

Dear Families,

August 2011

As Co-Chairs of the Leo Baeck Parents' Association (LBPA), we would like to welcome you back to an exciting year at school. We have been working diligently with our committees of parent volunteers in preparing for a year filled with great opportunities for parents and children.

The LBPA is group of volunteer parents, who oversee, manage and administer services, programs and events for the school and raise money and awareness for both curricular and extracurricular activities.

- Lunch and Challah programs;
- After School Programs;
- Spirit Events (BBQ, Skate Day, Feb Event...);
- Bookfair; and
- School Calendar

We are pleased once again to offer a tasty, healthier 3 day lunch program that provides less waste as we are continuously striving to create a more eco friendly school environment.

As well, plans are currently underway for some terrific events this year that both kids and parents will enjoy. Be sure to tune in to Baeckids for more details. Also we hope you are able to join us for our Annual Back to School BBQ's:

SOUTH CAMPUS- Thursday **September 8, 6-8**

NORTH CAMPUS- Wednesday **September 7, 6-8**

Please make sure to read the LBPA Volunteer Services Guide which provides information on all volunteer opportunities within the LBPA for the entire year. The Guide and various forms listed below can be found and printed from the Leo Baeck website

at

www.leobaeck.ca.

Please be sure to print the following forms that need to be handed into the school office by Friday September 9.

- 1) *Volunteer Services Guide with Volunteer Form attached;*
- 2) *Lunch Program Information, Lunch Program Menu and Lunch Program Order Form;*
- 3) *Challah Program Order and Volunteer Forms;*
- 4) *After School Programs and Registration Forms;*
- 5) *Car Pool Form;*

Please feel free to contact us anytime. We welcome your questions and suggestions and look forward to an exciting year.

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