

Sir Edgar Bauer Catholic Elementary School

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WCDSB Vision: Our Catholic Schools: heart of the community, success for each, a place for all.

*WCDSB Mission: As disciples of Christ, we educate and nurture hope in all learners
to realize their full potential to transform God's world.*

September 2016

Dear Parents and Guardians,

On behalf of the staff, I'd like to welcome you to Sir Edgar Bauer Catholic Elementary School for the 2016-2017 school year. We hope that everyone had a great summer and that your child(ren) are looking forward to a great year ahead. It was wonderful to see so many of you at our "Sneak Peek". Whether your child is returning to Sir Edgar Bauer or attending for the first time, we are excited that you will be part of our community.

SEB returns most of its outstanding staff from last year; however there are a few changes of which I'd like to make you aware. I'd like to welcome Ms. Emelie Owens, Kindergarten teacher, Early Childhood Educator, Ms. Savannah DaSilva, Madelle Jessica Collins, Grade One French Immersion teacher, Mme. Richelle Kocher, Grade Two French Immersion teacher, Ms. Heather Shaver, Special Education teacher, Ms. Dawn Butson, Grade Seven teacher, Ms. Trish Hergott, Child and Youth Care Worker, and Ms. Michelle Muller, administrative assistant. We look forward to the great learning opportunities, both curricular and co-curricular, that these and all of our returning staff members provide our students.

Sir Edgar Bauer is well known for the strong support our community provides. The school community has been blessed with great parents, guardians, and community members who have been active in their support of a variety of programs and initiatives. This speaks to the team approach that is so important when it comes to achieving the most fulfilling and rewarding experience for your child. I look forward to your support in providing your child(ren) with a healthy Christian environment that will encourage students to be actively engaged in learning.

We are fortunate to witness the growth and gift of educating our children in the Catholic Faith. Prayers and activities throughout the school year will lead up and culminate in the celebration of Catholic Education Week from April 30th to May 5th, 2017, "Walking Forward Together/Aller De L'avant Ensemble". You are welcome to participate in our celebrations throughout the school year.

Please take note of some important introductory information about the school and the school year listed on the following pages. More information can be found in the front section of the student agenda and on our school website (<http://siredgarbauer.wcdsb.ca>)

I look forward to working with you and seeing the students at Sir Edgar Bauer excel spiritually, academically, and socially.

Yours in Christ,

Ms. Kathryn Peace
Principal



Sir Edgar Bauer Catholic School Staff 2016-2017



Name	Position
Mrs. Natalie Ferrier	JK/K
Ms. Emelie Owens	JK/K
Mrs. Joanna Berg	JK/K
Madelle Jessica Collins	Grade 1 (French Immersion)
Mrs. Melissa Skanes	Grade 1
Mme Richelle Kocher	Grade 2 (French Immersion)
Ms. Sandra Delangis	Grade 2/3
Ms. Kelly Bilenki	Grade 3
Mrs. Linda Mann	Grade 3/4
Mr. Rolland Chidiac	Grade 4/5
Mme. Jennifer Nelson	Grade 5 (Intensive French)
Mrs. Anne Moser	Grade 6
Ms. Dawn Butson	Grade 7
Mr. Ian Sine	Grade 7/8
Ms. Heather Shaver	Special Education
Mme. Teresa Kennedy	FSL
M. Alan Dicknoether	FSL
TBD	FSL (one period)
TBD	Planning Time (one period)
Mrs. Tracy Coutts	Planning Time
Ms. Savannah DaSilva	Early Childhood Educator
Mrs. Marie Buchholtz	Early Childhood Educator
Mrs. Janet Bugeja	Early Childhood Educator
Mrs. Jackie Moussa	Early Childhood Educator
Ms. Cynthia Raszmann	Extended Day Assistant
Mrs. Joan Meek	Extended Day Assistant
Mrs. Carol Lahn	Education Assistant
Mrs. Rose Morris	Education Assistant
Mrs. Theresa Patten	Education Assistant
Mrs. Sue Schultz	Education Assistant
Mrs. Lynn Weiler	Education Assistant
TBD	Education Assistant
Ms. Trish Hergott	Child and Youth Care Worker
Mrs. Joanne Winter	Lunch Hour Supervisor
Mrs. Mary-Jo Lanteigne	Lunch Hour Supervisor
Mr. Kevin Bingeman	Head Custodian
Mr. Paul Martin	Afternoon Custodian
Mr. Michael Fox	Library Technician
Ms. Michelle Muller	Administrative Assistant
Ms. Kathryn Peace	Principal

