

November



MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

For those who have not heard, the School Secretary, Miss Grace, has begun her retirement. I would like to thank Miss Sabina for replacing her since March and welcome Miss Gloria Piperissa to her new role as School Secretary. All correspondence about school fees, registration and issues pertaining to the main building should now be directed to her. She can be reached at the same extension (6915), but emails should be addressed to gpiperissa@swlauriersb.qc.ca.

PARENT-TEACHER EVENING

Your child's teacher will soon be sending home a letter outlining their plans for the Parent-Teacher evening on Thursday November 22nd. Various formats will be taking place and more details will be sent in the coming days. Some teachers will be hosting student-led conferences and others will be having one-on-one interviews. Please watch your child's agenda in the coming days for a letter from their teacher(s).

POPPY CAMPAIGN

We will be participating in the Laval Schools' Poppy Campaign again this year. Our Grade 5 students will be selling poppies (and poppy stickers to younger students) to collect funds for the Royal Canadian Legion. We look forward to your support of this worthwhile initiative for our Veterans.



NEWS FROM PPO: SAVE THE DATE!



Please save the date of Sunday December 9th for our Holiday Breakfast. It will take place at the school. An official invitation will follow in the coming weeks.

CHOCOLATE FUNDRAISER

The last day to submit funds collected for the PPO Chocolate Fundraiser is Thursday, November 8th. Thank you for your participation. These funds will help subsidize students activities planned throughout the year.



SCHOOL FEES

You will soon be receiving a second invoice for school fees. This invoice will cover noon-hour supervision fees. The amount will be pro-rated depending on your daycare use (if any). Please send one CHEQUE PER CHILD, if you are not paying cash or online. Our system cannot process multiple accounts on the same cheque. Please be sure to write your child's name on the cheque.

PARENT CONCERNS

If you have concerns about something related to the classroom or curriculum, please contact your child's teacher first to remedy the situation. Only if the situation is not resolved, should you contact the Principal. There are links to everyone's emails on the school's website, www.stpaulelementary.ca

HOLIDAY FOOD DRIVE



Feeding the Community

We will be holding our annual food drive for underprivileged families and organizations during the first week of December. We will send home more information about requested items closer to the date.

SCHOOL BUS SERVICE

Please be reminded that students enrolled in Daycare are not permitted to take the bus on their daycare days. Sporadic changes between bus and daycare are not permitted, as per the SWLSB Transportation Policy. If your child registered for daycare, you may not request that they take the bus home on that day. If they are not attending daycare, they must be picked up.



EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Please take note of all of the activities being offered by our teachers this year. Many have begun already and the kids are having a blast. All of these activities have been presented to the students, so they are aware of what's being offered.

Board Games & Colouring Club

Grades 1 & 2
Mondays & Wednesdays
October-June



Petite Chorale
Grades 1, 2 & 3
Mondays
October-June

Lego Club

Grades 1 & 2
Tuesdays & Thursdays
October-May



Cardio Dance
K, 1 & 2 (sessions TBD)
Tuesdays
September-June

Minute to Win It

Grades 2
Wednesdays
October-May



RAK (Random Acts of Kindness) Club
Grades 1 & 2
Thursdays
October-June

Glee Club

Grades 4, 5 & 6
Mondays
September-June



Volleyball
Grades 5 & 6
Tuesdays & Thursdays
October-December

Readers' Theatre & Puppet Making

Grades 3, 4, 5 & 6
Tuesdays
September-April



Basketball

Grades 5 & 6
Tuesdays & Thursdays
January-March

Acti-Midi/Futsal

Grades 5 & 6
Wednesdays & Fridays
November-January



Art Club of Kindness

Grades 3, 4, 5 & 6
Thursdays
October-November

Green Team

Grade 4
Thursdays
September-June

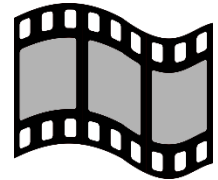


Talent Show

Grades 3, 4, 5 & 6
Fridays
October-April

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Grade 4
Fridays
October-June



Important Dates and INFORMATION

November 6th: Grad Committee

November 9th: Pedagogical Day

November 15th: Governing Board

November 22nd: Parent-Teacher Night

November 23rd: Pedagogical Day

November 27th: PPO Meeting

November 30th: Pedagogical Day