



WEST KILDONAN COLLEGIATE

WEEKLY UPDATE



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For the week of April 15 - 19, 2024

5th Annual Whatever Sale – April 13th – 10am-3pm

The WKC Zoological Club invites everyone to WKC Commons on Saturday, April 15 for the 4th annual sale from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Participation is free. We will have a silent auction, over 50 vendors selling their wares, and a petting zoo with our zoological animals! All funds raised go to our zoological club.

Glenlea Greenhouses Plant Fundraiser – Orders Due on April 15th

Harvesting Glenlea Greenhouses is back! Buy garden plants and flowers in support of WKC Zoology animals. Place your order directly online at www.glenleagreenhouses.com or purchase gift cards and pick up plants at any of their locations. **Orders are accepted until April 15, 2024.** **The plants will be delivered to the school and available for home pick-up on Wednesday, May 15, 2024.** For any questions, please contact Goldelyn Shapiro at 204-339-6959 or email goldelyn.shapiro@7oaks.org. Thank you for your support!

Grad 2024 50/50 Fundraiser -SOLD OUT!!!! – Final Draw April 15th

Thank you to everyone who supported WKC Graduating Class of 2024 by purchasing a 50/50 ticket, your support is greatly appreciated! The draw will take place on Monday April 15 at 1 PM. Good Luck to those who purchased tickets!

TAG in Period D – Wednesday, April 17th

Students will be meeting with their TAG teacher during Period D instead of going to regular classes. Student attendance will be taken in their TAG classes. To celebrate Earth Month students will be participating in a Community Cleanup!

Report cards posted online – April 17th at 3:00 p.m.

Report cards will be posted to your student's folder on Parent Connect by 3:00 p.m. on April 17, 2024. To view your child's report card, you will need to log in to Parent Connect – Select the student's "Folder" tab at the top of the screen – Select View Semester 2 Report Cards.

If you are having difficulty logging into Parent Connect, please contact the office at 204-339-6959 and we will be happy to assist you!

Parent Teacher Conferences – April 18th 5-8pm

To make an appointment, you'll need to log in to Parent Connect and find the "Interview" tab at the top of the page. (This will allow you to view parent teachers' schedules and sign up with individual teachers who teach yo

ur student.) **Interviews with parents and teachers take place on Thursday, April 18th, from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.** Interviews last 15 minutes.

No School – April 19th

No classes on Friday, April 19th due to a School PD Day.

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Yearbooks 2023/2024

Yearbooks 2023/2024 can now be pre-ordered! Order forms are available at the office that students can fill out. Yearbooks cost \$10 per book and can be paid in cash or by check, payable to West Kildonan Collegiate. Please stay tuned to our website for when you can pick up your yearbook in the fall. (usually available in October). **Yearbooks will only be available by pre-order for this school year. THE ORDER DEADLINE IS MAY 24.**

Leave/Vacation Forms

Please remember that if your student is absent for 3 days or more, we ask for a student leave/vacation form to be completed. This ensures that students and teachers have conversations about expectations for assignments, tests, and projects that may be completed or will occur during student leave. The form is attached to the students' files after submission. *The forms are available in the office as well as on our website under 'Publications' as well as on the 'Parent/Student' – 'Parent Information' tab.*

Parking

Please remind your students that they can park along **the wooden fence** in the parking lot, as they are all parking spaces on a first-come, first-served basis. **Parking anywhere else on the lot will result in the vehicle being towed immediately, without warning.** Visitors can register their license plate at the office to avoid being towed.

2024-2025 Transportation

Important notice from the Department of Transportation:

All eligible students who currently ride the school bus MUST complete the online transportation application located on the Seven Oaks School Division Transport page.

There are no web-based forms to fill out this year. All other students, please review the departmental policies and procedures to determine eligibility BEFORE completing the application. **We do not currently transport students in grades 9-12 who have public transport.** <https://www.7oaks.org/Departments/Transportation/Pages/Application-Changes.aspx#/=>

Cell Phone Expectation

Personal electronic devices such as mobile phones, gaming systems, iPods, etc., and wired/Bluetooth headphones **cannot be used or accessed during classes.** We prefer students to leave their mobile phones at home, however, if a student brings their cell phone to class, they will need to remove their mobile phone from themselves or their backpack and put it in a storage container in the classroom. The original letter sent to the families can be found on our website.

Looking ahead.....

