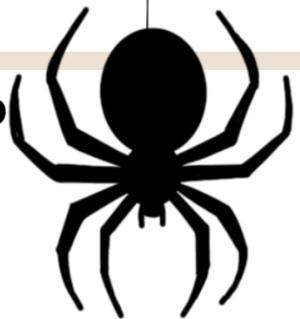


October 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3 Hot Lunch -- Pizza Bright Colors Day	4 Lego Club 2:50-4:00pm	5
6	7 German Exchange Partner here for a visit	8 Leadership Club 5 / 6-- First Recess	9	10 Hot Lunch -- Spaghetti Dress like a turkey day	11 PD Day	12
13	14 No School	15 Leadership Club 5 / 6-- First Recess	16 	17 Hot Lunch -- Pancakes and sausages Pj Day 4-6 Volleyball Tournament	18 Lego Club 2:50-4:00pm	19 
20 	21	22 Leadership Club 5 / 6-- First Recess	23	24 Hot Lunch -- Tacos Turn your shirt into a jack o lantern	25 Lego Club 2:50-4:00pm	26
27	28 	29 Leadership Club 5 / 6-- First Recess	30 	31 Halloween Hot Lunch -- Mummy dogs and spaghetti dogs 		



Vistor from Germany

This summer Miss. Corpataux went to Germany to learn about the German School System. On October 5 her exchange partner is coming to Canada and will spend some time at Botha School. She will be at the school the week of October 7 but she is also going to visit other schools within the division alongside Ms.Corpataux

PD and No school for Students

October 11, 14 and November 1

Leadership Club

Tuesday -- Morning Recess

The grade 5 /6 students have expressed interest in some leadership throughout the school year.

All activities will be for the whole school to participate in.

Fall Weather

Weather at this time of year is unpredictable but students are going to be outside so long as it stays above -25. Please ensure kids are coming to school with layers and appropriate clothing for the outdoors. Our recesses are 20minutes, which is a long time if you are not dressed for it.

Hot Lunch

- Oct. 3 -- Pizza
- Oct. 10 -- Spaghetti
- Oct. 17 -- Pancakes and sausages
- Oct. 24 -- Tacos
- Oct. 31 -- Mummy dogs and spaghetti Dogs

Parent Council Update

Hot lunch starts October 3 with Free Pizza.
 Hot lunch will be a variety of home cooked and local restaurant meals.
 Elected new board of directors at the last meeting
 Megan McPhee - President
 Carley Skocdopole - Vice President
 Treasurer - Alisha Quance
 Secretary - Michelle Hymers
 AGLC Liason - Rebecca Boxma
 Emeritus board members - Roxanne Wakefield, and Amanda Elder
 Upcoming Battery Drive Fundraiser date to be announced soon
 Next meeting date : October 23, 2024 @7pm

4-6 Volleyball

Big Valley has invited us to play some volleyball after school. If you are interested in being a volunteer driver please contact Ms. Corpataux. More information will be out soon.

After School Program

Reminder that the drop in fee is \$5.00 and Fridays is free for all students as it is run by The Family Resource Network.

Update on Pearl and Vito

They are going to be coming to our school; we are waiting on some paperwork. Hopefully mid October :)

Spirit Days

- October 2 -- Bright Colours Day
- October 9 -- Dress like a Turkey day
- October 16 -- PJ Day
- October 23 -- Turn your shirt into a jack-o-lantern
- October 30 -- Halloween Costumes

Halloween

Students can come dressed in their costumes but just know that they will be outside for two recesses and there is a risk to wrecking their costume, wiping of make up etc.
 There will be regular classes all day and the halloween activities start sometime after lunch More details will be sent out closer to halloween.

FOIP Forms

These have been sent to parents via KEV this year. Please sign into your KEV account and complete these forms asap. Thank you to those who have already gone in and completed the form.

If you are having issues, please let us know and we can provide a paper copy.

Swimming Lessons

We will be swimming in November, more information coming soon.

Terry Fox

Botha School raised \$905 .00 for Terry Fox this year! Way to go!!

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Celebrating the "Student of the Week" is a wonderful initiative that recognizes and honors students for their hard work, dedication, and positive contributions to the school community. This accolade not only boosts the morale of the chosen student but also inspires their peers to strive for excellence. The selection is based on various criteria such as academic performance, improvement, leadership skills, kindness, and school spirit. Being named "Student of the Week" offers students a moment to shine and encourages them to continue their efforts. It also fosters a positive school environment where achievements are celebrated, and students feel valued and motivated.

SEPTEMBER STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Everleigh M.
Everleigh G.
Mazy
Sylas
Amora
James
Kaden
Owen S.



WINNERS WHO TOOK FERDINAND THE BULL HOME FOR AN ADVENTURE