash online is a web based solution that gives parents the ability to pay for student items online. You will receive email reminders of upcoming events. Have your students OEN#

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