

The William Konkin Elementary School Newsletter

Keeping our school community informed



Principal's Message....November 9, 2023

Dear WKE Families,

We are grateful to all families who were able to join us for the Halloween Dance. Everyone had a wonderful time. A big thank you to members of the PAC who volunteered their time to get prizes and decorations, decorate the gym, create play lists and DJ, hand out snacks, man the ticket table, and clean up. Thank you to the many staff who came to enjoy the event with families and to Ms. Shively for running her popular face painting table.

If you ordered apples from PAC, unfortunately the minimum order was not reached so refunds have been issued. If you have not picked up your refund, please come get it from the main office. We will not send these home with students as we do not want your cash to get lost on its way home.

Parents and guardians are welcome to join us for the Indigenous Veterans' Day and Remembrance Day assembly on Thursday, November 9^{th} at 2:00 pm. This assembly was planned and will be hosted by Mr. Williams' Grade 6/7 Carrier Class.

Please note that Friday, November 10^{th} is a day off in observance of Remembrance Day. The next Friday with no classes is November 24^{th} , which is the last professional development day of 2023.

Science World will be presenting amazing hands-on science presentations in the gym on Wednesday, November 15th for all learners to experience and enjoy. Many of our classes are working weekly with Spirit North, getting out on the land to learn numeracy, literacy, physical health, and science lessons. We are grateful to be able to offer these experiences with the expert support of Spirit North.

Please let me know if we can do anything to support your child in their learning.

Continue to have a happy and healthy autumn.

Ms. Karie Evans, Principal









Bus Students & Parking Lot Safety

If your child is a bus student and may not be taking the bus one day because they are getting picked up, <u>PLEASE</u> call the office and let us know. This is for your child's safety and it is our responsibility to make sure your child gets home safely.

Please obey all the signs that are posted outside. Please do not use driving and bus lanes for drop off. Please use the crosswalks at either end of the parking lot, and walk up the sidewalks.

Thanks











Important Dates:

November 9—Indigenous Veterans & Remembrance Day Assembly 2PM

November 10—Observance of Remembrance Day: No School

November 13—School Board Meeting at 6PM in Vanderhoof at the School Board Office

November 15—Science World / K-3 at 9:35AM & Grades 4-7 at 10:55AM

November 24-Pro D Day / No School

November 29-SOAR Awards 2PM

December 1—Volleyball Tournament at Decker Lake School



School Board Meeting Monday, November 13, 2023 6:00 pm

School Board Office Vanderhoof, BC

Important Public Attendance Notice:

Members of the public are invited to attend Regular Meetings of the Board of Education.

Due to limited space and seating availability, please request your seat prior to noon on meeting day if you wish to attend in person.

Alternatively, members of the public may attend this meeting virtually through Microsoft Teams. To take advantage of this online attendance option, please visit

www.sd91.bc.ca/meeting-information for the Teams link.

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PAC Meeting and Message

Please join us for PAC meetings here at WKE. Our next PAC meeting is November 13 at 6:45PM.



November 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	<i>3</i>	4
5	6	7	8	9 Indigenous Vet- erans & Remem- brance Day As- sembly 2 PM	10 No School	11
12	13 SB Meeting 6 pm in Vanderhoof	14	15 Science World 9:35AM & 10:55AM	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24 Pro D Day / No School	25
26	27	28	29 SOAR Awards 2PM	30	1 Volleyball Tournament	



Contact Us

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