

# Barkers Point School

NEWSLETTER NO. 2

OCTOBER 2020



Autumn has officially arrived and the air is cool and crisp in the mornings. It is the time of year when we see mittens and gloves during mid-morning play periods.

As it warms up through the day these items are no longer needed and many become misplaced. Please remember to label your child's clothing and remind them to bring these items home each day.

## School Safety Week

School Safety Week is being held from October 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>. Activities are planned throughout the week to teach our students the importance of safety and the procedures to follow during an emergency. The following is an outline of the week's activities:



**Monday** – Fire Drill (announced)

**Tuesday** – School Picture Day (no special safety activities planned for today)

**Wednesday** – School Evacuation to Corbett Avenue Wesleyan Church (due to the COVID restrictions we will be walking to the church parking lot only).

**Thursday**- School Lockdown & Fire Drill (unannounced)

**Friday**- Bus Evacuation & Dino Bus Presentations

If you have any questions or concerns regarding School Safety Week please feel free to contact a member of the administration.

## Parent School Support Committee

Barkers Point School PSSC held its first meeting on October 14th. The following parents make up the PSSC:

Courtney Rickard	Parent- Chair
Emily Hayward	Parent
Jennifer Keizer	Parent
Marc Cabot	Parent -Vice Chair
Laura Greer	Parent /Home& School Rep.
Jon Brown	Parent
Gabriella Chase	Parent
Carrie Shepherd	Parent
Jane Buckley	DEC Rep.
Tayne Moore	Vice Principal
Jennifer Ward	Principal

## School Pictures

School Pictures for the 2020-2021 school year will be held on Tuesday October 20<sup>th</sup>. Harvey Studios will be taking



your son/daughters pictures on this date. Students who are absent on this date will have an opportunity to have their picture taken on RETAKE day. This date has yet to be scheduled.

Moore at 453-5402. This will ensure we have set up the correct amount of seats while also following our safety protocols for COVID-19.

### Nut-Free School

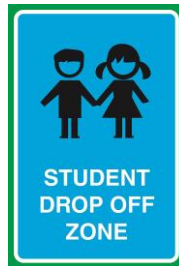


Barkers Point School Staff work very hard to ensure all students are safe. Please refrain from sending any peanuts or tree nuts to school in your child's lunch; this

includes NUTELLA. Thank you so much for your cooperation.

### School Drop Off/Pick Up

Thank you to all families for helping our drop off zone run smoothly each day. Please remember, if you would like to park your car and walk your child to the door you can use the parking lot beside the wading pool.



Additionally, the parking lot on the other side of the school is for STAFF only. This is **not** a safe drop off or pick up area.

### Home & School Coffee Fundraiser



Thank you so much to all families who supported the BPS Home & School Association Coffee Fundraiser. It was a huge success. The

next meeting will be held on November 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm. If you would like to join this awesome group please contact Mrs. Ward OR Tayne

### Important Dates to Remember

**Oct. 19<sup>th</sup>** – 23<sup>rd</sup> Safe Schools Week

**Oct. 20<sup>th</sup>** – School Picture Day

**Oct. 30<sup>th</sup>** – Professional Learning Day for all ASD-W staff – no classes for students