

Highland Happenings



Week 23: February 26th–March 1st, 2024

Message from the Principal

Hello everyone!

As nice as the weather has been this week, it is making our yard very messy! If you have children who like to play in the field (and they ALL like that!) please send an extra pair of pants and socks with your child. Being wet and muddy is a hard way to spend a day!

It is also a good time to remind your children to stay away from water (lakes/ streams etc.) at this time of year.

Kerry

Fluency

Our Fluency Passage this week is a new poem by Dennis Lee called **Willoughby Wallaby Woo**

“Willoughby, wallaby, woo.

I don't know what to do.

Willoughby, wallaby, wee.

An elephant sat on me.

Willoughby, wallaby, wash.

Willoughby Wallaby Wee

Willoughby Wallaby wee,
an elephant sat on me.
Willoughby Wallaby woo,
an elephant sat on you.
Willoughby Wallaby Wacky,
an elephant sat on Jackie.
Willoughby Wallaby wike,
an elephant sat on Mike.



Willoughby, wallaby, woo.
And I don't know what to do."

This poem is fun to play with and make other rhyming sentences (e.g. Willoughby, wallaby, web an elephant sat on Deb). You can play around with the sentences and find replace the last word with rhyming words. This is really great for our younger students because it helps them play around (and manipulate) sounds which helps with reading development.

Krispy Kreme Doughnut Fundraiser

🎉 CONTEST ALERT! 🎉 Get ready for a scrumptious showdown with our Krispy Kreme doughnut contest! 🤑 The top-selling class wins a doughnut party, and the top-selling student takes home a box of doughnuts!

Return order forms by March 1, 2024 for your chance to win. Let's make this fundraiser a mouthwatering success! 🚀 🤑



The poster features the Krispy Kreme Doughnuts logo at the top, followed by the text 'FUNDRAISER AT HIGHLAND HEIGHTS PS'. The dates 'FEB 16- MAR 1, 2024' are prominently displayed in a teal font, with '\$15 For a Dozen!' in a large pink font below. A note in smaller text says '(ORIGINAL GLAZED ONLY)'. The center of the poster shows an open box of doughnuts with colorful sprinkles scattered around it. At the bottom, there is a section with text about payment options, order deadlines, and pick-up details.

Krispy Kreme
DOUGHNUTS[®] MC

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AT HIGHLAND HEIGHTS PS

FEB 16- MAR 1, 2024

\$15 For a Dozen!

(ORIGINAL GLAZED ONLY)

Payments can be made starting on Friday, February 16th on School Cash Online. Paper Order forms are available upon request.

Order deadline is Friday, March 1st, 2024. Paper order forms must include payment for the quantity ordered.

Donut pick up will be at Highland Heights on Monday March 18th, 2024 between 3:30 and 5:30 PM

March Break Activities at the Peterborough Public Library

MARCH BREAK

at the Ptbo Library!



Dance Party

Saturday, March 9 | 10:10 - 11:00 pm
For Families in the Multipurpose Room



Interactive Movie

Saturday, March 9 | 1:30 - 3:00 pm
For Families in the FOL Community Room



Roads Ramps & Racetracks

Monday, March 11 | 10:30 am - noon
Ages 5+ in the FOL Community Room



Noticing Nature with Scientists in School

Monday, March 11 | 1:30 - 2:30 pm
Ages 9 to 12, Registration Required

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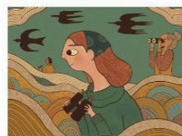
Teddy Bear Story Time

Tuesday, March 12 | 10:15 - 11:30 pm
For Families in the Story Corner



Puppet Show & Workshop

Tuesday, March 12 | 1:30 - 3:00 pm
Ages 6 to 12, Registration Required



Making Comics with Brooklyn Stormie

Wednesday, March 13 | 1:30 - 2:30 pm
Ages 9 to 12, Registration Required



Monomin Coding Connections

Thursday, March 14 | 10:30 - 11:30 am
Ages 5 to 8, Registration Required

MARCH BREAK

at the Ptbo Library!



Hawk & Hare Unplugged

Thursday, March 14 | 1:30 - 3:00 pm
Ages 9 to 12, Registration Required



By the Waterside Stories & Songs

Friday, March 15 | 10:30 - 11:30 am
Ages 4+ in the FOL Community Room



Instrument Petting Zoo

Saturday, March 16 | 10:30 - 11:30 am
For Families in the FOL Community Room



Register at
ptbolibrary.ca/calendar

Volunteering at Highland Heights

If you are interested in going on field trips or volunteering in any way at Highland Heights, you need to have a vulnerable sector check from either the Peterborough Police or the Ontario Provincial Police depending on where you live.

Please follow these links if you needed:

[Peterborough Police](#)

[OPP](#)

Week-At-A-Glance

Monday Feb. 26th Day 5	Tuesday Feb. 27th Day 1	Wednesday Feb. 28th Day 2	Thursday Feb. 29th Day 3 IEPs home	Friday March 1st Day 4
	Intermediate Boys Basketball	Pink Shirt Day		

Upcoming Dates:
Feb. 23rd- Pink Shirt Day
Feb. 29th- IEPs home
March 6th- Staff Meeting
March 6th- Hipgrave class to Peterborough Museum
March 8th- 15th- March Break
March 25th- Grad Photos

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