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LDSS News

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Wednesday November 2nd, 2022

Our Principal's Message



Welcome to November, which marks many **transitions** including weather, class Rotations, terms, presentations and activities.

As we move into colder **weather**, please encourage students to dress appropriately.

As we saw a few weeks ago, an evacuation alarm can go at any time. We do have Funds available through the **Student and Family Affordability Fund**. If your student needs support acquiring some warmer clothing for the season, please let a counsellor know.

Also related to **rising costs**, we all know that food prices are skyrocketing. This is reflected in a small increase in meal prices through the concession, however those prices

are still very reasonable.

All Grade 8 and 9 students have shifted into their **next rotation** which goes for 5-6 weeks. At the same time, **term one will end on November 10th**. Classes will continue while teachers prepare the **first formal report card** which will be mailed home November 22nd, if not before. With end of term, we also host **Ministry Assessments** for Numeracy 10, Literacy 10 and Literacy 12. Most students write these in January; however, we have a small number writing this week for various reasons.

Thank you to the parents and community members who assisted Mrs. Dubé with the first round of CLC **Grad Presentations**. That activity is an important step in our grade 12 students' reflection on their learning and preparation for adult life after high school.

Finally, a huge shout out to the parent committee and Ms. Dash for hosting an amazing **Halloween dance** for our students last Friday. The decorations, music and food were fantastic. Student attendance and behaviour was excellent. Your support for healthy activities for our youth is very much appreciated and makes this community strong.

As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to the school.

Remembrance Day Assembly

LDSS will be holding a Remembrance Day Assembly in the MPR at 11:00 on Thursday, November 10. Guests are welcome, although seating will be limited. If you have served our Country and would like to attend in uniform, we will have reserved seating and welcome you to arrive at 10:45. This also includes students who are members of organizations such as Cadets or Scouts. Please let us know if you would like to attend.

Thursday, November 10

11:00 – 11:30 am

(approximately)

LDSS Multipurpose Room



Superintendent's Report to the Board Regular Board Meeting of June 13, 2022

Superintendent Karla Mitchell presented the 'Superintendent's Report to the Board' at the October 24, 2022, Board Meeting.

Please click this [link](#) to view the report.



Halloween at LDSS

Students and staff showed their creative sides with some amazing costumes this past Monday. It was great to see so many different fun and inventive ideas brought to life. Thank you to Carrier Sekani Family Services for the Halloween treats they brought for students.



THANK YOU!

LDSS would like to thank our PAC, Parent Volunteers, Staff and Students who helped organize the Halloween Dance on Friday, October 28th. The students really enjoyed themselves and appreciated all the effort put in to making it such a huge success.

Junior and Senior Girls Volleyball Teams compete against NVSS

The Junior and Senior Volleyball teams competed against teams from NVSS (Vanderhoof) yesterday at home. The Junior Girls' won three of five games while the Senior Girls' won two of their five games. Thank you to all the volunteers who helped make these home games happen.



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*GREAT WAGES AND
BENEFITS

*NO PREVIOUS
EXPERIENCE REQUIRED
FOR MANY POSITIONS

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**LDSS
PAC
Corner**

Next PAC Meeting:

Tuesday, November 29th @ 6:30 pm

Contact the PAC Chair (Pam Higginson) at:

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LDSS UPCOMING DATES AND EVENTS

November 5 th	Junior Girls Volleyball Tournament at LDSS
November 8 th	iCubed Summit in Prince George
November 9 th	District Student Voice in Fraser Lake
November 10 th	School Remembrance Day Ceremony 11:00 am
	End of Term One
November 11 th	Remembrance Day - NO CLASSES
November 11-12 th	Junior Girls Volleyball Zones at Fort St. John
November 14 th	Start of Term Two
November 18-19 th	Senior Girls Volleyball Zones in Prince George
November 22 nd	Report Cards Mailed Home
November 25 th	Pro-D Day - NO CLASSES
November 29 th	PAC Meeting 6:30 pm
December 17 th – January 2 nd	Winter Break
January 3 rd	First Day Back After Winter Break
January 23 rd – 27 th	Assessment Week
January 27 th	Last day of Term Two and Semester One
January 30 th	Semester Turnaround Day – NO CLASSES
January 31 st	Semester 2 Begins
February 7 th	Report Cards Mailed Home
February 10 th	Pro-D Day – NO CLASSES
February 14 th – 16 th	Grad Photos
February 20 th	Family Day – NO CLASSES
March 18 th – April 2 nd	Spring Break