

## MARSHVIEW PUBLIC SCHOOL

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# MARHSVIEW COMMUNITY WEEKLY UPDATE Week of February 6th, 2023

Monday, February 6th - Day Five

Tuesday, February 7th - Day One

- Sub Day at Both Chris Hadfield & WH Day Locations - Orders are available on www.lunchboxorders.net

Wednesday, February 8<sup>th</sup> - Day Two

Thursday, February 9th - Day Three

 Pizza Day at Both Chris Hadfield & WH Day Locations - Orders are available on www.lunchboxorders.net

## Friday, February 10<sup>th</sup> - Day Four

 Kernels Popcorn Day – Pre-orders were available on School Cash Online – We will also be selling popcorn for cash sale (\$2.00 per bag) during the first nutrition break at both Chris Hadfield & WH Day locations

### **IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES:**

February 17th - Report Cards Go Home

February 20<sup>th</sup> – Family Day – The school is closed for the Family Day holiday – enjoy the day with family and friends!

February 22<sup>nd</sup> – Pink Shirt Day – Staff and students are encouraged to wear pink today to stand up against bullying.

### **NEWS FROM THE MARSH:**

DRESSING FOR THE WEATHER: As we look ahead to some cold days, we would ask our families to ensure they check the day's forecast and ensure their child comes to school dressed according to the weather conditions. The Canadian Paediatric Society and the SMDHU recommend minimum temperature limits for outdoor play. These organizations and the SCDSB recommend that children be kept indoors if the temperature falls below -25°C, or if the wind chill is -27°C or greater. The office team will monitor temperatures throughout the day and make decisions about outdoor recess based on the above recommendations.

**BUS DELAYS AND CANCELATION:** For families who have students who ride the bus, please ensure that you monitor this link <a href="https://simcoecountyschoolbus.ca/">https://simcoecountyschoolbus.ca/</a> - it has live updates of bus delays and cancellations.

PLEASE NOTE: When busses are cancelled in the morning, they are also cancelled in the afternoon. Bus students who attend school on bus cancelations days need alternative arrangements to be made at the end of the school day for pick-up. Pizza and Sub orders will also be cancelled on these days and reimbursed. Students who have ordered these items and attend school will need to bring a lunch.

<u>WH DAY PARKING LOT:</u> We have had several incidents with parents/guardians driving in between the school and portables to access our office portable site and the Upper Canada Daycare. This area is tarmac play area for students and vehicles are prohibited in this location. When arriving at our WH Day site, please park in the parking lot and walk to the office or to the Daycare location. We appreciate your support with this to ensure student safety.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION FOR FALL 2023: Kindergarten Registration for students turning 4 years of age in 2023 has begun! For more information about Kindergarten and how to register, please visit - <a href="https://www.scdsb.on.ca/elementary/planning">https://www.scdsb.on.ca/elementary/planning</a> for school/kindergarten - You can also contact our school office in the New Year for further information!

<u>NEW MARSHVIEW WEBSITE:</u> Our school website has a new look and has been enhanced – Check it out at <a href="https://mrv.scdsb.on.ca/">https://mrv.scdsb.on.ca/</a> – We will continue to post updated photos of our new school at this website!

**KISS N' RIDE AT BOTH SITES:** Please ensure that if you are using the Kiss N' Ride at both our Chris Hadfield and WH Day locations, that you follow the instructions of staff. Our staff are directing both vehicle and pedestrian traffic to ensure the safety of all of our students – we ask that you follow directions and are respectful at all times. Thank you for your support with this!

REMINDER: For families who are picking up students at our Chris Hadfield site at the end of the day, the parking lot/kiss and ride will be closed until just before 3:50 p.m. This will allow for a safe dismissal of both Chris Hadfield and Marshview students – We appreciate your support with this!

<u>MARSHVIEW SPIRIT WEAR FOR SALE:</u> We are happy to announce that Marshview Mallards' Spirit Wear is available for purchase through Big League Gear at the following link - https://bigleaguegear.ca/collections/marshview-mallards

When orders are ready, families will be notified from Big League Gear and they will be available for pick up at their store (75 Holland Street East, Unit 1 in Bradford). We are looking forward to seeing all of our students and families in their Marshview Spirit Wear!

**SAFE ARRIVAL:** A reminder that when a student is absent, we would ask that you call our Safe Arrival line at 289-831-9654 or email us at <a href="mailto:mrvattendance@scdsb.on.ca">mrvattendance@scdsb.on.ca</a> to let us know that your child will be away – Thank you for your support with this.

<u>DROPPING OFF LUNCHES:</u> As we are navigating two offices at both our Chris Hadfield and WH Day sites, we would ask that you ensure to send your child with a lunch and snacks each morning. Dropping off lunches at the school during the middle of the day will not ensure a timely delivery to students and with two schools being housed in both buildings, there is the possibility of a mix up. In the event that your child forgets their lunch, we do have healthy snacks to provide them with. Thank you for your ongoing support.