

Parent Council Update

November 2017

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SCHOOL COUNCIL

Join us for our next School Council meeting. On the agenda, Fundraising Requests, Incorporation Status, Council Goals, Roots of Empathy, Defibrillators, May Fair and more. The meeting takes place Wednesday, November 22nd, 2017, at 7 pm in the school library.

All are welcome. Hope to see you there!

Interested in receiving updates from School Council? Send your email address manorparkschoolcouncil@gmail.com.

Please note that we've changed to a "gmail" account rather

than "yahoo". The School Council website is updated on a regular basis. Check it out! www.mpsc.info.

School Council Executive

We are happy to have the following volunteer executive members for the 2017-2018 school year:

Chair – Sue Noble

Vice-chair – Kathryn Pizana

Secretary - Caroline Sullivan

Communications Coordinator - Sharon Leslie

Co-Kindergarten Representatives – Steve Bezanson & Andrew Matthews

Primary Representative – Edith Post

Junior Representative – Wendy Colthart

Ottawa Carleton Assembly of School Councils (OCASC) Representative – Andrea Genereaux

Members at Large – Andrea Easton and Kristina Kamichaitis

MPCC Community Liaison Delegate – Nancy O'Brien (TBC)

Treasurer – Heather Mustoe

Staff Representatives:

Sue Massaad, Principal

Dan Martin, Vice Principal

Bruce Devenny

Marie-France Jeaurond

Thank you to everyone who is taking on a role with Council this year!

Council Meetings – Open Forum

The Manor Park School Council meets regularly throughout the school year. Typical agenda items include an update from the Principal and Vice Principal, updates on Council's financial matters as well as other items that are of interest throughout the year.

Interested in volunteering for this year? Want more information?

Are you thinking about volunteering? Come to the monthly meetings and see how you can make a difference. Whether you would like to lead an event or help with an event one day,

please contact us! We'll be looking for someone to coordinate May Fair and we have many helpers already signed up! We hope you'll come to the meeting and share your ideas! Contact us at manorparksschoolcouncil@gmail.com or visit our website for more details at www.mpsc.info/mpscblog/fundraising

OCDSB PARENT CONFERENCE & SCHOOL COUNCIL TRAINING DAY ON NOVEMBER 18TH

Register Now for the Annual OCDSB Parent Conference and School Council Training Day - November 18th

Posted on 11/10/2017 on the OCDSB website:

<https://www.ocdsb.ca/cms/One.aspx?portalId=55478&pageId=3157519>



Now in its third year, the conference is an amazing opportunity for parents and educators to learn together. Our keynote speaker is Dr. Karyn Gordon. Dr. Gordon is one of North America's leading relationship/parenting experts, a best-selling author, a media personality, motivational speaker and founder of [dkLeadership](#). Her mission is to inspire people to dream their best life, learn the tools and do it!

She will be joining us on November 18, talking about Building Confidence.

Participants will also have the opportunity to attend three workshop sessions. There will be sessions on Supporting Learning in Math, Growth Mindset, Parenting in the Early Years, Developing Resilience, School Council Best Practices, School Council Finance, Special Education, Reaching Youth and more!

There is no cost or fee to participate in this conference. Childcare Registration is now closed.

Free parking is available behind the school. For more information on the conference please [click here](#).

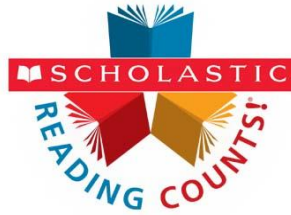
[Register Now!](#)

This conference is an initiative of the [Parent Involvement Committee \(PIC\)](#), with the support of the OCDSB, the [Special Education Advisory Committee \(SEAC\)](#), [Ottawa-Carleton Assembly of School Councils \(OCASC\)](#) and the Ministry of Education's [Parents Reaching Out Grant](#).

For more information, please visit the OCDSB website at:

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EXTRA, EXTRA - READ ALL ABOUT IT!



SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR IS COMING TO MANOR PARK SCHOOL!

We invite you to share in the celebration of books and reading with us! Mark your calendars! Tuesday, November 21st until Friday, November 24th, Scholastic Book Fair will be in the small gym.

Tuesday, November 21st	9:00 am – 3:00 pm
Wednesday, November 22nd	9:00 am – 3:00 pm
Thursday, November 23rd	8:30 am – 8:00 pm
Friday, November 24th	8:30 am – NOON

By now you should have received a newsletter along with a flyer so that you can have a sneak peek at a few of the books that will be available for purchase. By supporting our Book Fair fundraiser, you enable our school to obtain new resources for our library!

Get ready to read!!

MANOR PARK COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Visit the MPCC website for the latest news and registration:
<http://www.manorpark.ca/index.php>

Watch manorpark.ca for details about registration, and PA Day programming.

Manor Park Community Council Tel: [613-741-4776](tel:613-741-4776)

Follow us on Twitter @ManorParkc

Follow us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/ManorParkCommunityCouncil

MABEL'S LABELS



Buy Mabel's Labels
to support our fundraiser.

Labels for clothes, shoes, containers and more.



[Click here to support the Manor Park School Council and buy labels](#)

Customers know the benefits of labeling their items, and orders are placed throughout the year, not just during the back-to-school season. Labels are a great way to save going to the Lost & Found! Mabel's Labels have labels for backpacks, shoes, pencils, sweaters, jackets, and any type of item.

There are many designs to choose from and you decide what information you would like to see on the label. There are also labels under the tab **"safety & household"** that can be used as allergy alerts or event to label your homemade preserves. You can purchase packs to give out for birthday parties, small packs for a few items or larger packs for many items. Commissions from the sale of these labels are returned to MPSC! We hope you enjoy the labels AND not losing your child's belongings! You'll see "You are supporting:Manor Park School Council (Ottawa)" in the top left corner. If not, then choose **Manor Park School Council** in the drop-down menu. It's easy to find MPSC's fundraising page then you'll be helping provide funds directly to our school.

Tell your friends about this great fundraiser! [Visit the website](#) for more details.



Allspice	Anise Seeds	Arrowroot	Basil	Bay Leaves
Cajun Spice	Caraway Seeds	Cayenne	Celery Salt	Chili Powder
Chives	Crushed Chillies	Cinnamon	Cloves	Coriander
Cream of Tartar	Cumin	Curry	Dill Weed	Fennel
Fenugreek Seeds	Chinese 5 Spice	Garam Masala	Garlic Powder	Garlic Salt
Ginger	Lemon Pepper	Madrasam	Mint	Mustard
Nutmeg	Onion Powder	Oregano	Parsley	Paprika
Pepper	Peppercorns	Poppy Seeds	Quincy Seasoning	Rosemary
Saffron	Sage	Salt	Savory	Sea Salt



INTERESTED IN OTHER WAYS TO GET INVOLVED?

There are countless ways to make a difference at Manor Park. Here are a few: May Fair volunteers, Pizza volunteers, Grant writing, Fundraising, in-class support, Badminton Club, School Council Website support.

Movie Night!

*** * Elf! * ***

**Popcorn, pizza, and drinks sold!
Bring your cozy blankets!**

DATE: Friday, November 17, 2017

**WHERE: Large Gym
(Manor Park Public School)**

**TIME: Doors Open 6pm
Movie Starts at 6:30pm**