Daily Schedule for 2016 - 2017

The daily schedule for the school year is:

8:40 a.m.	Entrance of students
8:46 a.m.	National anthem, prayer, announcements and the start of classes
9:50 - 10:05 a.m.	Recess break
11:25 a.m. - 12:25 p.m.	Lunch break
1:45 - 2:00 p.m.	Recess break
3:10 p.m.	Dismissal of students



Safe Arrival Program

If a child will be absent or late for class, we ask parents/guardians contact the school (519-884-8480). Since we have an answering machine, you may leave a message at any time from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m. The school's administrative assistant will be at the school to receive your phone calls at 8:00 a.m.

When you call to report the absence or anticipated lateness of your child, please note the following information:

- Child's full name
- Child's grade and classroom teacher
- Reason for the child's absence / lateness (*)

**** It is important for the parent / guardian to contact the school when their child will be late for class. When arriving late for class, the student must report to the office and obtain a 'late slip'. For your information, the school staff will consider a student late for class in the morning should she / he not be in the classroom when the national anthem is played.***

Yard Supervision

Staff members are on the school yard for yard duty beginning at 8:25. Please have your children arrive at the school after supervision begins in the morning.

Office Hours

The main office is open daily from 8:00 a.m. until 3:30 p.m.

Board and School Website

For up-to-date information about the Waterloo Catholic District School Board and schools within its jurisdiction, please check out www.wcdsb.ca

You may access the school website through the Board site by simply clicking on 'Our Schools' in the left hand tool bar or by going here: <http://siredgarbauer.wcdsb.ca/>

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2016-2017 School Year Calendar - Important Dates

September 6	First Day of School
September 8	First School Council Meeting
September 22	School Council/Meet the Teacher Night
September 23	P.A. Day
September 26	Volunteer Information Meeting
October 10	Thanksgiving Monday
October 21	P.A. Day
October 28	School Council Fundraiser - Dance-a-thon
November 8	Progress Report Card Distribution
November 10	Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences
November 18	P.A. Day
December 9	P.A. Day
December 24 - January 8	Christmas Break
January 27	P.A. Day
February 16	Term 1 Report Card Distribution
February 20	Family Day
March 13 -17	March Break
April 7	P.A. Day
April 14	Good Friday
April 17	Easter Monday
May 22	Victoria Day
June 2	P.A. Day
June 27	Second Term Report Card Distribution
June 30	Last Day of School

Waterloo Catholic District School Board Communication Guide for Parents

The Waterloo Catholic District School Board (WCDSB) has established communication guidelines for parents and staff. Parents are requested to follow the following steps to ensure prompt and efficient resolution to their questions or possible concerns.

Step #1: Parent should speak with the teacher / staff member. Issue resolved. If issue is not resolved, proceed to Step #2.

Step #2: Speak with the principal. If you have not spoken with the teacher / staff member directly, the principal will ask you to do so. Should you not wish to do this, the principal will involve the teacher / staff member in a three-way discussion. The principal may request, at any time in the process, that you put your concerns in writing. The principal may involve, at any time in the process, others who may be helpful in resolving the issue.

Role of the Trustee: Parents may contact the trustee at any time. The trustee will direct the parent to follow the process outlined above.

Role of the School Council: The Sir Edgar Bauer Catholic School Council is not a forum to discuss parent-teacher / staff member-student issues. If these matters are brought to any SEB Catholic School Council member or any School Council meeting, the concern will be referred immediately to the principal.

Visitors and Volunteers in the School

For the safety and well being of our students and staff, all visitors to the school, including parents and guardians, must 'sign in' and obtain a 'Visitor' badge at the main office. Even if you are only coming to the school to pick-up your child, you are asked to sign in. The badge should be returned to the office upon your departure. Similarly, whenever volunteering in the school, please sign in at the office and obtain a 'Volunteer' badge before proceeding into the school. The badge should be returned to the administrative assistant when you leave the school. In advance, we thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Orientation Session for School Volunteers

Volunteers provide valuable assistance to the students and staff and their contributions are very much appreciated. We look forward to their support in the months ahead.

Anyone interested in volunteering for the 2016-2017 school year is asked to come to our Volunteer Orientation Meeting on **Monday, September 26, 2016 (6:00 – 6:30 p.m.)** in the school's Library. If you anticipate volunteering in the school this year, you will need to attend this information session. Should you have another commitment or you have a question, please contact Ms. Peace (519-884-8480).



