



**MEADOWRIDGE  
SCHOOL**

August 1, 2017

Dear Meadowridge Families:

It is hard to believe that the new school year is about to begin. I hope you and your family are having a great summer and are looking forward to another exciting year. Our mission continues to be “Learning to live well, with others and for others, in a just community” and we will work toward this by developing the attributes of the IB Learner Profile in our daily lives.

The PYP faculty and staff are preparing for another great year. We are fortunate to have most of our faculty returning for another year, although some in different teaching positions. We also welcome Mrs. Shawn Dyer as our third Junior Kindergarten teacher, Mr. Nathan Horne as PYP PHE teacher and Ms. Madeleine Campbell teaching Grade 5 Art this year.

<p><u>Homeroom Teachers:</u> Junior Kindergarten: Mrs. Johns, Mrs. Kozol, Mrs. Shawn Dyer Kindergarten: Miss Warner, Miss Maynes Grade 1: Miss Pallister, Mrs. Pitzey Grade 2: Mrs. Dobie, Mrs. Carr Grade 3: Miss Vally, Mrs. Jamieson Grade 4: Mrs. Lum, Mrs. Chow-Go Grade 5: Miss Metz, Mr. Willms/Mrs. Neibergall, Mr. Diniz</p>	<p><u>Specialist Teachers:</u> JK-Grade 1 PE/French: Miss Gager Grade 1-5 French: Mrs. Sugden Grade 2-5 PE: Mr. Horne JK-K-Grade 1 Music: Miss Higginson Grade 2-5 Music: Mrs. Durno Grade 2-4 Art: Mrs. Neibergall Grade 5 Art: Ms. Campbell Librarian/PYP Coordinator: Mrs. Nicholson</p>
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There are a few upcoming dates which you will want to keep in mind:

- Class lists will be posted online and at the school by the end of the day on Monday, August 28<sup>th</sup>.
- To help with the transition for new Meadowridge families, we will be holding a New Student and Family Orientation on Thursday, August 31<sup>st</sup> from 10:00 AM to 11:45 PM.
- The first full day of school (Day 1) is Tuesday, September 5<sup>th</sup>.
- The PYP Curriculum/Meet the Teacher Evening will be held on Wednesday, September 13<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM.
- The PYP House Picnic Day (Kindergarten to Grade 5) will be held on Thursday, September 14<sup>th</sup>.

We are looking forward to a wonderful 2017-18 school year. I hope you enjoy the rest of your summer.

Sincerely,

Terry Donaldson  
Director of Primary Years Programme (PYP)