

OCTOBER NEWS



Halloween Things: It is hard to believe that October has already come and gone! Our final HOORAY for the month comes next week with Halloween!

On Tuesday we will have a school-wide costume parade so everyone can enjoy the time and energy our students have put into creating their characters this year, followed by a dance at lunch.

REMINDER that costumes MAY NOT HAVE WEAPONS, and please do your best to make sure your items are LATEX FREE. As a follow up to a late night, Wednesday will be Pajama Day.

Winter is Coming: Fall is in full swing and TEMPERATURES ARE DROPPING. Please make sure your children are wearing & bringing appropriate outerwear. We have several lunchtime activities throughout the week but students choosing not to participate in those are expected to be outside. If the conditions seem too cold, a call will be made at lunch to let students know it will be an inside day, *but when the temperature is -12 or above expect to be outside.*

If you need a little help outfitting your children in winter gear, we can help! Please send me an email and I'll get size information from you so we can keep those little bodies warm.



Artists in Schools performer Kellie Haines made an appearance last week. She delighted both primary and intermediate students with her ventriloquist, song, and dance skills.

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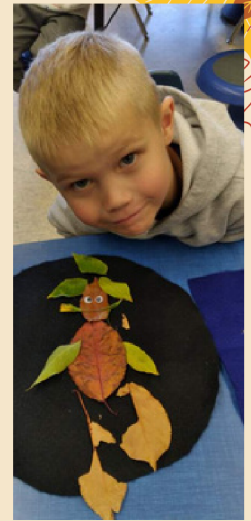
Pick up Monday, October 30th, 3:00 - 6:00pm
(in the gym)

Please make arrangements to come and get your orders and to deliver to your friends and family.



TAKE ME OUTSIDE

Many of our classes took advantage of the sunshine this month and went outside for learning. Whether it was a trip to the park, or an afternoon in the garden, students connected with the land and the beauty of nature through projects and experiences.



This month we saw the return of hot lunch! Huge thank you to the crew of parents that have been showing up to help with this endeavour. Full bellies are bellies ready for learning. Upcoming dates are

HOT LUNCH

Nov 8th (spaghetti & garlic bread)

Nov 22nd (chilli & fry bread)

Nov 29th (walking tacos!)

NOTES ON FOOD:

A reminder to students and families that the dollar store and 7-11 are off limits to students during school hours.

We have noticed an increase in students bringing junk food to school. Please send your child to school with a balanced lunch by limiting sugary items and treats.

Sugary drinks such as slushies, energy drinks and pop will NOT be permitted on school grounds will be disposed of.



SUNSHINE & SMILES!



Ms Joyner's class takes a tour of the invasive species truck.



ICE SKATING:
SKATING TRIPS HAVE BEGUN. WHEN MORE THAN ONE CLASS IS USING THE ICE, NO HOCKEY STICKS ARE PERMITTED.