Victus Vibes

August 25, 2023



WELCOME BACK!

As the summer holidays wind down and we go into our last week before the return to school, our staff continues to work hard to ensure a smooth transition. Our office staff is in every day and available to meet your needs. Please do not hesitate to call if you need anything. Each homeroom teacher will be sending out a welcome email to their families as well as a personal phone call to introduce themselves and make a connection with you. Some of the message will include mandatory classroom supplies. This will differ between grades but as a guideline, each student should have at least the following base set of school supplies:

Pens Pencils Eraser Ruler Lined Paper (8 ½ x 11) Large Binder w. dividers Pencil Crayons (Gr. 5-8) Charged Chromebook/Laptop w. Charger Calculator

Along with the introductory email, we will be sending out the "First Day Package" so that you can have time to go through all of the information well in advance. On Thursday, August 31 and Friday, September 1, our teaching staff will be involved in professional development and will have limited availability throughout these days. We are excited to see everyone on Tuesday, September 5 bright and early with smiles on!

Many thanks and enjoy the rest of your summer holidays. Principal Furfaro

UPCOMING...

Sept. 1 - PD Day

Sept. 4 - Labour Day

Sept. 5 - 1st Day of School

Sept 12 – Rose's Kitchen (Hot Lunch)

Sept. 18 - Student Council Nominations this Week

Sept. 19 - Open House!

Sept 20 – Girls' Lunch

Sept. 21 - Terry Fox Skate

For access to the school calendar, please click the calendar icon in the bottom corner or <u>here</u>.

HANDBOOK

We have updated our Student/Parent Handbook for the 2023/2024 school year and it is important that students and parents review this prior to the first day of school: <u>Student/Parent</u> Handbook

POLICIES

To access the 2023-2024 Policies and Procedures Manual, please click below: <u>Policies &</u> Procedures Manual

WHAT'S NEW?

Welcome New Victus Staff!

Nicola Macdonald - Secondary Teacher & Zach Di Paulo - Grade 5/6 Teacher Scott Atkins - Director of Athletic Performance

Flexible Learning Option

(for more information, click here)

<u>Co-op Program Coming to Victus!</u>

Cooperative education, or Co-op, provides our secondary student athletes with learning opportunities connected to communities outside the school. Grade 11 and 12 students will have the opportunity to earn High School credits through the completion of a semester-long unpaid work placement.

VICTUS APPAREL

To view or purchase Victus apparel, please click <u>here</u>. Please note that students will not need to bring their strength or ice equipment on Tues., Sept. 5 (*exception: Bring shoulder pads & shin pads for fitting). Our coaches will take this time to go through details of their program, expectations, and procedures and students will be fitted for jerseys and socks.

1ST DAY PACKAGE

Next week, we will be sending out our First Day Package. Please complete and return all of the forms to Jessica on the first day of school. **SCHOOL CALENDAR** Please do not hesitate to reach out if

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you have any questions.