



Jan 15, 2024

Weekly Family Update

FREQUENTLY USED LINKS

2023/2024 school year calendar	John Marshall Instagram
John Marshall Webpage with School Cash Online	John Marshall Twitter
John Marshall Facebook	Spirit Wear

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Monday, January 15 Day 2	
Tuesday, January 16 Day 3	
Wednesday, January 17 Day 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Snacks Day: changed to Thursday for this week only!
Thursday, January 18 Day 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Week 2 of "Spin to Win" draw (see poster below)• Snack Day: Popcorn \$2, cookies \$1
Friday, January 19	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PD Day: NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS• Bingo @ Delta from 6-8pm

INFORMATION ITEMS

- **SPIN to WIN!**
Thursday, our School Council is hosting our second "SPIN to WIN". You can purchase one ticket a week for 24 weeks for \$20 when purchasing on School Cashonline or simply send a loonie in to the school on Thursday for your chance to "Spin the Wheel " and win one of the prizes listed on the poster below. The school will notify the lucky winner!
- **DSBN Academy Registration!**
Registration is now open until Feb 26th. The DSBN Academy Open House is Feb 6th from 6:00pm - 8:00pm. The Academy Road Show will be visiting our Grade 5 students on Jan 29th at 9:15am. Students will receive more information at this time. A Blazecast was also sent to all grade 5, 6 and 7 students earlier this week.
- **French Immersion registration is open to our SK students ...**
Families of our SK students wanting to attend French Immersion at Prince Phillip in September are asked to register on the District School Board of Niagara website. Registration is open until Feb 20th.



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- **Congratulations to our lucky winners!**

Congratulations to Mrs. Gates for being the lucky winner of the vacuum, during our Winter Market. Congratulations also goes out to Ryner Michalz for being our first winner in our "Spin to Win" contest. Ryner is the winner of a \$50 Gales Gas GC.

- **Inclement Weather Notice:**

There are times in Niagara when weather conditions are so poor that we must cancel student transportation, and/or close schools to preserve the safety of students and staff.

The decision to cancel transportation and/or close schools is not taken lightly; a variety of factors are considered when making this choice. To learn more about how these decisions are made, please go to <https://www.dsbm.org/inclementweather>.

Transportation Cancellations: Information about transportation delays and cancellations are posted to: <https://portal.nsts.ca/Cancellations.aspx>. When transportation is cancelled, every effort is made to communicate the decision by 6:00 am on the day of the cancellation. There are times when transportation is cancelled, but schools remain open. If, on those days you feel it is best for your child to stay home, please report your child's absence <https://dsbn.org/safearrival/> so we can make sure they are safe at home.

School Closures: When the decision to close schools is made, it refers to all schools: both in-person and remote/virtual learners. Every effort will be made to share school closure information before 6:00 am on the day of the school closure. You will find information on dsbn.org, all school websites, DSBM social media, and local media share the news widely as well.

Elementary Schools: Optional Snow Day activities for Kindergarten to Grade 8, will be available on the DSBM website on days when schools are closed due to inclement weather.


UPCOMING DATES

- January 23: School Council Mtg / Staff Mtg
- January 26: Pizza Lunch
- January 29: Academy Roadshow gr. 5
- January 31: Happy Retirement Mrs. Maves
- February 1: Kindergarten Open House 10 – 6 pm & Welcome back to Mrs. Gabel




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DSBN Academy
Open House
February 6 | 6 - 8pm

Empowering students to become the first in their family to graduate from college or university.



JOHN MARSHALL PARENT COUNCIL PRESENTS

SPIN TO WIN FRIDAY'S!



WEEKLY DRAW

EVERY FRIDAY FOR 24 WEEKS STARTING JANUARY 12, 2024 THROUGH JUNE 21, 2024

\$1.00 EACH OR 24 FOR \$20
THAT WOULD BE ONE TICKET FOR EVERY FRIDAY DRAW!
TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED FRIDAY'S AT SCHOOL OR ANYTIME ON SCHOOL CASH ONLINE


GENEROUSLY SPONSORED BY..

- 4 PASSES TO NIAGARA FALLS MUSEUMS (ONE FREE ADMISSION)
- 4 PASSES TO THE NIAGARA FALLS SKYWHEEL
- 2 SILVER TICKETS TO THE RIVER LIONS (HOME GAME OF CHOICE)
- 2 X \$30 PARTY CONNECTION
- 2 PASSES TO THE NIAGARA PARKS ATTRACTIONS
- JIFFYLUBE (LUBE, OIL & OIL FILTER CHANGE)
- \$50 TO THE FLOWER HOUSE
- 2 X PEDICURE AT LAUVISH NAILS & SPA
- 4 PASSES TO THE BIRD KINGDOM
- 2 X \$25 GIFT CARDS TO CATARACT BOWLING
- \$50 GIFT CARD FOR GALES GAS
- 2 X \$25 TO NIAGARA GOLF & BATTING CAGE
- \$25 AT WTF BURGER
- 4 X \$25 GIFT CARDS TO STAMFORD HARDWARE
- SEASONAL MAINTENANCE PACKAGE WITH OIL CHANGE
- 2 X \$25 TO ATHENA BEAUTY SPA
- 2 X \$50 WIND
- NIAGARA BATTERY & TIRE
- CITY OF NIAGARA FALLS AND MORE!!



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 John Marshall		January				2024	
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Enjoy your Winter Break!	Happy New Year!						
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	Return to School	Pizza orders due	Snack Day 🍌 Honour Choir-J. Sauve PS		Pizza Lunch 🍕		
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
			Snack Day 🍌		Bingo @ Delta PD Day no classes		
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	
		Pizza orders due	Snack Day 🍌		Pizza Lunch 🍕		
28	29	30	31				
			Snack Day 🍌				
Parents: Register for School CashOnline and School Messenger through our John Marshall website.		Spin to Win Fridays! 24 weeks of prizes! Get your tickets thru SchoolCashOnline!		9/23 Pizza lunches 16 PD day no classes 19 Family Day Holiday Feb 1 Kindergarten Open House			