Nuts, Peanuts, Peanut Butter Substitutes and Their By-products

At SEB, we have students who could experience serious consequences if exposed to peanuts, nuts, or their by-products (e.g. peanut oil, peanut butter). Depending on the child, the reaction could be life threatening. Merely smelling or touching a peanut product could cause an anaphylactic seizure or reaction and resulting in a serious consequence. For the same reason, please do not send spreads to school made with nuts, the most popular being **Nutella**.

We also request that you do not send peanut butter substitutes (usually made from soy) with your child(ren). Because these products look and smell like real peanut butter, it puts our staff members in a difficult situation with determining whether or not a product could cause an anaphylactic reaction.

For the safety of these students, we ask that you do not send peanuts, nuts or their by-products to school with your child. Moreover, from time to time, some parents are very generous in sending treats to school to be enjoyed by the students in their child's class during a celebration or special event. Should you do so, we ask that you take care that the finger foods are not made with peanuts, peanut oil, etc.

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

Health Information

Early in the school year, the administrative assistant will be forwarding student information forms to all parents. Please complete/update your child's information as carefully and as quickly as possible and return the form to the school office. It is vitally important that we have up-to-date information on each child in our care should there be an emergency.

Parents of a child who has an anaphylactic condition or diabetes are asked to be especially cautious in ensuring that the school staff are aware of the student's condition and provide all pertinent information should an emergency arise.

Entry and Exit of Students

Each class has a designated exterior door for entering and exiting the building in an orderly fashion. To ensure orderliness, as well as the security and safety of the students, the students are asked to only enter or exit the door intended for their class. It is very difficult for a teacher to supervise her / his class if the students use a variety of exit doors.

Should they arrive late for class, the students should enter through the main entrance, at the front of the school, and report to the office for a 'late slip'.

Sir Edgar Bauer Council Annual Report for the School Year 2015/16

Dear Parents and School Community:

Welcome back! We hope you had a safe and happy summer. The Sir Edgar Bauer School Council had a very rewarding 2015/16 year. The school council held seven (7) meetings on September 15 2015, October 8 2015, November 19 2015, January 07 2016, March 10 2016 (rescheduled from March 03 2016), April 14 2016, and June 02 2016. These meetings were open to the public to encourage input from parents and other members of the school community to inform our discussions of the various issues considered. We had a large number of new members to council this year which provides new perspective.

Council worked on the following issues

- Community Building Events
 - Meet the teacher pizza night
 - Mind/Body/Spirit nights
 - Pancake Tuesday
 - Movie Night
 - Bingo Night
- Playground Replacement & Associated Fundraising
 - Spaghetti dinner
- General Fundraising (spook-a-thon & poinsettias)

The purpose of the school council is to improve pupil achievement and to enhance the accountability of the education system to parents, through the active participation of parents. School councils are advisory organizations. A school council's primary means of achieving its purpose is by making recommendations to the principal of the school and the school board. Boards and principals are responsible to consider recommendations made by each school council and advise the council(s) of the actions taken in response to the recommendations.

Additional achievements of the school council in 2015/16 included:

- the purchase of 3 chromebooks
- Subsidizing the school agendas
- The playground replacement project (\$9,200.00 raised)

As well, fund-raising activities were conducted and the proceeds were used to fund projects in accordance with school board policies. These fund-raising activities are summarized along with a summary of financial activity related to school council's administrative activities in the attached financial summary. Minutes of meetings held and financial records are available for public inspection at the school office. Additionally the minutes of meetings held are also available in electronic form on the school website.

We wish to acknowledge the hard work and dedication of the many individuals who volunteered their time to contribute to the success of the school council last year. Special thanks are due to the members of the 2015/16 school council members Cheryl Beaupre, Harris Boyiatzis, Tina Chonko, Ron Dennis, Lisa DiRe, Natalie Ferrier, Darlene Francis, Nicola Goertz, Jason Gorrie, Linda Hayes, Teresa Iacuzzi, Julie Kalbfleisch, Sara Kaptein, Caroline Karlgard, Linda Kaweck, Melissa Lehmann, Monique May, Cathy McDonald-Reis, Rosemary Paiva, Kathryn Peace, Melissa Schuett, Kathryn Simonovic, Stephanie Stewart, Doreen Weise, and Charlie Van Alphen.

