
HAWK TALK

WELCOME BACK!!!

FIRST WEEK FRENZY

Our halls have been buzzin' with fresh faces and first impressions! It has been a busy week at Henry Street High School and we look forward to what the year has in store for all our Hawks!

This academic year we are happy to welcome 2 new Vice Principals to Henry Street – Ms. Biffin and Mr. Davidson, they have been circulating the halls getting to know our staff and students and we look forward to everything they will bring into our building..

A huge shout out to our staff for your dedication, support and effort as we welcomed our students back from summer holidays! Our extra curriculums are already starting to take off, and that is only possible with tremendous effort from our staff.

We believe it is important to share our accomplishments and important information with our parents/guardians; we are launching our newsletter this school year to keep our Henry Street community informed and involved in what is happening in and around our building.

A Message from Mr. B:

Our commitment is simple: to provide a quality education that helps you grow into responsible citizens with integrity and self-worth, while your role is to take learning and citizenship seriously. Explore everything that HSHS has to offer. This year will be packed with incredible opportunities, so make the most of it; find activities that enhance what you're learning in the classroom and push you to grow.

LOCKER LOGISTICS

Thank you to all students who have brought their locks in and provided their combinations to their homeroom teachers. Our locker distribution is an ongoing process, if your student still needs to receive a locker please have them come to the office after September 2nd and will work to get a locker assigned to them. Combination locks are needed to receive a locker.



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THE ATHLETIC REPORT

Our athletic program would not be possible without the unwavering dedication of our coaching staff, who generously devote their time and energy to support student athletics. It's the first week of school and the athletics program at Henry Street is in full motion!

Intramurals

Lunchtime intramurals are ran throughout the year by our Phys Ed department. The first intramural is FLAG FOOTBALL and will be starting soon. Intramural permission forms are available outside the Lower Gym, if your student would like to play Flag Football intramural, forms are due September 5th.

Tennis

There was a mandatory meeting for students interested in tennis on Wednesday, August 27th, if your student missed the meeting and would be interested please have them see Mr. Clark before tryouts. Tryouts will be September 3rd and 4th @ Iroquois Park.

Rugby 7s

Our Rugby 7s teams have already started to form and practice.

Boys Rugby 7s practiced this week, if your student is interested in playing see Mr. Lamacraft and Mr. Wilson in the Upper Gym Phys Ed office.

Girls Rugby 7s will hold their first practices September 2nd and 3rd, after school. Students can see Ms. Abel and Mrs. Hull for more information.

Golf

Fall golf team tryouts will be happening very soon, student golfers can see Mrs. Hull or Mr. Hull for more information. Experience is needed.

Boys Soccer

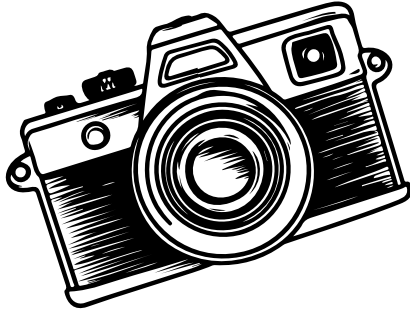
Tryouts are happening next week! Junior boys tryouts are September 2nd and 4th at 8 am on the back field. Senior boys tryouts are September 2nd and 4th at 3:30 pm on the back field.

Girls Basketball

Tryouts will be afterschool on Wednesday, September 3rd. See Mr. Kendrick if you have any questions.



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PICTURE DAY

A huge shout out to Mr. McKinnon and the yearbook class for all their hardwork on August 27th to ensure picture day ran smoothly. If your student missed picture day – do not worry, picture retake day is September 26th.

FROM GUIDANCE

Our Guidance Department continues to work tirelessly to get all students into classrooms and start off their academic year. If your child is still looking for a timetable change, please have them complete the google form in their Grade level Google classroom. The course change deadline is September 5th, 2025.

Our Grade level guidance counsellors are:

Grade 9: Ms. Hines (kathryn.hines@ddsb.ca)

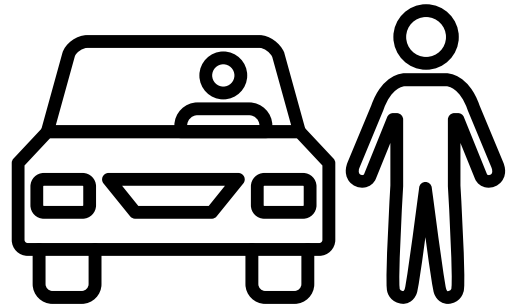
Grade 10: Mrs. Igel (annmarie.igel@ddsb.ca)

Grade 11: Ms. Nundy (smita.nundy@ddsb.ca)

Grade 12: Mrs. McFadden (alexandra.mcfadden@ddsb.ca)

DROP OFF & PICK UP

You may have noticed some changes to our back parking lot in that we now have 2 driveways. Please only enter the appropriate East driveway and exit the West driveway, to assist with traffic flow both in the morning and afternoon. The front of the school kiss and ride section is ONLY to be used by school busses and school staff as we need to keep this area clear at pick up and drop off times. Please do not pull into the laneway along Henry Street where busses park, especially after school as this area is reserved for school busses only. You may have to park further away in the community on a side street as spaces are limited when picking up/dropping off your student. Thank you for your co-operation and commitment to student safety.



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REMINDERS

Henry Street High School begins at 9:30 am. Dismissal time is 3:30 pm, we ask that all students leave the building promptly by 3:40 pm unless under the supervision of a staff member for a club, team or activity. If your student is waiting for a bus, we ask they wait outside at the front of the school or in the front foyer to avoid missing their bus.

Our lunch time for all students is 12:05–12:55 pm.

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 1 – Labour Day (No School)

September 3 – Eid-e-Milad-un-Nabi

September 4 – Grade Assemblies

September 11 – Club Fair @ Lunch in Library

September 26 – Picture Retake Day

September 30 – University Fair – All Day in Library

Principal – Basil Broumeriotis

Vice Principals – Russell Davidson (Last names A–K)

Patricia Biffin (Last names L–Z)

Superintendent – Andrea McAuley

School Trustees – Michelle Arseneault, Tracy Brown and Christine Thatcher