



Summer 2022 Newsletter

Dear Brock Corydon Families,

"If something makes you sad when it ends, it must have been pretty wonderful when it was happening." (*This Is Us*)

It has been 10 amazing years as principal of this incredible school and I can't thank you enough! The students at our school value respect, learning, friendship, inclusivity, creativity, and so much more. The parents at our school are supportive, appreciative, advocates, involved and caring. The staff, well, there isn't any better, I have to say. They want their students to be the best they can be, and will do whatever is necessary to make that happen. I have had the privilege to hear these individuals interact and work with the students, and it never fails to amaze me or warm my heart. What else could one ask for as principal of a school?

I am very proud of what our school has achieved and experienced over the past 10 years, to only name a few; a new mission statement, Bears logo and gear, yearly themes that align and create shared learning experiences, spirit week, monthly assemblies, Everyone Has The Right song, mosaic tile art piece by the office, increased technology, student council, composting, knitting club, English and Hebrew choirs, flag football league, infusion of Indigenous games and perspectives, December Nights/December Lights, Meet N' Mingles and a farewell dance with Mrs. Morris.

It is with a tear and a smile that I leave Brock Corydon. A tear because I don't know what the future holds. I've enjoyed it here for so many years and it is time for a change. Change is good, but it can also be hard. A smile because I know that Brock Corydon is thriving. Students are engaged, excited to lead, learn, and participate, and they feel a strong sense of belonging. Parents are our true partners to steer this important elementary journey. This is something I know will never change.

So, as I bid you farewell, I want to thank you ALL from the bottom of my heart for your kind words, hugs, and well wishes. I am incredibly humbled. While I look forward to this new adventure in the fall, I cannot overstate my love for this community—our children, staff, and families, for the connections I have made and for the memories I will cherish. The decision to consider a change was a difficult one, as you can imagine.

It has been a great pleasure to have served this community. I am confident that Brock Corydon is well-positioned to move forward with targets and innovative learning. I have always said that the potential is limitless at Brock Corydon School!

"I've had the time of my life, and I owe it all to you!"

Now, for one last time, "Work hard and have a great day!"

~ Mrs. Morris

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CLASSROOM TEACHERS, ITINERANTS & RESOURCE

GRADE	HOME ROOM	TEACHERS
Hebrew K a.m.	Room 11	Morah Rachael
English N/K p.m.	Room 9	Ms. Rachael
English Gr. 1, 2, 3	Room P6	Mrs. McKiel
Hebrew Gr. 1	Room P5	Morah Chana
Hebrew Gr. 1/2	Room P7	Ms. Leslie/Morah Paula
Hebrew Gr. 2	Room P4	Morah Paula/Ms. Leslie
Hebrew Gr. 3	Room P2	Morah Sasha/Mr. B
Hebrew Gr. 4	Room P3	Mr. B/Morah Sasha
English Gr. 4/5	Room 6	Mrs. Targownik
Hebrew Gr. 4/5	Room 2	Mr. Fjeldsted/Morah Lilia
Hebrew Gr. 5	Room 3	Morah Lilia/Mr. Fjeldsted
English Gr. 5/6	Room 5	Mrs. Pereles
Hebrew Gr. 6	Room 4	Morah Leah
SERT	Room P1	Ms. Mandaliti
Resource/Reading Recovery	Room 7	Mrs. Melnyk
Hebrew Support	Library	Morah Stav
EAL	Room 8	Ms. Delorme
Phys. Ed	Gym	Mrs. Kearns
Music/Basic French	Room P15	Mme. Joanne

EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANTS/CLERKS/CUSTODIAL/CLINICIANS

**EAs: Joel Braemer, Liane Brandt, Marla Chernick, Jordan Miyai, Amanda Plante, Johnathan Rodger,
Joelle Rorabeck, Yasmin Sivan**

Head Clerk	Lianne Johnstone
Office Clerk	Zoya Zinkiewicz
Head Custodian	Chems Khallout
Night Custodian	Nelson Gonzales
Evening Cleaner	Venerina LaSpina
Psychology	Antonella Lent
Reading	Patti Khan
Social Work	Shelley Gallagher
Speech/Language	Krista Clark

Farewells from the Brock Corydon Staff!

We would like to wish the following people well in their future endeavours:

Ms. White—Best of luck at Sargent Park! We know you are in good hands.

Ms. Jaqueline—Good luck at John M. King! Thank you for all your hard work this year.

Gebe, our supply EA—Thank you for being so helpful the past two years.

Mr. Pollock—Thanks for keeping our students active. Good luck in your future classroom!

Troy, our fantastic sanitizer—We will miss you in our halls! Thank you for keeping our school safe.



LUNCH PROGRAM

LUNCH PROGRAM IS FOR ALL FAMILIES WITH GRADE 1-6 STUDENTS:

If your child remains at school over the lunch hour, you must enroll in this program

About Lunch Program... The Brock Corydon Lunch Program is a very affordable childcare service provided by the Parent Advisory Council. It is a non-profit program that provides supervision for children remaining at school over the lunch hour – if your child remains at school you must enroll in this program. Lunch Program is supervised by the Lunch Program Coordinator and operated by paid staff. All Grade 1-6 students are eligible for the program which runs daily in the classrooms.

Registration is for all students... if your child remains at school you must enroll in this program, regardless of part-time or full-time attendance.