Finally, we would like to wish the best of luck to candidates in the October school council elections. If you are interested in any of the elected positions on council please attend the information session on **September 08, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.** The first council meeting will be follow the information session on **September 08, 2016 at 6:30 p.m.**

Issues, which we foresee as being important matters for the consideration of the new school council following the October elections include the continued discussion of the replacement of the playground & required fundraising and how to strengthen the engagement of the community in the learning process.

Sincerely,

Jason Gorrie & Melissa Schuett

Council Corner

Join us Thursday September 8th for our first School Council meeting of the year.

There will be an info session from 6:00-6:30pm and our regular meeting will follow from 6:30-8:00. School council consists of parents, our principal Ms. Peace, a couple of staff, and a parish representative. We organize all fundraisers and community building events like Science, Movie and Bingo nights, and are working towards replacing our aging playground. We have a busy year ahead, all are welcome!

Voting on council roles (co-chairs, secretary and treasurer) has been delayed until October this year. No experience is required, all parents are eligible (with one exception: council co-chairs cannot be WCDSB employees). If you are interested in more information but can't attend the September meeting please contact the office.

Meet the teacher night will be Thursday September 22.

Bring the family for a visit and some pizza, look for details and order forms in the days to come.

What is School Council?

The School Council is made up of parents of SEB students, as well as SEB teachers, staff, a parish representative and the principal. We work together to improve the school community by providing community events like "Meet the Teacher Night", "Family Movie Night", "Bingo Night" or "Pancake Tuesday school breakfast". We also run initiatives to raise funds for school needs. We've done this in the past few years through the Halloween "spook-a-thon". It is a Halloween dance-a-thon where students bring in pledges and dress up in costumes for the dance. In previous years we helped purchase sound equipment and chromebooks for the school, paid for bussing for class retreats at St. Michael's church and helped fund books and playground equipment, among other things. Currently we are fundraising for a new creative playground.

Meetings usually take place at the school, once a month, during the school year. These meetings are open to the

whole school community. Minutes are kept of the meetings and can be found on the school's web-site.

One of the purposes of School Council is to **improve student achievement** through active participation of parents and to improve the overall effectiveness of the school. We also act in an advisory capacity to the school principal. Decision making is by consensus. It is relatively informal.



Usually, parents that come to the first meeting of the school year become "members of the School Council" and then choose a chair, treasurer and secretary from the interested members. All members help to run the various initiatives that School Council sponsors throughout the school year, often by joining a subcommittee. For example the members of the "spook-a-thon subcommittee" decorate the gym for the dance, count money raised, help supervise the event and also bring additional volunteers to help. If this sounds like something you might be interested in, come on out to our first School Council Meeting on Thursday September 8, 2016 at 6-7:30pm to see what we are all about!



SEB Needs You!

Friendship Picnic Lunch

Students in JK-8 will have a "Say Hi Day" Picnic Lunch with their Saint Families on Thursday September 22th, in the staff member's classroom or common area. Students are encouraged to bring their regular lunch. Please try to have students bring lunch items in reusable containers, to be environmentally friendly. Students will have an opportunity to sit and chat with friends from their Saint Family.

Initiatives that School Council ran or raised funds for in previous years:

- Spook-a-thon, Poinsettia Sales, Holiday Catalogue, Spaghetti Dinner
- Meet the Teacher Night, Pancake Tuesday, Bingo, Movie & other Family Nights
- Spirit Wear Sales
- Chromebooks, chromebook cart, new sports uniforms, school greening committee
- Guest presenters, bussing to retreats & mass at St. Michael's Church
- Student agendas, classroom supplies, recess equipment, sound system & microphones

Parking Lot

Students may sometimes run on to the street or across the driveway unexpectedly, therefore, extra caution (for example, driving at a reduced speed, and a heightened awareness of the presence of young children) must be exercised by all people who are driving a vehicle. Please observe the stop sign at the end of the driveway, and look both ways before turning onto Glen Forrest Blvd. To reduce the amount of exhaust gasses emitted, please refrain from idling your vehicle when picking up your children.

Annual Public Health Immunization Program - Important Notice

The *Immunization of School Pupil's Act*, a provincial law, requires Waterloo Region's public health officials to collect and maintain the immunization records of all students in the Region of Waterloo. The Act requires students to be immunized against **tetanus, diphtheria, polio, measles, mumps and rubella**. With appropriate legal documentation, exemptions based on medical or philosophical reasons are allowed. However, students that do not have complete records or legal exemptions may face suspension from school for up to 20 days or until the records are completed or the exemptions received.

