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# November Newsletter 2023

Nov. 3 Nov. 6-17 Nov. 7 Nov. 13 Nov. 15 Nov. 16 Nov. 20 Nov. 22 Nov. 23 Nov. 23 Nov. 23 Nov. 24 Nov. 29 Nov. 29 Nov. 30 Nov. 30 Dec. 1 Dec. 4 Dec. 7 Dec. 8

PL Day- no school School Clothing on sale

Remembrance Day Assembly 10:30am

Remembrance Day Holiday observed (No school)

**Picture Retakes Day** 

Playground Committee Meeting at 6pm Homemade Mixes Fundraiser starts. Skating for 1/2M, 2B, 4/5A, 4/5J Skating for KS, KC, 2D and 3M

PSSC Meeting at 6:00 pm in the library

Dress Up Day- 50 cents

PL\Report Writing Day- no school for students.

**Drumming Presentation** 

Skating 1/2M, 2B

Birthday Cupcakes for November Birthdays

Skating KS, KC, 2D, 3M Skating 1C, 1R, 3/4K, 4M Report Cards released.

Student Progress Conferences 5-7pm Student Progress Conferences 9-11:30 am

No School for students

#### Remembrance Day Ceremony

On Tuesday, November 7<sup>th</sup> NES held their annual Remembrance Day ceremony at 10:30am. The student council, 1R, 2B, 3/4K, 4/5J and the choir performed. Layla McGuigan also recited a poem. Students placed a class wreath in the memory of those fallen at war. All students took part in the art contest sponsored by the Legion. Gr. 5 students were invited to take part in the essay or poem competition as well. Winners and prizes will be November 13<sup>th</sup> in honor of Remembrance Day.

## Report Cards

Teachers will be working on report cards for half the day on Nov. 24<sup>th</sup> and will be doing professional learning the other half of the day. Report cards will be issued on December 4<sup>th</sup> at the end of the day regarding your child's achievement. We are expecting to meet with all parents to touch base on December 7<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 pm-7:00 pm or on December 8<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am-11:30 am. Our appointments will be open house format. We will be sending appointment signgiven out at a later date. There will be no school on up sheets home as we get closer to the dates. There will be no school for students on December 8th.



#### Student Council

The student council will hold a dress up day the last Thursday or Friday of each month. We bumped October's dress up day to November 2<sup>nd</sup> due to the busyness of Halloween. Students were invited to pay 50 cents to dress up like their parents/guardians. Best dressed went to Fletcher and Frankie Nason. The November dress up day will be Teacher/Student Swap Day and will take place on November 23<sup>rd</sup>. On this day teachers can dress up like students and students like teachers. We will award a prize for best dressed for those paying the participation fee of 50 cents. Students may take part without paying but will not be considered for a prize.

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#### **Cross Country Run**

The students placing in the recent Cross-Country Run from NES include:

Grade 3 boys

4<sup>th</sup> - Westin Christie

Grade 3 girls

1st - Gracie Chase

5<sup>th</sup> - Jennifer MacDonald

Grade 4 boys

3<sup>rd</sup>- Shawn Rogers

Grade 5 girls

1st - Winrey Staples

Grade 5 boys

4<sup>th</sup> - Gideon Gonzales-Mozer

Congratulations to all!

#### Skating

Students will be going skating 4 times this year with their class in December and during winter carnival week. A skating schedule and permission slip will be going home this week. Volunteers with Policy 701 and a Criminal Record Check are appreciated for tying skates and helping on the ice, especially with K-2 classes. There is a limited supply of skates at the school to be borrowed but this can be indicated on the form. Some hockey helmets are available at the rink, but a bicycle helmet will also work. We are happy to have this opportunity again!

#### **NES Healthy Minds**

We would like to thank our most recent donors: UNIFOR Local 219 and Arlene and Bob Small. We appreciate your continued support to our school! We provide food for students as needed as well as support new initiatives on our playground. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Priest at the school. 506-575-6000.

#### Kindergarten Registration

Our official kindergarten registration week was scheduled in early October, and we are excited to have 19 students registered so far. If you missed out on this event, there is still time to register. Please contact us at 575-6000.

#### **Christmas Concert**

Our concert is set for December 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am and a repeat at 12:30 pm. The theme will be Miracle on 34<sup>th</sup> Street. More info to come in December.

#### **November Birthdays**

Happy birthday this month to Rosie McKeil, Emmett Davidson, Georgia Dixon, Willow Cullins, Olivia Carr, Hunter Lapierre, Aubree Sharpe, Ryker Dore, Colton Krysiak, Javier Lewis, Willow Cottreau, Wyatt Corey, James DeMerchant, Davon Campbell, Bensen Travis, Logan Caterini, Bentley Cronkhite, Lennox Plumadore, Carson Rowe, Mialin Comeau, Judson Clark, Benjamin Bradley, Mlle Jackman, Mme Agrell, Miss Grant, and Mr. Graham. Students will receive a cupcake sponsored by J-Lynn's Independent Grocer on Nov. 30.

### **Playground**

The playground committee has been busy maintaining our outdoor classroom. Thanks goes out to our Fall Fun Night volunteers Melisssa Coughlan, Savannah Coughlan and Marylou Trail for working the canteen for us. The Homemade Mixes Campaign will run from Nov. 20<sup>th</sup> - Dec. 4<sup>th</sup>. Information will be going home soon on this fundraiser.

#### **Enrichment**

Students will have an opportunity to select an enrichment choice that will be offered over three 50-minute sessions in November and December. This is meant to give students an extension of the curriculum in a specific area. The students will choose from a list provided in mid-November. We are looking forward to this exciting opportunity!

#### **Picture Retakes**

Harvey Studios will be back at NES to do retakes on November 15<sup>th</sup> first thing in the morning. Please let the school know if your child needs to have retakes done.

#### **Drumming Presentation**

Goatworks will present drums from around the world and give a brief description of their design, cultural relevance and history, and a short demo during our assembly on November 29<sup>th</sup>. For the last half of the show students are invited to the front for some hands-on drumming.

#### On Sale

We will be selling NES merchandise from November 6<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup> with many selections to choose from. Orders will be in before Christmas. Order forms have been sent home and need to be filled out regardless of if the order was paid for online. Personalized items can be purchased but can only be indicated on the paper form.