The 2022-2023 Brock Corydon Lunch Program Registration Package will be distributed by email in the fall. It will outline Lunch Program guidelines, what we offer students over the lunch hour, and registration and payment information.

We are working to streamline our paperless registration process to serve you better. We will be very firm about receiving forms and payment in a timely manner. To apply for the Lunch Program in the 2022-23 School Year, your account must be in good standing.

Monitor positions for the 2022-2023 School Year

This is a great opportunity to off-set your lunch program fees and be involved in your local community while earning extra money. Positions are Monday to Friday on full-school days only. If you are interested... We are seeking individuals to provide supervision for Grade 1-6 students from 11:45 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Please submit your resume and a minimum of two references to Tammie.a@outlook.com, attention Tammie Adolfson, Brock Corydon Lunch Program Coordinator.

If you have questions or concerns, I will be checking my email occasionally throughout the summer.

Happy Holidays!

Tammie Adolfson (Lunch Program Coordinator)

Brock Corydon Lunch Program Coordinator

FRENCH

Bienvenue!

Students in the Grade 1 to 3 English program will participate in the Early Start French Program. The goal of the program is to provide students with exposure to the French language in order to foster a positive attitude towards learning French. The emphasis is on oral communication, with students participating in authentic and engaging listening and speaking activities. These students will have two 30 minute classes per cycle.

All students in Grades 4 to 6 will participate in the Français de base Program. Here, the emphasis is also on oral French, with students having the opportunity to learn to read and write simple text and explore French culture. These students will have three 30-minute classes per 6-day cycle.

I look forward to working with students on our back to school theme of "Dans la salle de classe," where we will acquire French vocabulary pertaining to familiar classroom items.

- Mme Joanne

PHYS ED

Music

At Brock Corydon School we feel that music is a vital part of every student's education and contributes to deep and enduring student engagement. Music education develops unique, powerful, and multiple ways of perceiving, interpreting, knowing, representing, and communicating understandings about oneself and the world. Through music experiences, students have opportunities to think creatively, explore ideas and feelings, and develop emerging personal, cultural, and social identities. I look forward to working with your child in September, where we will begin to develop the skills necessary for making music as part of an ensemble, matching pitch with increasing accuracy and singing expressively.

Students in Grades 1 to 3 will have three 30-minute classes per 6 day cycle.

Students in Grades 4 to 6 will have two music classes and one choir session per 6-day school cycle.

Intermediate Choir

Choir will take place in the gym once every 6-day school cycle with all of the Grade 4 to 6 students participating. I look forward to encouraging students to come together as a group, focusing on joyful singing with expression.

- Mme. Joanne

Welcome to Physical Education at Brock Corydon School!

Here at Brock Corydon we want all students to have a rich and diverse experience with movement and physical health and wellness. Students will develop physical literacy, foundational movement skills as well as sport/team specific concepts. Individual practice, partner activities and sport lead up games will be introduced and used throughout the school year. This upcoming year we are excited to introduce an outdoor education block for Grades 1-6. Students will have the opportunity to be active and learn outdoors while participating in a variety of activities in our school field and the surrounding neighborhood. We are also excited to welcoming back intramurals such as soccer, skipping club, running club, and ultimate frisbee. These extra curricular clubs will run during lunch hours and are an option for students who are interested in brushing up on their skills, learning a new sport, and to be active throughout the day.

I can't wait to see you all in the gym and outside. I look forward to moving, together!

- Mrs. K

SCHOOL FUNDRAISING

Thank you to our families that supported our charitable fundraisers this year!

Our Bookmarks for Ukraine fundraiser raised \$546.35. Student Council did a fantastic job organizing for a great cause. Rooms 8 and P3 raised money for Wildlife Haven Rehabilitation Centre through their "Shabbat Box." Great job, students! And finally, our challah fundraiser brought in \$998.34 which will be donated to Harvest Manitoba.

We look forward to another year of supporting local charities!

PRICELESS FUN

*The City of Winnipeg is launching the **Summer 2022 Priceless Fun** brochure, which includes free recreation and leisure opportunities for children, youth and families. From drop-in Children's Free Play and Youth Action Centres to free swim...come join in the fun!*

View the Summer 2022 Priceless Fun brochure at winnipeg.ca/leisureguide



PATROL AWARD

Congratulations to our Grade 6 Patrols who were awarded Second Place in the South District of WSD! We are so proud of them! School Engagement Officers monitored and judged the School Patrols throughout the year on their performance and attention to detail. Our Officers awarded the patrols at our June assembly.





September 2022



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5 Labour Day No School	6 Day 1 Non-Instructional Day No Classes	7 Day 2 First Day of school for Gr 1-6 students N/K Interviews	8 Day 3 N/K Interviews	9 Day 4 Welcome Assembly 9:00 First day of classes for all Nursery and Kindergarten students
12 Day 5	13 Day 6 PAC Meeting 7:00	14 Day 1	15 Day 2	16 Day 3
19 Day 4 Non-Instructional Day No Classes	20 Day 5 Meet N' Mingle 5:45—6:45 p.m.	21 Day 6	22 Day 1	23 Day 2 September Assembly 9:00
26 Day 3 Rosh Hashanah	27 Day 4 Rosh Hashanah	28 Day 5	29 Day 6 Orange Shirt Day	30 National Day of Truth and Reconciliation No School