The Health Department and all schools within the Region of Waterloo work together to ensure that students are up to date in their immunizations. **Every September, Public Health requests the immunization records of every student. This year again, parents are reminded to forward all immunization updates to Public Health in September/October.**

Public Health will continue to strive for excellent immunization coverage which assists in protecting our children and community from vaccine preventable diseases.

Immunization: For their health. For their future.

For further information, please call 519-883-2006 ext. 5273 to speak to a nurse. Please call 519-883-2006 ext. 6182 or email immunizationservices@region.waterloo.on.ca to leave your child's immunization information.

Students Transported To/From School by Bus:

SEB has two bus routes. You may also wish to confirm your child's bussing information at www.stswr.ca. Once on the website,

- Click 'Student Login'
- Enter your child's Ontario Education Number (OEN) - can be found on your child's report card (numbers only, no space, no dash)
- Enter your child's birth date (dd/mm/yyyy)
- Enter your street number (house number only)
- Select your child's school

As we begin the school year, we would like to remind all students eligible for bus transportation to/from school and their parents of the following:

- When traveling to school, students should be at their designated pick-up location five minutes before the scheduled arrival of the school bus.
- The student and her/his parents should develop a contingency plan should the child miss the school bus when traveling to school (e.g. return home; walk to a neighbour's home; walk to school, etc.)
- When departing school, should any student miss her/his bus, that child should immediately go to the school office for assistance. She/he should not walk home.
- Only students eligible to ride a school bus will be allowed to do so when riding to/from school. Those who are not eligible to ride a bus will not be permitted to do so. If a child is not eligible and she/he wishes to visit the home of a classmate, it will be the responsibility of her/his parent**



- ❑ to make alternate transportation arrangements.
- ❑ Transported students will only be allowed to ride their designated bus to/from school. A pupil will not be permitted to ride another bus for which they are not eligible.
- ❑ There will be a meeting for Primary, Junior and Intermediate students eligible for bus transportation early in the school year. At the meeting, procedures and expectations will be reviewed.

Dress Code, Electronics, and Cell Phones

Dress Code

A reminder to parents and students that SEB does have a dress code for its students. Please respect the Dress Code at all times including co-curricular activities and off site excursions.

The following guidelines will help parents and students when choosing clothing that will contribute to a positive school environment:

- Clothing may not display any derogatory or inappropriate print or graphics.
- Hats need to be removed upon entering the building
- Tops will cover the shoulders and cover the tops of pants
- Shorts and skirts should be of fingertip length

*Students who are inappropriately dressed will be asked to change their clothing at school or may be sent home to change.

Electronics

Students should not have personal electronic devices at school, unless they have received permission from their teacher to do so, for educational purposes. Items may be confiscated and held at the office until a parent/guardian is able to retrieve it.

Cell Phones

If a student brings a cell phone to school with parental permission, the cell phone must remain turned off and in the student's backpack during the school day. Students must use the phone in the main office if they need to call home during school hours. The school is not responsible for any lost or damaged cell phones or electronic devices. Parents will be contacted should a student have difficulty following the school's cell phone policy.

Our students and staff enjoy opportunities to share some of their activities with parents and the school community through teams, clubs, and special events. Many of these are 'memory making' for families and as such photographs are often taken. We ask that families exercise their discretion when taking photographs or videos at school events and consider the privacy of other students who may also be present in those pictures. We would appreciate if families not upload images of students other than their own to the Internet (e.g. YouTube or Facebook). Your cooperation is appreciated.

Special Healthy Lunch Days and Milk Program

It is anticipated the school will again offer interested students Pizza Days on Wednesdays beginning Wednesday September 14, 2016. Pepperoni pizza is \$1.25 a slice, and may be purchased weekly or through School Cash Online (starting in October). Money is collected by the classroom teacher, promptly on Wednesday mornings. We are also hoping to offer students fresh white or chocolate milk each day through our Milk Program. We are also offering pitas once a month again this year. We are ever thankful to our parent volunteers who make these programs possible. If you are interested in helping out, please give the school a call (519-884-8480).



WCDSB Elementary School Food and Nutrition Policy

As you may be aware, the Waterloo Catholic District School board has a Healthy School Nutrition Policy. In order to foster healthy eating in the school, The Waterloo Catholic District School Board Elementary School Food and Nutrition Policy has been adopted. The purpose of this policy is to ensure that our students are exposed to healthy food choices and messages consistent with *Canada's Food Guide*. The policy was developed with direct input from Region of Waterloo Public Health and the latest research regarding school nutrition and health.

Having a school nutrition policy will benefit families, students and our schools, as it will reinforce the classroom healthy eating lessons and eating well will be easier if nutritious foods are always available at school.

