

Governor Simcoe Secondary School

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October 5, 2023

Good morning,

Please see below for some informational items and reminders:

Progress Reports and Parent-Teacher Interviews:

Progress Reports will be sent home electronically to student's DSBN emails today, Thursday, October 5th, 2023.

We will be holding parent-teacher interviews in-person at the school on Thursday, October 12th from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. The interview scheduler (<u>School Appointments On-Line</u>) will be made available to parents/guardians starting on **Thursday, October 5th at 4:00 pm,** and closing on **Wednesday, October 11th at 9:00 am.**

Parent Involvement Committee Conference

The DSBN Parent Involvement Committee (PIC) is hosting the DSBN PIC Conference on November 1, 2023, at Eden High School in St. Catharines, beginning at 4:00pm.

The conference is offered at no cost to families and hosts a variety of DSBN and community partner speakers who will be sharing relevant information that support student success and well-being. The conference also hosts an Educational Showcase where a variety of educational exhibitors promote their organization or service, and families have an opportunity to ask questions and take away information.

This event will feature over 30 presentation topics to choose from, a light dinner and evening refreshments provided by DSBN secondary school culinary students. Childcare will be available for children up to 12 years old. Pre-registration is required. Please use the link below to register:

REGISTER NOW

Niagara Region Public Health (NRPH):

Please see the NRPH October Newsletter attached.

Professional Development Day:

Friday, October 6th, 2023 is a professional development day for the DSBN. Schools are not open to students tomorrow.

Extended Lunch - Fall Fest:

Student Council has organized a Fall Fest day to finish off spirit week. Lunch is extended and will take place from 10:40 - 11:50 a.m. today. During the extended lunch, there will be a mac and cheese food truck, ice cream truck, baked goods, chips, and pop available for purchase. Debit and cash are accepted. The Born Special will perform outside, and the Student Council will be facilitating some outdoor games.

<u>Parent/Guardian Post-Secondary Presentation:</u>

On Tuesday, October 24th, 2023, Guidance will be hosting a parent/guardian post-secondary information session starting at 6:00 p.m. at Governor Simcoe Secondary. More information to come next week.

Student Activity Fees and Registration Forms:

This is a reminder to students & families that have not yet completed the required consent forms through School Cash Online, or not yet paid the required \$40 registration fee, to please do so at your earliest convenience. We thank you in advance for completing these requirements.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thank you,

T.Thompson