

October

Principal: Todd Truax

Vice-Principal: Jaime Rudge and
Matthew Beaton

Trustee: Esther Childs

website: <http://mon.tldsbo.on.ca>

The Monck Messenger

Reminders

Office
705-645-9986

Safe Arrival
705-645-4479

Message from the Principal

Dear Parents,
Happy Fall Season,

We hope that you have been able to enjoy some of the great fall weather that we've had in September. As the weather gets cooler and damper, please remember to have your child prepared for the weather with things like warmer clothes and rubber boots.

It was a busy month in September with Soccerfest, Terry Fox School Walk, Orange Shirt Day, cross-country running and our music program up and running. Please encourage your child to get involved in the many aspects of school life at Monck.

Monck students will be participating in the Evan Luker Run on Friday, October 13th with grades 1- 4 students running the afternoon and 5 - 8 in the morning. Good luck to all athletes. Please note this date has changed from its original date.

Thank you to parents who are coming in before school to help with the breakfast club. We appreciate the time and effort to ensuring that students get snacks each day.

Parent Council is open to everyone so if you are interested please come to Monck at 6pm on Tuesday, October 24th.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us at the office.

Mr. Todd Truax
Principal

Mr. Matthew Beaton
Vice Principal

Ms. Jaime Rudge
Vice Principal

Pizza Day

Pizza will be delivered on Thursdays. You should order through schoolcashionline. (<https://tldsbschoolcashionline.com/>) The order needs to be in by Tuesday at noon to get pizza on Thursday. Students have the option to order a cheese or pepperoni slice.



Monck Music Program

Instruments For All

We are excited to announce, for the first time since 2019, our Grade 6 students will be participating in the Instrumental Music Program.

Learning to play an instrument fosters creativity and discipline as well as enhancing cognitive development and teamwork skills. Students are empowered to explore their talents and contribute positively to their own academic and personal growth.

To ensure the safety of our students, we have arranged for each child to have their own instrument for the year.

Those members of the community who have expressed an interest in supporting our music program can contribute to this initiative through the schools website. Any amount will be greatly appreciated.

Donations can be made at: <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/m/48501?fundID=246340&v2=true>

We look forward to hosting you at the annual Winter and Spring Concerts.

Thank you for your commitment to our students' education and the development of their artistic talents.

Yours Truly,

Ms. Lonsdale



IMPORTANT SAFE ARRIVAL

Our safe arrival number is **705-645-9986**. Please help us keep your children safe. Use this number when your child is absent so the school knows they are safe.

**** Parents of children who walk to school - please remember to call the Safe Arrival Line when your child is staying home on a Bus Cancellation Day.**

School Photos

YOUR PHOTO DAY IS APPROACHING!

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11

Showcase Your Best Smile

- Students will be photographed at school.
- On photo day, no order forms or payment is due.
- Review your images and purchase online with ease!



DON'T FORGET

School photos are a Canadian tradition to capture the school year and preserve your continued growth.



GET REMINDERS

Sign up for notifications at edgeimaging.ca/photoday to get real-time updates about your photo day and stay in the know with Edge.



1 (866) 747-2342

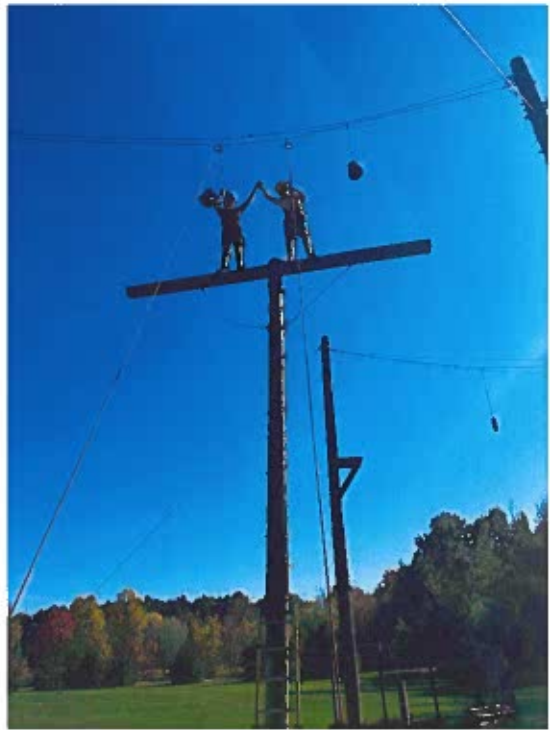
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Intermediates to Leadership Camp

Our Intermediates had a chance to go to camp last week and had a fantastic time. Check out the photos!





Monck Scares Hunger

Our Intermediate Leadership team will be collecting non-perishable food items over the next couple of weeks to donate to the food bank. This corresponds with some fun Halloween activities planned as well.

Fresh From the Farm

Just a reminder that the Parent Council is running their Fresh from the Farm fundraiser. Get your orders in today!



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Since 2013 Fresh from the Farm school fundraising has connected over 2,200 schools with Ontario farmers and enabled them to raise over \$1.9 million for school initiatives by selling over 4.3 million pounds of Ontario grown fruits and vegetables.

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Includes:

- 8 lb bag White Potatoes
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- 2 lb bag Yellow Onions
- 2 lb bag Orange Carrots

8lb Apple Bundle

\$24.00

ONLY \$3.00/lb

NEW! 8 lb bag Ambrosia apples

Ambrosia apples are a beautiful bright pinkish red and light yellow coloured apple. They are crisp and juicy with a distinct sweet aroma and sweet low acid flavour. Excellent for eating fresh.



Please submit all orders through the cash online system at <https://TLD38.schoolcashonline.com> by: **TUESDAY OCTOBER 19th**

Thank you for supporting **MONCK PUBLIC SCHOOL** and Ontario farmers brought to you by



October at Monck

2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5 Pizza Day	6 PD Day	7
8	9 Thanksgiving Day	10	11 School Photos	12 Pizza Day	13 Evan Luker Run MADD Canada for Intermediates	14
15	16	17	18	19 Pizza Day	20	21
22	23	24 Parent Council	25	26 Pizza Day	27	28
29	30	31 Halloween	1	2 Pizza Day	3	4