





## **DECEMBER NEWSLETTER**

Just a reminder that the December Newsletter will be sent out on Friday, December 18<sup>th</sup>. Keep your eyes peeled for another wonderful instalment.





## **CWSA GIVES – Winter Donation Drive**



This holiday season Claude Watson is organizing a gift card drive. We will be collecting gift cards to be donated to **Eva's**. **Eva's** provides shelter, housing and support for young people aged 16 to 24. We are excited to be able to contribute and help support Eva's.

Please click on the link to learn more about **Eva's**: https://www.evas.ca/

All gift cards will be accepted. Some suggestions are gift cards from grocery stores, Amazon, WalMart, Sport Chek, Shoppers Drug Mart, H&M, fast food gift cards etc.

If you would like to donate gift cards, we would like everyone to follow these steps:

- Please send gift cards in with your child.
- Your child can place the gift card in the designated collection box in the office.
- Your child will be asked to fill out a thank you card. These cards will be on display by the office as well.
- We will be accepting gift cards in the office until <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>December 16th</u>. This
  will allow time to deliver the donations so that they can be distributed to the recipients
  prior to the holidays.

Thank you in advance for your generosity.

## National Day of Remembrance and Action on Violence Against Women - December 6

On December 6, TDSB students and staff mark the National Day of Remembrance and Action on Violence Against Women. Established in 1991 by the Parliament of Canada, this day coincides with the anniversary of the death of 14 young women who were tragically killed on 6 December, 1989, at l'École Polytechnique in Montreal because of their gender. On this national day of remembrance, we honour the memory of these women and reflect on the ways that gender violence continues to affect us.

