



Principal

Mr. G. Rowe

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2016/17 Staff

- ❖ Ms. R. O'Brien – FDK
- ❖ Ms. J. Claydon – FDK
- ❖ Mrs. R. Waschenko – FDK
- ❖ Mrs. P. Clarke – Gr. 1
- ❖ Mrs. T. Erb – Gr. 1/2
- ❖ Mrs. E. Davis – Gr. 2
- ❖ Mrs. D. Boswell – Gr. 2/3
- ❖ Mrs. J. Balkwill – Gr. 3/4
- ❖ Mrs. K. Michael – Gr. 4
- ❖ Mr. S. Watts – Gr. 5
- ❖ Miss. H. Terdik – Gr. 5
- ❖ Miss S. McLeod – Gr. 6
- ❖ Ms. E. Sarauskys – Gr. 6/7
- ❖ Mrs. K. Buchanan – Gr. 7
- ❖ Mrs. C. Heintzman – Gr. 8
- ❖ Mdm. Rudge – French
- ❖ Ms. G. Goldspink – LRT
- ❖ Mrs. L. Miedema – LRT
- ❖ Mrs. J. McColl – Lib/ Prep
- ❖ Mrs. M. Pitts – Pr. Prep
- ❖ Ms. C. Landry – Prep/French
- ❖ Ms. K. Mailloux – ECE
- ❖ Mrs. K. Bainbridge – ECE
- ❖ Mrs. C. Hunter – EA
- ❖ Mrs. D. Kingswood – EA
- ❖ Mrs. R. Pryer – EA
- ❖ Mrs. S. Moriarty – EA
- ❖ Mrs. D. Bishop – EA
- ❖ Mrs. D. Drury – EA

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Message from the Principal

The school year is coming to a close quickly. It's hard to believe that summer is just around the corner. We have a lot to be thankful for this year as we reflect back onto the 2016/17 school year. Also we have started the planning for a very exciting 2017/18 school year. Mrs. Rudge (French) has accepted a teaching position at North Ward School and Mrs. McColl (Prep) has accepted a position at Lansdowne School. We would like to wish them success with their new positions and thank them for their dedication and impact on our students at King George School. Long term occasional teachers will need to replace Mrs. Atfield (FDK) and Mrs. Nutbrown (FDK) in September 2017 due to their maternity leaves. Long Term Occasional teachers will be announced in September 2017.

Teachers have been given their assignments for next year however class lists will be set ready to go for September 2017. Teacher assignments include: Mrs. Nutbrown (LTO to be hired) Mrs. Atfield (LTO to be hired) and Mrs. Bainbridge (ECE) Ms. Claydon and Mrs. Mailloux (Kindergarten), Mrs. Clarke (Grade 1), Mrs. Erb (grade 1/2), Mrs. Davis (grade 2), Mrs. Boswell (grade 2/3), Mrs. Balkwill (grade 3/4), Mrs. Michael (grade 4), Mr. Watts (grade 5/6), Miss. Terdik (grade 4/5), Mrs. McLeod (grade 6), Mrs. Cordingley (grade 7/8), Mrs. Buchanan (Grade 7), Ms. MacMillan (grade 8), Mrs. Meidema (LRT), Ms. Goldspink (LRT), to be hired (French), Mrs. Pitts (Primary Prep), Ms. Landry (.5 French-Prep). All teaching positions are subject to change depending on student enrollment for 2016-17 In addition Mrs. Kingswood, Mrs. Pryer, Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. Moriarty will all be returning next year.

Mr. G. Rowe

Growing Excellence... Inspiring Success

Math Moments



Play board games - Snakes and Ladders, Yahtzee, Battleship, Blokus, Risk, chess, card games

Build birdhouses (plan, measure, reflect, construct)

Play road trip games – add numbers on license plates, pay attention to kms and miles on road signs, calculate distance and arrival time travelling at varied speeds

Do puzzles, jigsaw, Sudoku

Estimate during walks – how far to that post? How many trees? How many stones? How many mailboxes?

