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MONTHLY NEWS

GOVERNOR SEMPLE SCHOOL

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Dear Governor Semple School Families,

We have been experiencing an increase in students arriving late to school and being picked up late after school. Please remember these important times in our school day to ensure that disruptions in learning are minimized and students are properly supervised when here :

8:55 - First Bell (Entry)

9:05 - First period begins (Teachers are expected to have attendance done by this time so it is important that children arrive and are in class before this time)

10:35 - Nutrition Break

10:55 – Recess

11:30 – Kindergarten Pick Up

1:00-1:55 - Lunch

3:30- End of day (Children on pick up should be picked up by 3:30)

Thank you!



“Growing Strong Stems-Supporting Science, Technology, Engineering and Math Concepts in the Early Years

Friday, November 2, 2018 from 9:30 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

Bookmates

Seven Oaks Adult Learning Centre, 950 Jefferson Avenue

Free Registration, Spaces are limited. Lunch provided.

This workshop is designed to share practical skills, tips and resources for implementing STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) learning into early childhood settings.

Please contact Cathy Horbas at cathy.horbas@7oaks.org to register. Please indicate any food allergies or sensitivities.

“Childhood: There’s No App For That!”

Wednesday, Nov. 27, 2018 from 6:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m. @ Constable Edward Finney, 25 Anglia Ave.

This is a presentation designed for parents and caregivers who have young children. Discussion will focus on family literacy inspired strategies to help manage screen time use. Highlights include:

- How screen time affects the developing brain Literacy and learning implications
- Behavioral repercussions of increased screen exposure
- Strategies and practical applications to effectively manage screen time use in a family literacy context

Please contact Cathy Horbas at cathy.horbas@7oaks.org for more information

NO SCHOOL ON THE FOLLOWING DAYS:

November 30th, Friday—Parent/Teacher Conf.	March 25-March 29—Spring Break
December 24/18-Jan. 4/19—Winter Break	April 19th, Friday—Good Friday
February 1st, Friday—School PD Day	April 26th, Friday—PD Day
February 18th, Monday—Louis Riel Day	May 17th, Friday—School PD Day
March 15th, Friday—Parent/Teacher Conf.	May 20th, Monday—Victoria Day
	June 7th, Friday—School PD Day

Friday, November 2nd, Picture orders due in the office

Sunday, November 4th—Daylight Saving time ends— Turn your clocks back

REMEMBRANCE DAY ASSEMBLY -Thursday, November 8th @ 9:45 a.m.

Everyone is welcome to attend.

Thursday, November 15th— Retakes

Sunday, Nov.18th—Christmas Craft & Bake Sale-West St. Paul School 10:00-4:00

Sunday, Nov. 18th— Red River Community Craft Sale—12-4:00p.m.-293 Murray Ave.

Thursday, November 29th, evening—Parent/Teacher Conferences

Friday, November 30th, no school & Parent/Teacher Conferences



REMINDERS

The cold weather is coming! Please make sure that you are helping your child/ren dress appropriately for the weather. Children should have:

- *Mittens/gloves Ski pants*
- *Toques Boots*
- *Jackets*



Please also consider sending extra mittens and socks so children have dry options if their first pair gets wet.

- A reminder that Governor Semple still collects tabs from the tops of aluminum cans. These tabs are donated to schools in the division who are working towards helping build equipment for children in need.
- We are also still collecting batteries to be recycled