

Dr. A.T. LEATHERBARROW PRIMARY SCHOOL

Dream Achieve Teach Learn



IMPORTANT DATES TO WRITE ON YOUR CALENDAR



Monday, May 31—Swimming program begins, check the schedule in this newsletter for your child's class schedule

Wednesday, June 9—Student Appreciation Day

Friday, June 11—Kindergarten Transition Day (No school for our Kindergarten Students)

Friday, June 18 - Last day for Hot Lunch

Monday, June 21 to Friday, June 25—Steam Week

Friday, June 25—Last day of school for students & report cards go home

KINDERGARTEN TRANSITION DAY

THERE IS NO SCHOOL FOR OUR KINDERGARTEN CLASSES ON FRIDAY, JUNE 11

Next year's kindergarten students will come to school for Transition Day on June 11th.

This is a wonderful opportunity for our future K students to see the classroom, experience school routines, and interact with a teacher and future classmates. They will also go for a short bus ride on School Street.



SCHOOL SUPPLIES FEE 2021-2022

School supplies will be purchased for each student with the school supplies fees. This fee of **\$60** covers the cost of notebooks, duotangs, rulers, pencils, crayons, markers, glue, looseleaf, etc. In addition, the fee also covers the cost of swimming etc. Field trips, however, are generally not covered by this fee. Fees can be paid on line in August.

Student Appreciation Day

NB School Districts will recognize Student Appreciation Day on June 9th. Throughout this year, students have been very cooperative in following ever-changing rules on the bus and in school. Wednesday, June 9 has been designated as an official day to thank them.



PHYSICAL EDUCATION NEWS

Disability Awareness Week May 31-June 4

New Brunswick has set this week as Disability Awareness Week. At our school, students will hear a different daily announcement defining disability and accessibility, as well as vision, hearing and mobility impairment. A take home sheet for students and families to have discussions about the above impairments will be sent home on by Thursday. All students who complete the sheet will have their name put in a draw for a small prize. Thank you for helping to support their learning on this topic.

Swimming

Swimming begins this week! We are so fortunate to have the pool so close to us. Lessons will happen rain or shine. The schedule was included with the May newsletter and is also on the last page of this newsletter. Under current Public Health guidelines, parents are not permitted to accompany classes to and from the pool. Please send warm clothing for your child to change into afterwards; it can be a chilly walk back to school



STEAM Week at DATL

To celebrate the end of school, DATL will be having its first ever STEAM week from June 21-25. Each day your child's class will be participating in activities related to the five areas of STEAM: Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math.

National AccessAbility Week - May 30 to June 5, 2021



Guidance Corner



Dear DATL families,

It is hard to believe that we are already in the month of June. What a year it has been! During the first week of May, DATL celebrated the Canadian Mental Health Association's (CMHA) Mental Health Week. Lessons during this week were tailored towards promoting mental health, while emphasizing the importance of naming, healthily expressing, and effectively coping with our emotions.

Guidance lessons throughout the month of May continued to explore growth mindset, by focusing on how the brain and neural connections influence our ability to learn new skills. We briefly discussed how persistence and perseverance can help us overcome challenges, and how our responses to a difficult task can positively influence the outcome. We also continued to explore perspective taking, which is the ability to look beyond our own point of view, so that we can consider how someone else may think or feel. Communication exercises helped students see situations using different perspectives, while they explored how others may have different tastes and preferences and that our words and reactions matter.

I will be starting my maternity leave on Monday, May 31st. Jennifer Ramsay will be taking over my guidance role and responsibilities until the end of June 2021. If you have any questions or concerns during the final weeks of school, please direct them to her. I have included her contact information below.

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Thank you.

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D.A.T.L. has its own twitter account! We tweet about upcoming events, and good news stories about the incredible students and events at our school!

Please follow us: @LeatherbarrowPS

Outdoor Learning



June 2021 Swimming Schedule

Swimming Lessons Week 1

Times		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Start	Finish	31-May-21	1-Jun-21	2-Jun-21	3-Jun-21	4-Jun-21
9:00	9:30	2 Barrett	1 Hayhoe	K Landry		Rain Day!
9:30	10:00	2 Annear	1 Peters	K Creighton		
10:00	10:30	1-2 Shelley	K Kingston	1 White		
10:30	11:00	1 Brown		K Walsh		
11:00	11:30	K Kierstead		1 Allaby		

Swimming Lessons - Week 2

Times		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Start	Finish	7-Jun-21	8-Jun-21	9-Jun-21	10-Jun-21	11-Jun-21
9:00	9:30	2 Barrett	1 Hayhoe	K Landry		Rain Day
9:30	10:00	2 Annear	1 Peters	K Creighton		
10:00	10:30	1-2 Shelley	K Kingston	1 White		
10:30	11:00	1 Brown		K Walsh		
11:00	11:30	K Kierstead		1 Allaby		

Free Swim

Times		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Start	Finish	14-Jun-21	15-Jun-21	16-Jun-21	17-Jun-21	18-Jun-21
9:00	10:00	1 Peters	K Creighton	2 Barrett	1-2 Shelley	
10:00	11:00	1 Hayhoe	1 White	1 Brown	2 Annear	K Walsh
11:00	1:00	1 Allaby	K Kierstead	K Landry		K Kingston

