



MARSHVIEW PUBLIC SCHOOL

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MARSHVIEW COMMUNITY WEEKLY UPDATE

Week of September 25th, 2023

Monday, September 25th – Day Five -
Tuesday, September 26th – Day One <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Letters go home to all students to indicate their teacher and class for the 2023-24 school year – Students will be placed in their new classes during the last instructional block of the day, so they are ready for Elementary Turnaround Day – There will be no changes to current Kindergarten classes!
Wednesday, September 27th – Day Two <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Elementary School Turnaround Date (Students will start in the official class for the 2023-2024 school year)- School Council Nomination Forms Due
Thursday, September 28th – Day Three <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Terry Fox Run - Calling all Marshview Mallards! It's that time of year again where we put on our running shoes to support a wonderful cause! Our school will be holding our Terry Fox run on Thursday September 28, 2023. Please help show your support if you are able, by donating through our school cash online (preferred), or a Toonie on our run day. Terry had a dream to raise money for cancer research. Come on Mallards, let's do our part to help raise money for Terry!
Friday, September 29th – Day Four <ul style="list-style-type: none">- We recognize National Day of Truth and Reconciliation (in lieu of Saturday, September 30th) – Staff and students are encouraged to wear orange shirts to honour the children who never returned home and Survivors of residential schools, as well as their families and communities- Kernels Popcorn Day – Popcorn is back! Popcorn will be available for cash sale only at \$2.00 per bag at the first nutrition break!

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES:

October 2nd – School Council Elections & Meeting (6:00 p.m. – General Purpose Room)

October 9th – Thanksgiving Day – School is closed for the holiday – Enjoy the day with family & friends

October 19th – Open House from 4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. – this is an opportunity for families to stop in and visit their child's classrooms and meet their child's Educators

October 19th – Formal Grand Opening of Marshview Public School (6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.) – Ceremony commemorating the opening of our school with greetings from special guests including SCDSB staff, local politicians and dignitaries – More Details to Follow!

NEWS FROM THE MARSH:

MARSHVIEW PUBLIC SCHOOL WEAR: There are now two ways for you to get your Marshview Mallard School Wear! You can order a variety of our logo wear at - <https://marshviewpublicschool.entripyshops.com/> - Marshview Families can get a promotional code to get 10 percent off! Use **INTRO10** discount code at checkout to get 10% off orders! You can also shop local at Big League Gear and order Marshview Logo Wear at [Marshview Mallards | Big League Gear](#) - We look forward to seeing everyone showcasing their School Logo Wear!

BUS DELAYS AND INFORMATION: The Transportation Consortium provides bussing service for eligible students across Simcoe County. They are responsible for communicating delays to families through their website at <https://scstc.ca/Alerts> - Live updates are posted there, so we suggest that families bookmark this website and check it if busses are not on time.

For further information or concerns, we encourage families to contact the Transportation Consortium at 705.733.8965 and/or visit their website at <https://main.simcoecountyschoolbus.ca/>

It is important for parents to communicate with their child's educators to let them know if their child is not taking the bus at the end of the school day, or else the student will be placed on the bus at dismissal time.

MABEL'S LABELS: Our School is continuing a "Mabel's Labels" Fundraising campaign. These are professional water-proofed, printed labels of your child's names that can be put on a variety of items (i.e. lunch bag, water bottle, clothing, etc.). It is a great product that will assist you with keeping track of your child's personal belongings! This fundraiser is ongoing for your convenience – just go to https://mabelslabels.ca/en_CA/fundraising/support/ - Search for Marshview Public School and start shopping – 20% of purchases are directed back to our school!

SAFE ARRIVAL NUMBER: We have a dedicated, toll-free, phone number for parents/guardians to report student absences and late arrivals. To report student lates and absences, we ask that you call: 1 888 885 8065

Please continue to leave your child's name, with the spelling of their last name, their teacher's name, the reason for the absence, and their date of return.

This number, as well as our attendance email, mrvattendance@scdsb.on.ca are available 24 hours.

KISS N' RIDE: Thank you for your support and patience as we continue to adjust our drop off and dismissal procedures at our new school. Following and respecting staff direction is appreciated! For students who are eligible for bussing, we encourage families to access this service. For walking students, we encourage them to take advantage of the Spring weather to walk to school. Further communication about drop off and dismissal procedures has been sent out previously, which has included an updated map. Please review these procedures carefully! Thank you for your support in keeping our students safe! PLEASE DO NOT DROP YOUR CHILD OFF ON SIMCOE ROAD – if you are dropping your child off, please use our Kiss N' Ride or drop them off at a location near to the school so they can walk the remainder of the way – Dropping them off on Simcoe Road is dangerous – By-Law officers have informed us that they are monitoring this. **We would also ask families to be mindful of their speed when driving into our school parking lot!** Please refer to the Kiss N' Ride Procedures and map that has been sent out separately and posted on our school website.

SCHOOL WEBSITE: Please take some time to visit our school website at <https://mrv.scdsb.on.ca/> for more information about our school and SCDSB. We post our weekly updates, newsletters and other information on our website to keep our families up to date!