The policy identifies three different food categories: foods with Minimum, Moderate and Maximum Nutritional Value. Our schools will be offering only foods and beverages with Maximum and Moderate Nutritional Value whenever food is offered or sold (e.g., hot lunch days, special events etc.).

Some examples of foods with Maximum, Moderate and Minimum Nutritional Value:

Foods with Maximum Nutritional Value

- Whole wheat, whole grain and multigrain bread and grain products
- Vegetables and Fruit
- Milk (2% MF or less, white and chocolate)

Foods with Moderate Nutritional Value

- White enriched breads, bagels
- Lower-fat muffins and fruit loaves
- Cookies – whole grain, fruit bars, oatmeal, gingersnaps
- 100% fruit juice

Foods with Minimum Nutritional Value

- Hot dogs, salami, bologna
- Chocolate-covered granola bars
- Pastries, cakes
- Fruit drinks, punches, cocktails

The policy will also address the following topics:

- Fundraising
- Use of food as rewards
- Classroom celebrations
- Healthy Snacks (during instructional time)



Healthy Eating in Class/Snack and Litter-Free Yard

In order to promote healthy eating, students at SEB will be allowed to eat healthy snacks during class, at times determined by the teacher. Students will eat smaller, healthier portions throughout the day which will promote a healthy body weight and improve concentration. Because students are eating healthy snacks in class they will not bring recess snacks outside. This will enable students to be active for the entire recess and keep our yard litter-free.

Some examples of healthy snacks students should bring to school include:

- Granola bars (nut free)
- Fruit
- Crackers and Cheese
- Bread Sticks
- Yogurt
- Cottage cheese topped with grapes
- Fig or oatmeal cookies
- Chocolate milk and a small homemade muffin
- Toasted pita points with salsa
- Dry breakfast cereal in a sealed container with a drinkable yogurt

Parent/Guardians are encouraged to send healthy snacks for their child(ren) in order for this program to be a success. We are permitted ten food exemption days per year, which will be communicated to families.

Star of the Week - Promoting Positive Student Behaviour



In order to continue motivating students to model the values we, as a Catholic School System, hold dear, SEB will continue its **Star of the Week** student recognition program. Teachers will choose several deserving students from their classroom each week to be recognized over the P.A. System, and receive a 'Star of the Week' prize.



Parents:

Please take note of our "Resource Centre" to the left inside our front doors. You will hopefully find information you may be looking for and also flyers from sports teams around the area telling you when you can register your child. This will eliminate a lot of paper going home. We are hoping to reach just those who are interested.

Thank you.

The following is a partial list of fundraising that will be happening at Sir Edgar Bauer in the 2016-2017 school year:

- We will be selling Stemmler's pepperettes
- Our yearly Dance-a-thon will be held in the fall
- At Christmas we will be collecting for Marillac Place
- There will be several food drives throughout the school year
- Again we will collect for the Africa Project (Mission Day)
- Mrs. Coutts will be running the Jump Rope for Heart and Toonies for Terry
- We will have make donations to Nutrition for Learning
- There will be a Play-a-thon in June

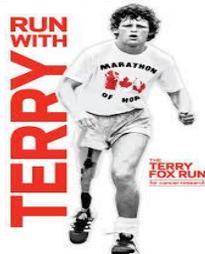


Going Green - The 2016-2017 School Newsletter



SEB's monthly newsletter will not be sent home in hard copy except for the September issue. If you would like a copy of SEB's Monthly Newsletter sent directly to your email, please subscribe to the NewsWire service on SEB's homepage (<http://siredgarbauer.wcdsb.ca>). As always, the newsletter is posted on our school website (<http://siredgarbauer.wcdsb.ca>).

It's that time of year SEB...time to finish what Terry Fox began...time to raise money to help find a cure for cancer. On September 29th at 2:00, all the staff and students will walk for Terry. Starting today, and leading up to September 29th, we are asking students to bring in their "Toonies for Terry." There will be containers in the classrooms for all donations that are collected. Every small step, every toonie, will help. Come on SEB Stars, let's help Terry put an end to cancer!



SEPTEMBER DATES TO REMEMBER

September 13, 14	Humane Society Visits
September 16	Blue Jays Spirit Day
September 23	P.D. Day School Improvement Planning
September 22	"Say Hi Day" Friendship Picnic
September 22	Meet the Teacher Night 5-7 pm
September 29	Terry Fox Walk 2 pm (wear red)

