



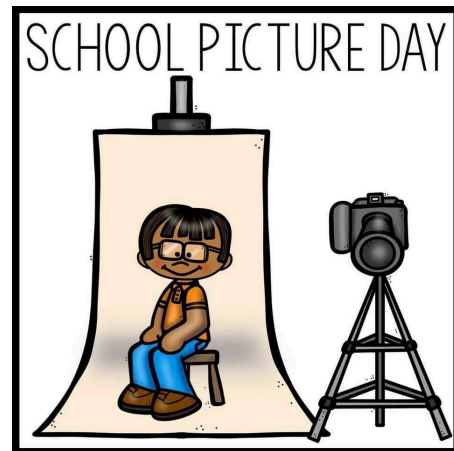
All events, teams and clubs take place during the school day unless otherwise noted.

Monday, September 16 - Day 10

- Intermediate Soccer Practice
(weather permitting)

Tuesday, September 17 - Day 1

- **PICTURE DAY**
- Junior Soccer Tournament
- Intermediate Soccer Practice
(weather permitting)



Wednesday, September 18 - Day 2

- Intermediate Girls Volleyball
- Intermediate Soccer Practice
(weather permitting)

Thursday, September 19 - Day 3

- Stand UP
- Intermediate Girls Volleyball
- Intermediate Soccer Practice
(weather permitting)

Friday, September 20 - Day 4

- Intermediate Girls Volleyball
- Intermediate Soccer Practice
(weather permitting)

Dates to Remember:

Parent Council Meeting - September 24th - **NEW TIME 5-6 pm**

Nomination Form:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1PKqbx7F78oYYXn7RB7psQZRcc3RYzN61/view?usp=sharing>

Terry Fox Walk - September 27th - Donations can be made directly to the Terry Fox Foundation, through the Garrison Road PS Donation Page. Please visit <https://schools.terryfox.ca/67268> to make a donation. Further details about our walk will follow next week.

Strengthening Families

Dear Parents/ Guardians/ Caregivers:

Garrison Road has been offered an exciting opportunity for the upcoming school year! We have been chosen to be part of the Strengthening Families Program. We all know raising children can be difficult, this program is designed to help families improve communication within their home, learn how to problem solve more effectively, help children develop, increase resilience in caregivers and children, increase overall protective factors for children and caregivers, and more! Caregivers and students will attend their own session to learn skills, build resiliency, and connect with others. Then everyone will come together to share a meal and connect with your children.

It will take place at GFESS on Thursday evenings, there is free childcare for any children under the age of 6, as well as dinner provided each week. We ask that you email our school social worker, Jen Drury Jennifer.drury@dsbn.org to sign up, and someone from the Strengthening Families program will connect with you. Please send Jen your name, contact information and any questions you may have.

Strengthening Families for the Future for Schools September 2024

Niagara Falls-

Tuesday—4:00pm– 6:30pm

Princess Margaret Public School

6624 Culp Street, Niagara Falls

St. Catharines-

Wednesday- 4:00pm– 6:30pm

Connaught Public School

28 Prince Street, St. Catharines

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St. Catharines, ON



Strengthening Families for the Future for Schools

A PROGRAM FOR FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN
OF ALL AGES

CHILD CARE AND DINNER PROVIDED

This program is for parents and children who are looking to improve their overall family life, including communication and coping skills

Attendance Procedures

Our school day begins at 8:35! If your student(s) is going to be late or absent, please log the information in Safe Arrival. There is an App that can be used that is compatible with both Apple and Android devices.

Check out this link for more information: <https://www.dsbns.org/safearrival/>

Music Lessons in School

Earlier this week, students in Grades 3 to 8 were treated to a music presentation offered by Niagara Elementary Instrumental Music. They offer music lessons that take place during the school day, at your child's school. Lessons start the week of Sept 16th. If your child is interested in taking music lessons, more information about lessons and prices can be found by visiting their website at

<https://www.neimusic.com/registration>



PARENTS - SHOWCASE YOUR STUDENTS!

If your child has success outside of school, we would love to share their passion and dedication with the school community. Perhaps they are involved in gymnastics, football, taekwondo or soccer and have done something great! Send us that information so we can share it in this weekly family memo, feel free to include a photo if you would like us to share that in our weekly memos.

Shane Playing The Blues

Shane has been playing the guitar for about a year now. He showcased his talents at the Fort Erie Leisureplex in a recital earlier this year. Way to go Shane!!!

