

May 17, 2019

Message from the Head of School

Dear Wentworth Families,

A few weeks ago, I shared the news that every few years, Collingwood undertakes a Parent Survey to support our desire for continuous improvement. **As of today, we have only heard from 20% of families.** I want to stress the importance of your participation. We will be looking to the results of this survey as we plan for the future, so it is imperative that all voices are heard.

As I approach the end of my first full year as Head of School, this feedback is especially important to me. To recap, we have aligned our Survey to reflect our school values of curiosity, courage and community—because we want to better understand and celebrate the diversity of all Collingwood families.

If you could please take 15 minutes of your time to respond to the Parent Survey, it would be valuable input as our Senior Leadership Team looks to planning for next year and beyond.

The purpose of the Survey is to:

- Measure our performance
- Create benchmarks against which to measure future performance
- Provide input into the process of continuous improvement

The link below will take you directly to the online questionnaire. We are providing two additional links for identical forms to be used in the instance that the first link you click on is slow to load.

Survey Link Alternate 1 Alternate 2

As a reminder, your answers to the survey questions will be completely anonymous. Your privacy is important to us, so we have engaged an external consultant who specializes in surveys for independent schools to process the raw results ensuring that your anonymity is preserved.

Feel free to tell us what you think we're doing right and also where we can improve. If there are any questions that you would prefer not to answer, please feel free to leave them unanswered. If you have more than one child enrolled at Collingwood and feel that your answers would differ for each, we encourage you to complete the form once for each child.

Thank you in advance for your participation in this important project.

Head of School

Alice in Wonderland Jr.

Grade 5-7 Musical May 22-23 6:00 - 7:00pm Katz-Telfer Gym Wentworth Campus

Tickets are \$5/person and are available at Wentworth reception.





Gala 2019 - Call for Volunteers!

Where were you in 1984?!?

Whether you were at the movie theatre watching Sixteen Candles, dancing to Flock of Seagulls at Tommy Africa's, or playing Trivial Pursuit in your parents' basement...the Collingwood School Gala Committee want YOU!!

Committee Heads, Volunteers & Patrons are still needed for our 'totally tubular' **1984 Prom Night Gala** taking place on **Saturday**, **October 19**, **2019**!

Please join us for our first general meeting to learn how you can help! Tuesday, May 28 at 9:00am in the Library

Classroom at the Morven Campus.

Want to connect with us ahead of the meeting to debate Preppy versus New Wave? Or Jordache versus Calvin

It's going to be 'radical'!

Kirsten Morrison & Kristen Langdon Gala Co-Chairs

Klein? Email us at gala@mycw.org.

Important Dates:

May 20 Victoria Day School Closed

Gr. 8-12 Spring Dance Show (featuring dancers from Wentworth) Kay Meek Theatre May 28-29 7:00 - 9:00pm

For a full list of school-wide events, visit our news reel.

School Calendar

Athletics Calendar

Bus Passes On Sale!

Bus passes for 2019/2020 are on sale <u>here</u>.
Order by June 28.

YEARBOOKS -Deadline Extended

The Yearbook is a combined Wentworth and Morven Yearbook. Deadline for orders has been extended to Tuesday, June 4, 2019. Yearbooks ordered on time will be shipped to the school with no shipping charge. You will be emailed the week of June 10 with more information on pickup dates, times and locations. Any late orders (after June 4), will be shipped to your residential address with an additional shipping fee of approximately \$15 (A fee charged by the publisher).

Hard Cover: \$65 Soft Cover: \$55.

This year you may personalize your Yearbook!

ORDER <u>HERE</u>.

WVPD Speaker Series

Please note, the <u>last</u> <u>session</u> scheduled for May 23 has been cancelled.



Photo of the Week

We enjoyed a week of musical performances at Wentworth.

For more photos of all Collingwood School activities, follow us on Facebook & Instagram!

Got Glasses

Armaan Gill has partnered with the Third World Eye Care Society to collect used eyeglasses for donation to developing countries. Read more about this service initiative here.

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Please drop any unused or unwanted eye glasses to the collection boxes located at the

Morven Campus between May 21 to

June 7.