

Good evening Parents/Guardians of the LTJH Community:

Here is a look at the week ahead!

Grade 8 Sackville High School Visit/Orientation

Our Grade 8s will be walking over to Sackville High School on May 12th in the morning for an orientation day from 9:45am to 11:30am.

SHS will also be hosting their Parent Orientation Meeting on May 29th from 5:30-6:30.

RWM8 – Grade 8 Provincial Assessment

A reminder that information pamphlets were sent home last week regarding the upcoming Reading Writing and Math 8 Assessments. Students will be writing during the mornings of the following dates:

May 20 - RMW8 ELA Day One

May 21 - RMW8 ELA Day Two

May 22 - RMW8 Make up day

May 27 - RMW8 Math Day One

May 28 - RMW8 Math Day Two

May 29 - RMW8 - Make up day

May 30 - RMW8 - Make up day

Last School Dance

We will be having our next school dance on Thursday, May 8th from 6:30 – 8:00 for our LT students. Doors will open at 6:30. A DJ with a light and sound system will be hosting the dance.

We are hoping for all families / students will take advantage of the advance purchase option and limit the ‘pay at the door’ option. SchoolCash Online. <https://hrce.schoolcashionline.com/>

Dance expectations:

- This is a school function, and all school rules will be followed.
- Students must be in attendance the day of the dance to attend the dance
- A canteen with snacks and drinks will be open for cash purchases. All food and drink will be consumed in the cafeteria.
- All outerwear, backpacks, and cell phones will be checked at the beginning of the dance and will be kept in a secure location.
- Once a student has arrived for the dance, they are expected to remain until 8pm.
- Accessible areas will be the main floor cafeteria, gymnasium, and main floor washrooms. All other areas and lockers will not be available.

The cost is \$8.

Public Transit

If your student is taking the metro transit bus after school, please have a conversation around lining up on the gravel shoulder and not waiting on the paved street. It is very busy on Metropolitan after school and students should try their best to safely wait for the bus.

Homework Hub

Homework Hub continues to be available to all Nova Scotian students from grades 4-12. The Homework Hub provides electronic textbooks, instructional videos, vocabulary review, practice questions, and live tutoring.

Tutors at The Homework Hub are all Nova Scotia teachers. Please reassure students that while they interact with the tutor, it is through typing and/ or speaking depending on their comfort level (this is not a video chat).

Students can find the link on their GNSPES launch page.

The hours of operation for online tutoring via Homework Hub can be found below. We invite teachers to take a few moments to show students where to find it and share its benefits.

• Grades 4-6: Monday-Wednesday 5:30-6:30 pm

• Grades 7-12: Sunday-Thursday 5:30-9:30 pm

Important Dates

May 8 - School Dance 6:30-8pm

May 12 - Grade 8 Orientation to Sackville High 9:30-11:30

May 19 - No School Victoria Day

May 21-30 – Provincial Assessments for Grade 8

May 27 - SAC Meeting at 6pm