April 2022

Two short months remain of the 2021-2022 school year. Time passes so quickly. Plans for Awards Night, Graduation and Safe Grad are in the works. Before you know it, school will be out for summer.

Harvey High Education Foundation’s TruEarth fundraiser continues and new products have recently been added. This is an online, NOTOUCH fundraiser. TruEarth products are Earth friendly and produce minimal waste. Products include laundry strips, dryer balls, reusable produce bags, beeswax food wraps, reusable make-up pads and many more items. HHS Families are welcome to share with family and friends across Canada as TruEarth ships Canada wide (and shipping is free).

Be sure to keep your eye on our TruEarth sales website around holidays and special occasions – TruEarth often has savings promotions. <https://fundraising.tru.earth/harveyhigheducationfoundation>

Beyond the Hurt has a new name, Laker Leaders, and new members have joined the group. The goal of Laker Leaders is the same: to promote a sense of community and inclusion amongst all students of Harvey High School. We are working on planning some spirit activities for the end of May and looking at organizing some kick-off events when students return to school in September.

Best Buddies is starting up at Harvey High for students from grades 6-9. This club will focus on creating meaningful friendships amongst students. The first meeting for those interested in hearing more about Best Buddies will be held on May 10th.

Volleyball season is well underway, as we have five teams currently practicing and playing games. These teams will be competing in districts, regionals, and provincials during the month of May. A big thank you to all of our volunteer coaches who help make these possible. Schedules for these teams can be found on the Harvey High website under the Extracurricular tab. All home games are broadcast on the Harvey High Lakers YouTube channel and a link for these can also be found on the Harvey High Website under the Extracurricular tab.

The "Stream Team" has been hard at work over the past few weeks at Harvey High as they have been responsible for the live broadcasts of our indoor sports games. Students have taken the lead by expanding our livestreams to include upgraded equipment, a second camera and courtside "booth," a live scoreboard, transitions, instant replay and more. We are excited to see how our dedicated team continues to innovate as the volleyball season starts to wrap up.

Harvey Minor Baseball Association is hoping to play local baseball this spring.

Registration is now open (https://leagues.teamlinkt.com/harveyminorbaseballassociation) Updates can be found on the facebook site: (https://m.facebook.com/groups/837758610279020/?ref=group\_browse)

**CALENDAR**

May 6 Grades 6-12- No students- NBTA Council Day

May 16 Grades 6-12- NBTA Branch Meeting; Professional Learning

June 13-17 Grade 9-12- Assessment of Learning Week

June 21 Last day of classes for middle school students

June 21 Graduation- Class of 2022- 2:30 p.m.

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