



Carruthers Creek This Week

Week of May 3rd

WE ARE

"ALLERGY AWARE & NUT FREE!"

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Carruthers Creek May Spirit Days

Wednesday May 5	Wednesday May 12	Wednesday May 19	Wednesday May 26
Coyote Spirit Day! Wear blue, orange or your coyote gear! 	Favourite Colour Day! Wear as much of your favourite colour as you can! See if your class can guess what it is. 	Hat Day! Wear your favourite headgear! 	Team Day! Wear your favourite sport attire! 

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY TO ALL MOMS!

Wishing you all a day full of happiness, relaxation and joy.



ONTARIO COVID-19 CHILD BENEFIT

The Government of Ontario is once again offering financial support to families with young learners to help with additional costs during the COVID-19 pandemic.

- If your family previously received a payment through the Support for Learners program, you do not need to apply for this additional payment. You will automatically receive a payment from the Ontario Government by e-transfer, direct deposit or cheque, based on what you chose when you applied for the Support for Learners program.
- If your family missed applying for the Support for Learners program, you will have the opportunity to apply for the new COVID-19 Child Benefit. Applications will be open from May 3, 2021 to May 17, 2021. The Ontario COVID-19 Child Benefit payments are as follows:
 - \$400 for each child or youth up to Grade 12
 - \$500 for each child or youth up to age 21 with special needs
- For information or to apply [CLICK HERE](#)



Ontario COVID-19 Child Benefit

Apply for a one-time payment to help with additional costs due to COVID-19.

- \$400 for each child/youth up to Grade 12
- \$500 for each child/youth up to age 21 with special needs

Apply* between May 3rd and 17th at bit.ly/COVID-19ChildBenefit

*Families that received Support for Learners funding do not need to apply and will receive the new benefit automatically.

CARRUTHER'S CREEK P.S.
SCC SUB-COMMITTEE
W.I.D.E.

WELLNESS INCLUSION DIVERSITY EQUITY

CALLING ON PARENTS, STUDENTS AND TEACHERS TO HELP US MEET THE NEEDS OF ALL OF OUR STUDENTS, STAFF, AND SCHOOL COMMUNITY IMPROVING THE OVERALL EXPERIENCE FOR EVERYONE!

Please email scc.carrutherscreekps@scc.ddsbc.ca to get involved!

WIDE MEETING—THURSDAY, MAY 6TH, 2021—6:30-7:30 pm

Meeting Link is as follows:

<https://meet.google.com/ben-kjrg-zrj?hs=122&authuser=0>

DDSBC MULTI-YEAR STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

- SUCCESS** We value your achievements.
- WELL-BEING** We value how you feel.
- LEADERSHIP** We value how you grow.
- EQUITY** We value who you are.
- ENGAGEMENT** We value your involvement.
- INNOVATION** We value forward thinking.



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MAY 3 - 7 IS #CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH WEEK @DDSB SCHOOLS

Check out the new 2021 video <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vIXODSglEj4> and wear green on Thurs, May 6 to show your support for children's mental health. Resources for students and families can be found at

<https://www.ddsbc.ca/en/family-and-community-support/mentalhealth.aspx>



GETTING READY FOR HIGHSCHOOL

Information about elementary summer school programs are now available on the Durham Continuing Education (DCE) website. We encourage students and parents/guardians to find out more about the programs offered this summer by visiting <https://www.dce.ca/en/summerschool/summer-school-2021.aspx>.

Registration for the [SMILE-e](#) and [Getting Ready for High School](#) programs opens on Monday, May 3 at 12:00pm.