Estimate distances and time when biking, walking, swimming

Have a yard sale (collect payment, make change)

Have a lemonade stand (calculate costs and revenue needed for profit)

Roll change

Play basketball – game of 21

Track sports stats – Blue Jays... wins/losses, runs batted in, homeruns, grand slams,

Create a garden, measure it out, choose your plants, seeds, monitor growth

Shop together, use cash – make change, budget

Figure out how much your Tim's order will cost – use mental math, figure out how much change you should get back

Bake summer treats, double/triple the recipe, invite friends over

Plan a party within a specified budget, (food, costs, invitations, time frame)

Go Geocaching

Go on a scavenger hunt for geometric solids (cylinders, cubes, spheres, triangular prisms, etc.)

Go on nature walks; tally animals you see; collect and sort materials; collect and sort nature materials

Measure your shadow

KGS SPORTS



Congratulations to the grade 4-8 students who participated in our track and field annual event at the new Kiwanas Field. Forty grade 4-8 students will now move on to the Regional championships in June. Go Cobras!



PARENT REMINDER

- ✓ **Parent Council – June 6th**
- ✓ **PD Day – June 9th**
- ✓ **Fun Fair – June 20th**
- ✓ **Volunteer Breakfast – June 20**
- ✓ **Grade 8 Graduation – June 26**
- ✓ **Report Cards Home – June 26th**
- ✓ **Last day of school – June 30th**



2nd Annual King George Fun Fair

- ✓ Mark this event down on your calendar
 - * School Council and King George School are inviting all families to our second annual FAMILY FUN FAIR. The event will take place on Tuesday, June 20th, from 6 to 8:00pm. Families will have the pleasure of enjoying a family night out to:
- Play games and win prizes
- Pizza
- Face Painting
- Cake Walk
- Live DJ
- Auction Table – Theme Baskets
- Teacher “Pie in the Face”

SCHOOL COUNCIL

Next school council meeting is on Tuesday, June 6th, 2017 at 5:30. We look forward to your attendance. Babysitting is available.

Public Health Nurse Message

Be Sun Smart This Summer

As the warm weather approaches and summer draws near, it's hard to resist going outside to relax or have fun. While the sun's warm rays may feel good on our skin, too much sun can be harmful!

Keep yourself and your children well protected from the sun's harmful rays by following these tips.

- Avoid the sun between 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., when the sun's rays are the strongest
- Wear long sleeve, loose fitting clothing that will keep you cool and protected from the sun's rays
- Wear a wide brimmed hat that covers the face, ears and neck
- Cover your eyes by wearing sunglasses that protect from both UVA and UVB rays
- Use sunscreen labelled “broad spectrum” and “water resistant” with a SPF of 30 or higher and remember to:
 - Read the directions, which will tell you when to apply the sunscreen
 - Reapply sunscreen according to package directions, especially after swimming or sweating.
- Protect your lips by using a lip balm with an SPF and reapply it throughout the day
- Find shade or bring your own (e.g. an umbrella)

For more information on sun safety, visit the Canadian Cancer Society website, www.cancer.ca

Brantford Public Library News

Read On Summer Tutoring Program

Registration begins June 3rd, 2017



The TD Summer Reading Club rewards kids everytime they read. This is a free program that lasts all summer long. Kids (ages 0-12) can register for the program at any point during the summer and are rewarded for reading with great prizes and giveaways. Be messy, seek the unknown, escape the ordinary, and let yourself fly. We invite you to join the TD Summer Reading Club!

Join the club and pick up your GO CANADA Club Pass to win prizes for your reading adventures! Every time you visit the library you will earn a GO CANADA Draw Ballot that can be used to enter a weekly prize draw or the grand prize draw! Details on weekly draw prizes and the grand prize draw.

Thank you for everyone who participated in the 2016 Summer Reading Club!

More than 1,100 kids from Brantford between the ages of 0-12 took part in the 2016 club.

PA Day: It's Alive

Friday, June 9, 2017

10:30am - 12:30pm

(ALL AGES)

Watch your creations come to life! Experiment with robots, simple circuits, 3D printing, Lego, and more.

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