

McADAM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Respect Yourself And Respect Others

MONTH: NOVEMBER 2016



Remembrance Day Ceremony:

MES will be honouring those who have served, and those who continue to serve Canada, in times of war, military conflict and peace. Our Remembrance Ceremony will take place on November 10th @ 10:30am



EYE-DA Preschool Prescheduled Testing

Scheduled Appointments start on **Friday November 4th.**

The EYE-DA screening takes about 45 minutes per child and is ideally suited for children entering Kindergarten as they prepare for and make the transition to school.

Reports are generated at the parent, school, district, and provincial levels. The EYE-DA results are depicted using three colour codes: green, denoting appropriate development; yellow, experiencing some difficulty; and red, experiencing significant difficulty. The scoring takes into account a child's age at the time of the assessment.

Provincial K-8 Report Cards for 2016-2017

Please see our Website for Powerpoint Presentation for Information on K-8 Report Cards 2016-2017.

<http://web1.nbed.nb.ca/sites/ASD-W/McAdamES/Pages/default.aspx>

Report Cards will be sent home November 24th!

Please ensure to **return the sent Response Form Sheet** which is enclosed in the envelope to your teacher.

Parent Teacher Interviews will take place November 24 from 4:30pm – 6:30pm, and on the afternoon on November 25th. Interview times will be scheduled with teacher.

The McAdam Public Library is holding a Writing/Art Contest.

This is an "at home" project.

Students in Pre K / Kindergarten / Grade 1 are invited to draw a picture around the theme of "Winter in McAdam"

Students in grade 2-5 are invited to write a poem, short story or short essay. "Winter in McAdam" **Deadline is Friday, Dec 9th.**

One prize will be awarded for each age category. **Stay Tuned next month for the winners!**

Fluoride and Cavity Protection

Fluoride works in **3 different ways** in the prevention of dental caries:

1. During tooth development (systemic functions): There is some action of fluoride in-utero on the development of baby teeth but the amount which the baby obtains through maternal blood is quite small. As a result baby teeth are not as strong as adult teeth.

Between the ages of 0 and 3-4 years, fluoride is active in helping to strengthen the enamel and the structure of the adult teeth. It is during this period that excess systemic fluoride can be harmful to tooth development.

2. After tooth development (topical applications): Exposure of teeth to topical applications of fluoride helps to strengthen the enamel by making it more resistant to the loss of calcium ions. The fluoride gets incorporated into the enamel of the teeth.



Topical applications affect all surfaces of the teeth (tops and sides and between teeth).

There is no detrimental effect from topical applications of fluoride, as long as none is

swallowed.

90% of the action of fluoridated water occurs topically in the mouth. Fluoridated water is very effective because of frequent topical exposure.

3. Fluoride diminishes bacterial activity in the mouth: A role of fluoride in preventing dental cares involves reducing the activity of the enolase enzyme produced by Streptococcus mutans bacteria in the mouth.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<p>QSP Fundraising Campaign Thanking Everyone who participated in this project. We appreciate all the volunteers who assist their children with this fundraising event. Your support is greatly appreciated at McAdam Elementary School!</p>				4 EYE-DA Preschool Prescheduled Testing @ 9:30AM	5
6 	7	8 HARVEY PICTURE RETAKES @ 8:30AM	9	10 Bone Health @8:30 Grade 3/4 School Observes Remembrance Day @ 10:30am	11 NO SCHOOL  Let Us Forget Remembrance Day November 11	12 
13 	14	<p>It's Hats, Boots & Mittens Time Again!</p> 			18	19 
20 	21	22	23	24 Report Cards Sent home <u>Scheduled</u> Parent/Teacher Interviews 4:30PM – 6:30PM	25 NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS PL Day ½ day for teachers <u>Scheduled</u> Parent/Teacher Interviews ½ day	26 
27	28	29 PSSC Meeting @ 6pm MES	30			

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Christmas Concert - TBD
- December 23 – Last Day for Classes ½ Day Only

WEEK OF:

- January 23, 2017 – NB Student Wellness Survey for Grade 4 and 5 students. All K-5 Parents/ Guardians will receive the survey.
- January 10th – First Day of School for Students
- January 9/17—PL Day for Staff