



The Prowler

the news of the week
les nouvelles de la semaine



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Hadi, Bonjour and Hello,

Just a few things about Dress Up Day on Friday . . .

Please check out the info on this page about masks, "weapons" and treats from home. It's going to be an eventful weekend with Halloween and a time change. Some of these things can't be controlled 😊 but we want to give the kids their best chance of success each day next week. We do know that lots of sugar is not a great mix with learning. If children are bringing a treat to school from their goody bag we ask that they only bring one small one for recess and one small one for lunch. If children bring more than that, their teacher will hold onto it for them to bring home after school. Thanks for your help as we help kids grow their brains. And please remember – NO NUTS.

Please don't forget to do the Daily Health Check each morning. Thank you for working with us to keep everyone safe and healthy at McLeod.

It is our goal to work together with you and the kids to help our McLeod students become children and adults who can take on the world. Please feel free to contact the school if you ever have any questions or concerns. **WE'RE ALL IN THIS TOGETHER!**

Proud to be McLeod
Ms. L. Hart

COMING SOON:

- Oct 30: Dress-Up Day
- Nov 10: Remembrance Day Ceremony on TEAMS - 11:00
- Nov 11: Remembrance Day - No School
- Nov 16: PAC Meeting - 5:00
- Nov 20: Team Jersey Day



As dress-up day approaches, please remember that any treats brought to school must be NUT FREE. As well, we ask that students do not wear full face masks to school (mouth coverings are, of course, more than acceptable this year!) or bring any items that resemble a weapon. These things can scare our little ones and make it more difficult for us to monitor our playground safely. Thanks for your support.

TREATS AT SCHOOL

Due to COVID, we must ask that no homemade treats are brought to school to share. Store bought, individually wrapped treats are okay. Any treats that don't meet COVID guidelines will need to be sent back home. Thank you for your understanding.

SCHOOL BOARD OFFICE NEWS

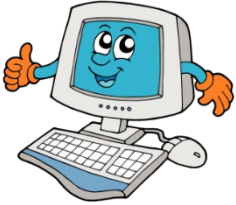
Have a great week!

BOARD MEETINGS

November 16, 2020

December 7, 2020

January 18, 2021



Check out our McLeod
website
<http://wlm.sd91.bc.ca/>



*Let's all use our WITS at home and at
school*



CONTACTING ME

Each year I ask parents to connect with me by text. I have great plans to be able send you all pictures of your kids doing great things around the school.

Turns out, I need to carry my phone around more to get that done. ☺ That being said, I really do like to be able to contact parents by text when needed. Please send me a text at 250-567-8539 so I can add you to my contacts.

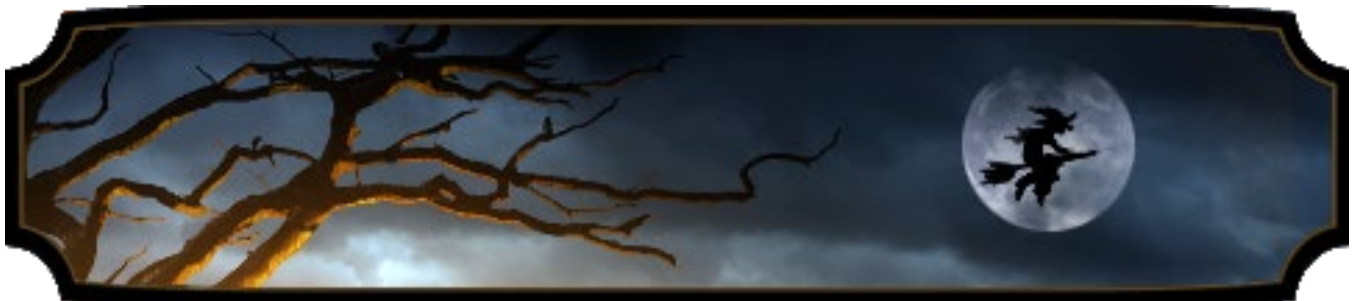
~Ms. Hart

Please have all items you'd like to add to the newsletter to Ms. Lindsay by **noon** on Tuesday's. Any submissions after noon will be put in the following week's newsletter. Please email lswanson@sd91.bc.ca

Thank you



**THANK YOU FOR REMEMBERING THAT
WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL**



Pumpkin Time!

Carve a Pumpkin!
Carve a scary pumpkin and take it to a local shop on Friday, October 30th, to be put on display for Halloween night!

Colouring Contest!
Sponsored by local businesses! Take your coloring pages to participating shops for prizes to be won!

Candy for Kids!
Local businesses are sponsoring candy bags to be handed out at schools on Friday, October 30th!

Hold that thought for the Pumpkin Walk
And pull your little ones near.
Creepy critters are still on the loose,
Halloween is coming, so cheer!

Prizes and candy from all our sponsors
For the spookiest pictures around.
Carve a pumpkin into a scary monster
Then take it to a shop in town.

The displays will have the whole town in fear
You may even hear a scream!
Keep your eyes wide for a candy surprise
At schools the day before Halloween!

SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR GENEROUS SPONSORS!

Vanderhoof Chamber of Commerce
Connecting Business and Community

CHECK OUT OUR FACEBOOK PAGE AND WEBSITE FOR PUMPKIN DISPLAY & COLORING PAGE PARTICIPANTS! WWW.VANDERHOOFCHAMBER.COM

PRINCE GEORGE
CANDY CRUISE
DONATE NOW-SAVE HALLOWEEN
WWW.CANDYCRUISE.CA

OCT 31 AT THE CN CENTRE

COUGARS IN PARTNERSHIP WITH: AARON SWITZER



The Prince George Cougars are excited to announce they are participating in the inaugural Candy Cruise Prince George on Halloween night. The Cougars have partnered with Aaron Switzer of RE/MAX Centre City Realty to bring Candy Cruise Prince George to the CN Centre. The event starts at 4:30 pm on Saturday, October 31st.

If you would like to help save paper and be added to our Newsletter email list, please send your email address to lswanson@sd91.bc.ca



T-Shirt orders due November 13th!

Form attached to the back of the newsletter 😊

Daily Health Check

1. Key Symptoms of Illness*	Do you have any of the following key symptoms?	CIRCLE ONE	
	Fever	YES	NO
	Chills	YES	NO
	Cough or worsening of chronic cough	YES	NO
	Shortness of breath	YES	NO
	Loss of sense of smell or taste	YES	NO
	Diarrhea	YES	NO
	Nausea and vomiting	YES	NO
2. International Travel	Have you returned from travel outside Canada in the last 14 days?	YES	NO
3. Confirmed Contact	Are you a confirmed contact of a person confirmed to have COVID-19?	YES	NO

If you answered “YES” to one of the questions included under ‘Key Symptoms of Illness’ (excluding fever), your child should stay home for 24 hours from when the symptom started. If the symptom improves, your child may return to school when they feel well enough. If the symptom persists or worsens, seek a health assessment.

If you answered “YES” to two or more of the questions included under ‘Symptoms of Illness’ or your child has a fever, seek a health assessment. A health assessment includes calling 8-1-1, or a primary care provider like a physician or nurse practitioner. If a health assessment is required, your child should not return to school until COVID-19 has been excluded and symptoms have improved.

When a COVID-19 test is recommended by the health assessment:

- ☐ If the COVID-19 test is positive, your child should stay home until you are told by public health to end self-isolation. In most cases this is 10 days after the onset of symptoms. Public health will contact everyone with a positive test.
- ☐ If the COVID-19 test is negative, your child can return to school once symptoms have improved and they feel well enough. Symptoms of common respiratory illnesses can persist for a week or more. Re-testing is not needed unless you develop a new illness.
- ☐ If a COVID-19 test is recommended but is not done because you choose not to have the test, or you do not seek a health assessment when recommended, and symptoms are not related to a previously diagnosed health condition, your child should stay home from school until 10 days after the onset of symptoms, and then they may return if they are feeling well enough.

If a COVID-19 test is not recommended by the health assessment, your child can return to school when symptoms improve, and they feel well enough. Testing may not be recommended if the assessment determines that the symptoms are due to another cause (i.e. not COVID-19).

If you answered “YES” to questions 2 or 3, use the COVID-19 Self-Assessment Tool to determine if you should seek testing for COVID19.

A health-care provider note (i.e. a doctor’s note) is not required to confirm the health status of any individual.



NOVEMBER 2020 MENU



Each meal is 5.00 (reg). or 6.00 (lg).

PLEASE PRE-ORDER AND PRE-PAY

***Pre-paid & pre-ordered meals of more than 10/mth receive a discounted rate of \$4.50/meal**

Student's name _____ **Teacher** _____ **\$** _____

If your child regularly receives a Hot Lunch, please check the menu for meals that they can not or will not eat. Please provide a lunch for your child on those days. Thank you

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Pork Roast 	3 Sausage & Eggs 	4 Perogy Casserole 	5 Chowmein & Springrolls 	6 Chicken Ranch Wraps 
9 Pork Cutlets in gravy 	10 French Toast  11:00 AM REMEMBRANCE DAY CEREMONY 	11  Remembrance DAY <i>We will always remember</i> (NO SCHOOL)	12 Baked Spaghetti 	13 Pork Adobo & Rice (Filipino pork & potato dish) 
16 Mac & Cheese 	17 Pancakes 	18 Ham & Cheese Buns 	19 Caramel Chicken 	20 Chicken Alfredo  TEAM JERSEY DAY 
23 Meatloaf  5:00pm PAC Meeting	24 Crepes 	25 Meatballs in Gravy 	26 Chicken Strips  Report Cards HOME 	27 PRO-D DAY (No School) 
30 Turkey Subs & Macaroni Salad 				



Proud to be McLeod T-Shirt Order Form

Name: _____ Teacher: _____

Short Sleeve: Youth \$20.00

SMALL MEDIUM LARGE X-LARGE

Long Sleeve: Youth \$23.00

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