Grad Portrait Retakes/Missed Sitzings

If your graduate was unable to attend the initial dates of the session, missed sittings will take place from May 1st to May 3rd; please see the attached letter for details. All retakes must be scheduled by calling Lifetouch at the following numbers - Lifetouch Customer Service: 1-888-676-1647 or 1-866-457-8212.

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WKC Band Coffeehouse Fundraiser – April 24th, 7pm

The evening of April 24th, our WKC music program is hosting a Spring Coffeehouse Fundraiser! It will be a night of coffee, snacks, and performances from classical to rock! Doors open at 6:30pm with performances from 7-9pm. Tickets are \$5 and will be available soon!

Athletics

Flag Football

Wednesday, April 17th

- Wolverine Girls vs. Murdoch Mackay 5:40 p.m., U of M/St. Vital Mustangs Field
- Wolverine Girls vs. JH Bruns 6:30 p.m., U of M/St. Vital Mustangs Field

**Good luck to all athletes in all sports!
Go Wolverines Go!!**

**WK Fifth Annual
WHATEVER
SALE!**

**APRIL 13th
10am - 3pm**

**SILENT
AUCTION
& 50/50**

**PETTING
ZOO!**

**FREE
ADMISSION**

**GARAGE SALE ITEMS
VENDORS
CRAFTERS
BAKERS
& MORE**

**IN SUPPORT OF
WKC ZOOLOGY CLUB**

**West Kildonan
Collegiate
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PLANT FUNDRAISER



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GLENLEA




ORDER ONLINE NOW

Until April 15th, 2024

- Fruits and Vegetables
- Succulents
- Herbs
- Perennial Flowers
- Annual Flowers
- Fall Mums
- Baskets
- Value Packs
- And more!!



To order go to www.glenleagreenhouses.com

Choose "support a spring fundraiser group"

Fill your cart

Choose pick up at West Kildonan Collegiate

May 15th, 2024

Help support the care of our Zoology Club Animals!



A little goes a long way!
Thank you for the support!
- WKC Zoology Club
& animals.

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Prestige
Photography by Lifetouch

**RETAKE GRAD
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West Kildonan Collegiate

Wednesday, May 1, 2024 to Friday, May 3, 2024

Schedule Your Portrait Session Online!

<https://schedule.prestigeportraits.ca>

General Information

- Schedule your photo appointment online! You can only book an appointment on the dates provided for your school by selecting your school's name in the drop-down menu, and then entering the first and last name that the school has on file for you. If your name does not appear, please contact Customer Service at 1-888-676-1647 or 1-866-457-8212 to be added.
- **If you are having your original photos taken**, you have the option to prepay your session fee (\$35) online or it must be paid to your photographer at the time of your photo session. Debit or credit is preferred, but cash and cheque will be accepted. Cheque made payable to Lifetouch Canada.
- ****If you had original photos taken** and would like to book a retake session you will need to call Customer Service at 1-888-676-1647 or 1-866-457-8212 to book an appointment – you will not be able to book online
- **If you are having your retake photos taken**, you must give your original set of proofs to your photographer to have retakes done at no charge, or you must pay the session fee (\$35) again.
- **Photos will be taken in the LIBRARY * Please arrive 10 minutes early!**

Contemporary Poses

Contemporary poses can be included in your session. This is of the individual graduate only and is done in casual dress. Your portrait session is about capturing your true personality, so we encourage you to bring in a prop such as a musical instrument, sporting equipment, etc.

****Please note: due to allergies, animals are not permitted during any grad photo sessions****

A Word about Your Proofs

Two to three weeks after your photo session, you will receive a set of proofs by Canada Post and an email with a link so you can view your graduation proofs online. Keep in mind that your proofs are not retouched, but your finished portrait order will include basic retouching at no charge to eliminate blemishes & soften lines.

Premium retouching is available at an additional cost.

Getting Ready!

- If you are wearing a mask, you will be asked to remove it just prior to the start of your session.
- Hair and makeup must be done before your photo session starts.
- If you are bringing in a prop, please ensure you have it ready at the time of your session.
- Lifetouch will provide the traditional grad gown, hat, tassel, v-stole and roses.
- **You are welcome to wear your own dress shirt (of any colour) with or without tie. Please ensure your tie is pre-tied before your appointment or use a clip-on tie.**
- **Graduates who prefer to not wear a dress shirt with or without a tie, we suggest wearing a v-neck or scoop neck shirt. Please come prepared to your session already dressed in this attire.**

If you have questions about Prestige packages, or need help booking an appointment, please call Lifetouch Prestige Customer Service at 1.888.676.1647 or 1.866.457.8212

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