



# PORT PERRY HIGH SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS



## Friday, April 26, 2024



HAPPY  
Passover

***Passover begins at sundown on Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> and ends at sundown on Tuesday, April 30<sup>h</sup>.***

- Passover commemorates the Biblical Story of Exodus – where God freed the Israelites from slavery in Egypt. The celebration of Passover is prescribed in the book of Exodus in the Old Testament. During Passover, it is forbidden to eat leavened food products such as bread, pasta, etc. The reason for this is that Jewish Tradition states that in their haste to escape from Egypt, the Jewish people did not have enough time to wait for bread to rise. Instead, they ate matzah, unleavened bread.

### ***Eco Club***

- Today is the last day of Earth Week, so this is your last chance to buy plants, buttons, stickers and facial rounds and heat packs. Great job to everyone wearing eco friendly or thrifted clothes. Check out our Instagram @pphs\_ecoclub to see our post about recycling. Today is the last day to submit art to Ms. Demmer in Room 176 for the art competition. Make sure to pay attention to the songs playing before class so you can hear our eco themed songs. Thank you for all your participation this week. Have a great last day of Earth Week!

## **BIPOC**

- Bipoc will meet today at lunch in Room 207 – Everyone Welcome!

## **Food Drive**

- The food drive continues this week. If you want to see Ms. Nicholishen do 80's aerobics – bring in your food donations to the box in the main hall. All donations are supporting our local community through operation Scugog – so donate today.

## **Clothing Drive**

- The clothing Drive continues this week. Bring new or gently used clothes to the bins located outside the main office or outside the cafeteria. All donations will help support our community through local shelters.

## **Leadership Camp Committee**

- We are still accepting Leadership Camp Applications. Camp is over half full so get your forms and money in to get your spot. This is an opportunity you do not want to miss!

## **Library**

- Do you need something to read this weekend? Do you like books, but not the prices? Come to the library at lunch and browse our collection of 25 cent books! That's right.....CHEAP BOOKS! There are some new titles today so come find that next best move!! Don't forget to bring a bag to fill. These books are looking for their forever home and would love to be chosen by you. All money raised will go to Prime Earth!

## **Guidance – Graduates**

- You have been invited to the Commencement Awards, Bursaries and Scholarships Google Classroom. If you haven't already done so, please accept the invitation. We are encouraging ALL graduating students to please fill out the application Google Form and applicable assignments to be considered for some of the awards, scholarships and bursaries that our generous donors provide to our graduating class each year. The Commencement Awards Committee looks forward to reviewing these applications each year and collaboratively selecting the deserving recipients. Through this Google Classroom students will also be nominating and voting for the Valedictorian in mid-May. The applications are due Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Start working on your application today!

## **Francophone Art Entry Competition**

- Congratulations to students in our school who entered the Francophone Art Entry Competition, we had many students enter and who represented our school well in the competition. Please check out those results on the Instagram.

## **Music Council**

- Music Council meets today at lunch. See you all there! Attention all those staff and students travelling to Toronto this evening to see SIX – The Musical. Please be at the school no later than 4:45 p.m. to meet your chaperones for the evening and receive final instructions!