TREMBLAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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COLD WEATHER

As the weather now gets colder, it is recommended that students come to school with a jacket, toque and mitts.

Dates To Remember:

Sep 30- National Day for Truth and Reconciliation (No classes in session).

Oct. 4- Missed Photo Day Oct. 14th Thanksgiving Monday- Schools Closed.

Oct. 23- PAC meeting 6:00pm Oct 25th - NID (No classes)

Oct. 28 -31- Halloween musical chairs events and costume parade.

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AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Tremblay Elementary after-school programs, in partnership with the City of Dawson Creek, commenced in Sept. 2024. Activities are open to students in grades 4-7. If you would like any information regarding after school programs, please contact the school as space is limited. Art classes are held on **Tuesdays**, while sports activities will be on **Thursdays**. There will be calendars available in the office for interested students. So far, the activities have proven to gain plenty of student interest!

Bell Schedule

9:00am – Morning bell – classes start

10:20am - Primary recess

10:35am - Primary Recess Ends

10:40am –intermediate recess

10:55am – Intermediate Recess Ends

12:10pm – Lunch begins (group 1 - outside to play, then inside to eat – group 2 – Inside to eat, then outside to play)

12:40pm – Lunch ends, classes resume

2:40pm- Afternoon bell – Class dismissal

Tremblay Focus Groups

Our focus groups start again on October 1st and will run Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 1:35 to 2:25.

Hallowe'en 2024 at Tremblay Elementary

In the last full week of October, students will participate in the annual Tremblay Halloween musical chairs event. Then, on **October 31** st, students are asked to bring their costumes to school to put on after lunch. They will then participate in a costume parade in the gymnasium. Students will then return to classes and Halloween classroom festivities will be decided by the classroom teacher. We ask that students do not wear their costumes to school. Students will be given time to put their costumes on shortly after lunch. If students require face paint for their costumes, they are able to wear their face paint in the morning so parents can put it on before they come to school. Thanks for your cooperation!

Tremblay Elementary P.A.C.

PAC (Parent Advisory Council) is the officially recognized collective voice of parents of their school. PACs are forums within each school community to discuss matters affecting your school and the education of your children. Parents' voices are a tremendous value to their school. They offer a wealth of ideas and support in the challenges that face all public schools. Meetings are held once a month. PACs strive to represent the diversity within their communities and contribute to the benefit of all students by providing opportunities to educate and inform parents about the school. PACs involve parents in volunteer activities, and openly discuss parents' concerns and aspirations for their schools. There are PAC positions available for Tremblay Elementary. Please contact Durinda Hawkins, PAC President for more info. PAC meets on October 23rd@ 6:00 pm in the Tremblay Library. Participants can also join over Zoom.

Foundations Skills Assessment Oct. 1 - Nov. 8

The Foundation Skills Assessment is an annual province-wide assessment of all B.C. students' academic skills in grades 4 and 7, and provides parents, teachers, schools, school districts and the ministry with important information on how well students are progressing in the foundation skills of Literacy and Numeracy. For more info, please visit:

https://curriculum.gov.bc.ca/sites/curriculum.gov.bc.ca/files/pdf/assessment/fsa/en-foundation-skills-assessment-for-parents-and-caregivers.pdf

Mme Lauzé's Library Corner...

We have been busy in the library already! Students have borrowed their first books and were introduced to our Tremblay home reading program, supported by our wonderful P.A.C. If you have not received a home reading sheet, please see me and I will make sure to send one home. Students will learn how to access Sora, an amazing online library provided by the School District. If your child already knows how to use it, please go ahead and continue using this powerful resource. We are just waiting on a few permission forms still to go ahead with school wide instruction for Sora. I am pleased to announce that Library Club is starting again! If your child is interested, please make sure to sign the permission form that will be sent home shortly. The first day of library club will be Thursday. October 3rd from 2:40 to 3:30. Happy reading!

Welcame BACK TO SCHOOL FROM OUR PAC

HELLO!

The Tremblay PAC meets once every month. Parents offer a wealth of ideas and support for all public schools, and your input is important! PAC meetings are available by Zoom if you aren't able to come in person. Children are always welcome at all meetings as well.

WHAT WE FUNDED LAST

- 3 classes to go to gymnastics lessons
- book rewards for students in reading club
- Kindergarten graduation
- grade 7 grad gifts
- bussing fees for Gwillim
- movie day
- Fun day
- and more!

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Next Meeting - October 23rd @ 6PM in the school library WE WOULD LOVE TO SEE YOU

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OCT 2024

IREMBLAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL- LUNCH MENU

NOS	NOW	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4	2
		Grilled cheese sandwich	Macaroni & cheese	Chicken fingers on a bun	Hot dogs	
9	2	8	6	10	11	12
	Baked spaghetti & garlic toast	Cheese burger	Ham sandwich	Chicken vegetable soup & bun	Hot dogs	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Thanksgiving Day - No School	Grilled cheese sandwich	Chicken fingers on a bun	Hamburger soup with a bun	Hot dogs	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	Macaroni & cheese with a bun	Chili with garlic toast	Turkey wrap	Hot dogs	NID Day- No School	
27	28	29	30	31	1	
	Grilled ham & cheese sandwich	Beef barley soup with a bun	Cheese burger	Chicken fingers on a bun	Hot dogs	

^{\$2.00} cost for Menu Item with a drink (milk, choc milk, orange or apple j