soaring into march

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What's coming up

March

- 8th Report Cards go home
 9th Parent Teacher Interviews
 10th Parent Teacher Interviews
 11th Last day of School
- 12-28th March Break
- 29th First Day Back

April

2nd Good Friday No School5th Easter Monday, No School20th PAC Meeting

<u>Mildred Hall</u> Intergenerational Garden

Have a passion for gardening? Interested in helping the students with food security? We're looking for a parent to help co-ordinate watering and weeding of the student garden plots this spring/summer.

Contact the office if you'd like to help! 873-5811



Principal's Corner

As we round the corner from a cold winter and slowly head into spring, we will be heading outside a lot more as the weather warms up. Our mornings are often still quite chilly, so please remember to send students to school dressed warmly! You could hear the cheers through the school when we were finally able to announce an outdoor recess last week!

Our students have been working on a "Kindness Blitz" this month. We have set a school goal of 1000 random acts of kindness and are close to 75% of our goal!! It has been so nice to see our students trying to be kind and looking for ways to fill someone else's bucket!

Parent Teacher Interviews

Due to our limitations with Covid, our parent teacher interviews will remain similar to the first term. We encourage you to sign up for a phone interview with your child's teacher.

These interviews are available on Tuesday, March 9th from 3:45-7 pm and Wednesday, March 10th from 3:45-7 pm. Please connect with your child's teacher or the office to set up this time. We value your communication with the school as we work together to support our students.

Report cards go home on Moday March 8th.

JK/K Early Registration

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Registration is open for Junior Kindergarten and Kindergarten for the 2021-2022 school year. Watch the following <u>video</u> to see what our school and programs have to offer your child! If you don't receive a digital copy of our newsletter, you can look on our Facebook page for the video link! If you missed the virtual open house and would like more information please contact the school at 873-5811.

Dene Law for March :

Young girls and boys should behave respectfully

Through respect, we learn others' stories and can grow. We see how others walk and find compassion. Being polite and kind to each other shows that we care about ourselves and those around us.



Wiilideh Phrase of the Month...

This month we are continuing to learn our colours!



Pink Shirt Day February 24th, 2020



Grade 3 Traditional Games Camp



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5/6Mac participating in Classroom Champions

Grade 5/6 MacNeil had a Zoom meeting with Ron MacLean, Willie O'Ree, Prime Minister Trudeau, Sarah Nurse and a few other guests. They were the only class in the NT to get this exciting opportunity. They learned about the "Willie Lessons" which is a platform for teachers, parents, and fans to learn more about social justice and racism using life lessons from Willie O'Ree, the first Black athlete to play in the NHL.



Junior Kindergarten Fish Camp











Red, White, and Pink Day!



Grade 1C Art Class heads outside



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Covid Corner

Thank you for being so diligent in the screening of your children each day. A reminder that:

- 1) A student with **ONE minor symptom must stay home for 24 hours**. If they are better within 24 hours, they may return to school. If they are not better or are worsening, they must call public health for next steps.
- 2) A child with **ONE Major or TWO or MORE minor symptoms must stay home** and call public health for next steps.

Please use the screening tools to screen your children each day before they come to school. Many thanks for your continued support to keep our students and staff safe and healthy at school!



COVID-19 INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS Daily Symptom Screening Tool

1. Has your child travelled outside of the NWT, or had close contact with anyone who has travelled outside of the NWT in the past 14 days?

Has your child had close contact with anyone who is showing symptoms of COVID-19, is awaiting a COVID-19 test result, or has tested positive for COVID-19 in the past 14 days?

If the answer is YES to one or both questions above, please keep your child at home and contact public health for next steps. If the answer to both questions is NO, move to Step 2.

Does your child have ONE or more of the following symptoms?



difficulty breathing or smell

If your child has ONE or more of these symptoms, please keep them at home and contact public health for next steps. If your child has none of these symptoms, move to Step 3.

You can find your local public health phone number here: https://www.hss.gov.nt.ca/en/hospitals-and-health-centres

My local public health/health centre phone number:

Use this COVID-19 screening tool with your child every morning before going to school.

3. Does your child have ANY of the following symptoms?



If your child has ONE of the following symptoms, please keep your child home for 24hrs. If the symptom improves within 24hrs, they can go back to school. If the symptom does not get better or worsens, contact your local health care provider for next steps.

If your child has TWO or more of the following symptoms, please keep them at home and contact public health or your local health care provider for next steps.

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March 2021						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Traditional Games Start	2 High School visits Grade 8's	3	4	5 Pizza Day	6
7	8 Report Cards go home	9 Parent Teacher Interviews 3:45-6:45	10 Parent Teacher Interviews 3:45-6:45	11 Follow Friday Schedule	12 <mark>No School</mark>	<mark>13</mark> Spring Break
14 Spring Break	15 Spring Break	<mark>16</mark> Spring Break	17 Spring Break	<mark>18</mark> Spring Break	19 Spring Break	20 Spring Break
21 Spring Break	22 Spring Break	23 Spring Break	24 Spring Break	25 Spring Break	26 Spring Break	27 Spring Break
28 Spring Break	29 School starts	30	31			

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Parent/Guardian Signature:						