



**Annette Street Public School
High Park Alternative School**

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Nancy Keenan, Principal Edita Tahirovic, Vice-Principal

Dear Parents/Guardians,

We continue to face challenges around safe drop off and pick up of our students on both Clendenan and Jennings Ave. Yesterday I received an email from a parent very upset about an SUV that ran the stop sign at the corner of Clendenan and Jennings, dropped their child and then proceeded to do a 3 point turn on Jennings Ave. At the time his child was running toward the corner and had she not stopped or turned at the corner there may have been a very different outcome.

Please drive slowly and carefully if you must drive to school. U turns and 3 point turns are not permitted at any time. A parent at HPAS along with the HPAS and ASPS School Councils have started a letter writing campaign which is being sent to the Trustee, Superintendent and City Councillor to join with us to create a school safety zone. If you would like to become more involved with the committee looking at improving safety, please contact either school office. Taking the extra time to slow down, drive extra cautiously and help ensure the safety of our community.

Roofing – Thank you for your patience and understanding as we have our school roof repaired. We are hopeful that there are only a couple of days left when the roofers need to use asphalt! Getting work done is dependent on weather. They hope to work Friday and Monday to complete this part of the project. Air quality tests are done on the days that asphalt is used and so for all results have been well within normal range.

Drain work – Next week there will be 2 days when they will be repairing the clogged drain in the middle of the baseball field. The area will be fenced off with a 6 foot high fence to allow the work to be complete and to keep the students safe.

Hopefully we will be enjoying warm weather soon and this work will be well behind us.

Thank you.

Nancy & Edita
