



October 2014 Newsletter

Florenceville Elementary School

***Learning and working together to educate the whole child.
FES Mission Statement***

IMPORTANT DATES:

Oct. 3rd Picture Day

Oct. 9th PLD #1- no school for students

Oct. 10th PLD #2- no school for students

*Oct. 13th- Thanksgiving
No school*

*Oct. 14th-17th Registration
for Kindergarten 2015*

*Oct. 29th Halloween party
6:00 to 7:30 pm.*

School Safety Week:

Sept. 29th -Oct. 3rd is School Safety Week. You were sent an explanation of the week's events. The children will be exposed to a variety of presentations in hopes that they learn many strategies for staying safe.

Thanks to the Fire Dept. and Mike Palmer for the presentation they did for the kids. Also Aldrin Guiste and his wife Anick talked to the grades 3-5 children about various safety challenges they

will face in the next few years. It does take a whole village to raise children. Thanks to all!

Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten Registration for students entering our school in the fall of 2015 will be the week of Oct.14th-17th. IF you know of families who have a pre-k child please help us out and pass the information along.

Morning Drop Off

Please do not drop off your child before 8:00 am. As well if you pick up your child before school ends come to the office first. If you are waiting for your child for the end of the day we ask you to stay at the office until the bell rings.

Fundraiser

We are in the middle of our annual fundraiser. Please return orders with payment by Wednesday Oct. 8th. Thank you.

Head lice

We do have confirmed cases of head lice so it would be great to occasionally check your child's head. Remember that bedding and stuffed toys should be put away for a while in a garbage bag. If you need some assistance in terms of what to do we have some information here that may be useful. Let us know and we can send it home to you.

Halloween Party

We will once again have our annual Halloween party at FES. It will be held on Wednesday Oct. 29th at 6:00 going to 7:30. For children in K-2 we ask that parents stay with their children. All students need to be picked up promptly at 7:30.

Nut Allergy – Update

We are now just a peanut free building.



Student Fees

Please check to see if your child's fees are paid. It is \$30.00 for K-2 and \$35.00 for 3-5. We will take it in installments if you would like to do it that way. Thanks!

Art Club

After school Art Club will start Tuesday, Oct. 14th for six weeks. To register your child, please call the school office on Friday, Oct. 3rd. Note space is limited.



ELF Program

We are excited and fortunate to have this program once again at FES. It will be starting after Thanksgiving and will be offered to grade 2 students who could benefit from the extra help in reading. Another way community helps!

Canadian Library Month

The Andrew & Laura McCain Library are hosting Family Game Night Thursday, October 9th. Also stay tuned for an evening Family Story Hour on Oct. 30th.

Happy Thanksgiving! We have a lot to be grateful for!

NCMBA



The Northern Carleton Minor Basketball Association will be holding its annual registration night for the 2014/2015 basketball season for boys and girls from Kindergarten to Grade 6.

Registration will take place Oct. 6 & 7 from 5-8pm each night at the Northern Carleton Civic Centre. Levels offered are K/1, 2/3, Mini Competitive and Mini Recreation. Please note: These will be the only registration dates and children must be registered to play.

The Northern Carleton Minor Basketball Association is excited to host a St. John Mill Rats Basketball Clinic on Oct. 18 at the Carleton North High School for boys & girls in grades K-6. Grades K-3 will run from 10am-12pm and Grades 4-6 from 1pm-3:30pm. Cost is \$20 for NCMBA registered players (includes a Mill Rats T-shirt and BOGO Mill Rats Ticket) and \$45 for non-NCMBA players.

Interested players can register for this clinic during season registration nights on Oct. 6 & 7 or at the door on event day. Inquiries contact Charles Walker at 392-9114

Andrew & Laura McCain Art Gallery Programs for Kids, Teens & Families - October 2014

Teen Open Studio
Ages 13-17 - \$2/teen
includes Pizza Dinner -
Friday October 3 - 6:00-
8:30pm

Kids in the Gallery - NB
Arts Bank Exhibit Tour &
Art Project - Ages 5-12 -
\$5/child - Saturday
October 4 - 2:00-4:00pm

Kids Night Out at the
Gallery - Hallowe'en
Theme - Ages 5-12 -
\$5/child - Friday October
17 - 6:00-8:30pm

Family Pumpkin Painting
at the Gallery - All ages -
\$10/family - Saturday
October 18 - 1:00-4:00pm

Toddlers in the Gallery -
Ages 1-3 with
Parent/Caregiver -
\$5/child - Thursday
October 30 - 11:00am-
12:00pm

For more information, visit
www.mccainartgallery.com or
call 392-6769 or email
jaime@mccainartgallery.com.