



Grand Erie This Week
Media Advisory | March 27 – April 1, 2017

Board Meeting at the Education Centre, 349 Erie Avenue, Brantford
Monday, March 27, 2017 | 7:15 p.m.

For a complete agenda, click here: <http://bit.ly/2nsFefv>

Please note that the board reports are no longer linked as individual reports but rather as one complete Board package.

Highlights include:

- Board Improvement Plan for Student Achievement – Mid-year Update
- Approval of Draft Proposed School-Year Calendar 2017-18 to send to Ministry of Education for approval
- Student Recognition award presented to:
 - Arabella Alton, Grade 12, Valley Heights Secondary School: Recognized for her dedication and perseverance to the sport of high jump, resulting in outstanding athletic achievement

Princess Elizabeth students honoured at City of Brantford Council
Tuesday, March 28, 2017 | 6:00 p.m.

Princess Elizabeth Public School is the recipient of this year's School Ground Greening Grant from the Brantford/Brant Earth Week Event Committee. This year marks the tenth year that the Earth Week Event Committee has undertaken a School Ground Greening project.

The special ceremony will take place on Monday, April 24, 2017. In recognition of this event, Chuck Beach, Chair of the Brantford/Brant Earth Week Event Committee will join Princess Elizabeth staff and students at the City of Brantford Council Meeting at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 28, 2017.

Paris District High School participates in Ontario pilot project

The Ontario government is partnering with educators on 29 pilot projects, including Paris District HS, to revise current career studies courses, and ensure students develop the skills needed for a rapidly changing, highly competitive innovative economy. The pilot projects will run until June 2017. For more information, click here to access the Ministry of Education's announcement: <http://bit.ly/2oqblKx>

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Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test
Thursday, March 30, 2017

Grand Erie secondary students in Grade 10 will be writing the Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test this Thursday, administered by Ontario's Education Quality and Accountability Office (EQAO), measuring reading and writing skills of students across the province.

Grand Erie students head to science and engineering fair (BASEF)
Saturday, April 1, 2017

Nine Grand Erie students from North Park, BCI and Caledonia Centennial, involved in six projects will be competing at the Bay Area Science and Engineering Fair at Mohawk College in Hamilton this Saturday. The yearly competition includes students from Hamilton and Halton regions, Haldimand, Norfolk, and Brant counties, and Six Nations, with winners going on to compete at a national level.