

Liverpool Street School

NEWSLETTER NO. 2

OCTOBER 2017



October has arrived and overnight the temperatures have gone from over 30 degrees to 9 degrees. Fall is here and with it comes the cool, crisp mornings.

Children have begun to wear gloves and sweaters in order to stay warm during outside play periods. It is important for children to dress in layers for the varied temperatures throughout the day; however, clothing often gets left outside on the playground. Please place your child's name on their clothing; this will help us find their owner.

Professional Learning Days

All staff will be involved in Professional Learning during the afternoon of Tuesday, October 24th. Classes will be dismissed at 11 am on this date.



Cross Country



Liverpool Street School has over one hundred students participating in Cross Country. There are two races left; one is this Wednesday, October 4th at New Maryland Elementary School. The final race of the season is being held at Nashwaaksis Middle School on

Wednesday, October 11th. If your child is participating in Cross Country you are required to pick them up at the field by 2:10 the day of the race.

Halloween Howl

Our annual Halloween Howl is being held on Friday, October 27th from 5:00 pm – 6:45 pm. Once again this year we are selling wrist bands instead of tickets. One wrist band will gain admittance into all games. Food is the only thing not covered by the wrist bracelets. You can pre-order your bracelet by sending in the bottom portion of the pink form which is being sent home today. Please note: Each bracelet is \$10; however, if you have more than two children any additional bracelets will be \$5. Children 5 and under bracelets are \$5.



If you are able to volunteer some of your time to the Halloween Howl it would be very much appreciated. Please contact Sandi Boles at 453-5434.

Late Arrivals



We have a large number of students who are arriving after the bell rings at 8:15 am. If your child is late on a regular basis we would appreciate you trying to get to school

earlier. The first ten minutes in the morning is used for the class to get organized for the day; when your child arrives late it disrupts the entire class. Thank you so much for helping to make each instructional minute count.

Popcorn Sales



We will be holding two popcorn sales in the month of October. The first will be held on Thursday, October 12th and the second will be held on Thursday, November 9th. If

your child would like to order popcorn please have the money to the school the day BEFORE the sale; this will ensure we have enough for each students who orders. Each bag is \$1.

Home & School Meeting

The Home & School will hold their next meeting on Monday, October 16th. The time of the meeting is scheduled for 5:30 pm in Mr. Burrell’s classroom. New members are ALWAYS welcome.



PSSC

The Parent School Support Committee will meet on Monday, October 16 at 6:15 pm. The members of the 2017-2018 committee are:

Jason Gillis	Chair
Karen MacAlpine	Co-Chair
Lisa Murphy	Parent
Mary Whiteside Lantz	Parent
Sean Daley	Parent

Diana McCabe	Community Rep.
Eva Shan Chen	Parent
Sneha Rathore	Parent
David Burrell	Vice Principal
Jennifer Ward	Principal
Terry Pond	DEC Rep.

Safe Schools Week

Safe Schools Week is being held from October 16th to 20th. The school wide activities planned for the week are:

Monday, October 16th	Playground Evacuation
Tuesday, October 17	Announced Fire Drill
Wednesday, October 18th	School Bus Evacuation
Thursday, October 19th	School Evacuation & Unannounced Fire Drill
Friday, October 20th	School Lock Down

*We will also have daily SAFETY announced each morning during the announcements.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact a member of the administration at 453-5434 or your child’s teacher.

Boys & Girls Club Breakfast

The Boys & Girls Club offers breakfast for students every morning starting at 7:45 am. If you would like for your child to be able to take part please contact the office and we will send home a permission slip. Everyone is welcome to come!!



Keeping Kids Safe and Active

Walk Safe:

- Teach kids at an early age to look left, right and left again before crossing a road.
- Cross the street at corners, using traffic signals and crosswalks.
- Walk on sidewalks and pathways. If there are no sidewalks, walk facing traffic as far away from cars as possible.
- Make sure you can be seen when walking, look at the driver's face to make sure they see you before crossing in front of a car, wear bright clothing.

Bike Safe:

- Protect your head, wear a helmet. The 2V1 rule for helmet fitting: 2 fingers above eyebrows, straps from a "v" under ears, no more than one finger space between strap and chin.
- Check your ride. Make sure the bike is the right size for the rider, tires are inflated and brakes work well.
- Be prepared. Know the rules of the road.
- Stay on the right side of the road in the same direction as traffic. Bike in single file.
- Check your child's skill level before allowing them to ride by themselves on the road. This will depend on their

experience, environment, development and age.

Parachute Canada:

<http://www.parachutecanada.org/>

Dates to Remember

October 4th – Cross Country at New Maryland Elementary School

October 5th, 12th & 19th – 5A, 5G & 5R Swim Program at Fredericton Indoor Pool

October 9th – Thanksgiving Day schools are closed

October 11th – District Cross Country Race (Nasis Middle School)

October 12th – Popcorn Sale

October 16th – 20th Safe Schools Week

October 17th – Pita Pit

October 16th – Home & School Meeting 5:30 pm

October 16th – PSSC Meeting 6:15 pm

October 19th – Pizza Lunch

October 20th – 4B & 4Mc Field Trip

October 24th – PL for staff – dismissal for students at 11:00 am

October 26th – Pizza Lunch

October 27th – Halloween Howl 5:00 – 6:45 pm

October 27th – Great Canadian Bagel

October 31st – Pita Pit