



Oct 2, 2023

Weekly Family Update

FREQUENTLY USED LINKS

2023/2024 school year calendar	John Marshall Instagram
John Marshall Webpage with School Cash Online	John Marshall Twitter
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THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Monday, October 2 Day 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kinder trip to Living Campus• Milk program begins today for those who have pre-ordered
Tuesday, October 3 Day 1	
Wednesday, October 4 Day 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Intermediate Soccer Tournament @ GFESS
Thursday, October 5 Day 3	
Friday, October 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PD Day! No School for students. Monday, October 9th is Thanksgiving Day, which is a school holiday.

INFORMATION ITEMS

- **Welcome to Grade 5, Mr. Friyia!** I am happy to share that Mr. Friyia will be joining our John Marshall Team beginning on Monday morning in our Grade 5 classroom.
- **Big Red's Fundraiser**
John Marshall will be hosting a Big Red's Fundraiser beginning today. All proceeds from this event will go directly back to support our students. Please consider supporting us! Thank you to Mr. DeMizio for organizing this for us.
- **Terry Fox Update**
A big thank you goes out to all John Marshall families. We are happy to share that our students were able to raise a grand total of \$527.25 for our Terry Fox Run/Walk. This exceeded our goal of \$500. We are so thankful for the generosity shown for such an amazing cause.



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- **Scholastic Book Fair**

We are looking for volunteers to help us run our Scholastic Book Fair. The book fair will run from October 24 - 27. There will be two shifts a day available for volunteers, Tuesday - Friday from 8:45 - 10:10 and 11:00 - 12:20 p.m. If you are interested, please contact Mrs. Morningstar at: christine.morningstar@dsbn.org or Mr. Leith at: gordon.leith@dsbn.org

- **Post Foods Cereal Sale**

Post Foods Canada is hosting their annual cereal sale on September 30 from 8:00am to 1:00pm. All varieties of cereal are just \$1 per box. Varieties will be available on the day of the event only. Shoppers are encouraged to bring their own shopping bags. Limit of 24 boxes per customer.

Post Foods is located at 5651 Lewis Avenue, Niagara Falls, ON. Please remember to keep in mind that lines tend to start very early and get very long.

- **Dismissal Safety**

End of day dismissal has become very busy. To reduce congestion during this time, we are asking for your help. When possible, allow your child to ride the bus home, which will reduce the traffic during this time. If you are picking up your child, feel free to park behind the Church and walk across the street to pick your child up. If your child is older and walking home, please remind your child to cross the street at either corner, rather than in front of the bus loading zones. We need to ensure we are practising safety at all times and are requesting your help with this end of day congestion.

- **Parent Workshop**

[Parent Workshop - Supporting Your Child's Mental Health](#)

UPCOMING DATES

- October 9th: Thanksgiving/No school
- October 13th: Pizza Day, Bingo, thank you Ms. Mare & Mrs. tenDen for volunteering
- October 18th: Picture Day
- October 20th: Last day for Big Reds Fundraiser
- October 24th-27th: Scholastic Book Fair
- October 25th: Dance a thon \$ due
- October 27th: Pizza Day
- October 30th: Grade 5 at Living Campus
- October 31st: Halloween, School Dance



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 John Marshall		October					2023	
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		
Milk orders start Big Red Fundraiser starts	KDG to DSBN Outdoor Campus		Intermediate Soccer Tourn. GFESS		PD day no classes			
8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
	Thanksgiving no classes				Pizza Lunch Bingo 6-8 pm			
15	16	17	18	19	20	21		
			Picture Day!		Big Red orders due!			
22	23	24	25	26	27	28		
Book Fair all week			Dance a thon due		Pizza Lunch			
29	30	31			Nov 3			
	5-1 to Adventure Campus	Dance a thon Halloween			6-1 to Adventure Campus			
Parents: Register for School CashOnline and School Messenger through our John Marshall website.			Nov. 24 PD Day Nov. 10, 23 Pizza Lunch Nov. 22 Gr. 7 Vaccine					