

# LIGHTNING NEWS

October 14th - 18th



# SCHOOL WIDE INFORMATION

## MONDAY, OCTOBER 14TH

On Monday, October 14th there will be no school for staff or students. Instead, use this weekend to spend time with your families and friends. Here are some ideas you can do this weekend:

- Go outside to get some fresh air and sunlight.
- Focus on gratitude by writing a thank-you note to someone you appreciate.
- Pop some popcorn and watch a movie with a message.
- Write a list of things you are grateful for.



# WORLD FOOD DAY

World Food Day is on October 16th. This is a day that is celebrated widely by many organizations concerned with hunger and food security



# PSSC MEETING

PSSC Meeting will be held on October 28th. The date has been changed from the 21st because of a conference Ms. Ferguson has to attend.

MEETING



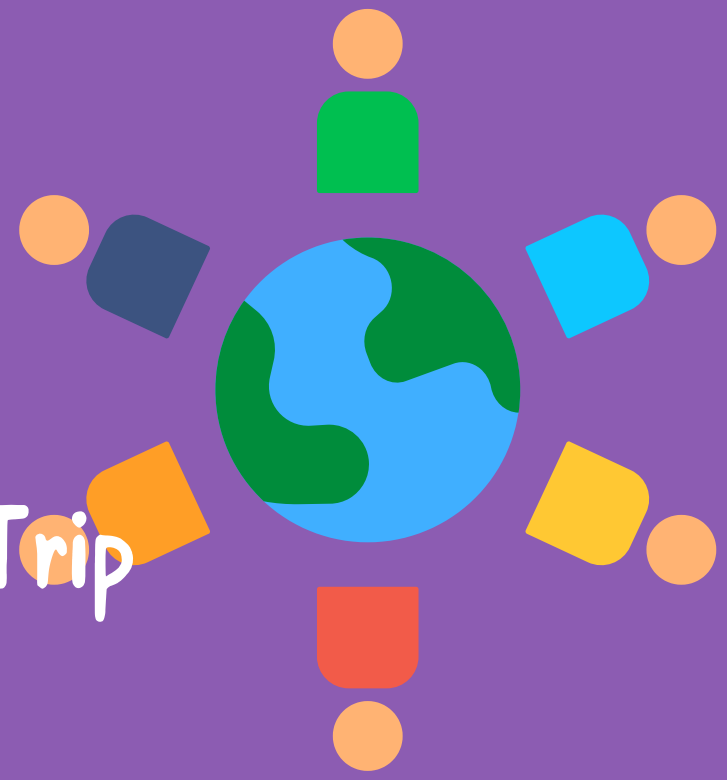
# SOCKTOBER

In the month of October, Barnhill collects new pairs of warm socks to support the needs in our community. If you would like to donate, please send in new socks with your child and they will be collected by our SRC. Our goal this year is to collect 200 pairs of socks!

Each pair of socks brought in gets an entry into the draw to  
**PIE A TEACHER!**

# GRADE 8 CULTURAL TRIP

Kiwanis Calendars – Grade 8 Fundraiser for Quebec Cultural Trip



- A great fundraising opportunity to raise money for the grade 8 trip.
- Calendars are available in the lobby from Mrs. P Stewart. Each grade 8 student can take 5 calendars at a time.
- Sell your calendars and bring your money and calendar stubs in when they are sold.
- Once you sell your calendars and bring the money and calendar stubs, you may get 5 more calendars.

# PROVINCIAL LINK DAY - OCTOBER 17TH

If you're looking for answers to your questions or you're experiencing a difficult situation. The Link Program is here for you.

With the support of a Link Companion or of a trusted person, you will have an opportunity to talk about your concerns and, if needed, to access support services in the community using the Helping Tree.

Our Link Companions at Barnhill are Ms. Dennis, Mrs. Graham, Mme. Lise, Mrs. Muise, Mrs. Stout, Ms. Smith, Ms. Stuart, Ms. Jenkins, and Mr. George.



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PROGRAM

# VENDORS WANTED!

Please contact Mrs. Muise if you are interested in being a vendor at our Craft Fair!

Tables are \$15 OR 2 for \$25

The Craft Fair will be on  
December 7th from 8am - 1pm



# RECIPES WANTED

Do you have a recipe you want to share?

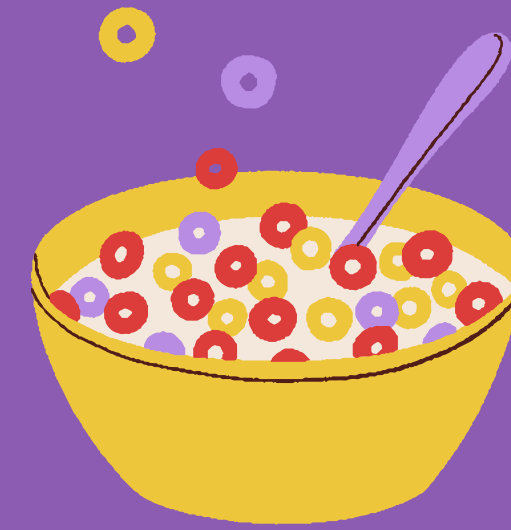
See Mrs. Muise or email her at [liza.muise@nbed.nb.ca](mailto:liza.muise@nbed.nb.ca)

She is collecting recipes to make a Barnhill cookbook for a school wide fundraiser!



# BREAKFAST & LUNCH OPTIONS

The Breakfast Program is in the lobby from 8:20 - 8:30. Grab a healthy snack to start your day!



Hot Lunch is cheese pizza and is available to pre-order on Cashless Schools for \$2.50 a slice.

Please order by midnight on Sunday for the following Friday.

Please let your child know that you've ordered them hot lunch.

Canteens are located in the lunchroom and on the top floor by the balcony every Friday! Items are \$1 or \$2.





# ATHLETICS

## CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to our Cross Country team for their performance at City Finals on Wednesday.

- In Grade 8, Jade Blanchard placed 3rd.
- In Grade 7, Claire Estabrooks placed 2nd Akshaya Dileep placed 3rd.
- In Grade 6, Noah Tiner placed 1st and Jaxon Vaughan placed 3rd.



# SOCCER



Soccer Playoffs are October 15th, 16th and 17th!

- Tuesday Oct 15th- Boys play Bayside @ MNS Field 2
  - - Girls practice 3-4:30
- Wednesday Oct 16th- Girls play PES @ PES Field
- Thursday Oct 17th- Boys & Girls Finals (location to be determined after the results of Tuesday & Wednesday games)

Your soccer fee must be paid to play in the playoffs!  
It is \$20 and must be paid on Cashless schools.

# VOLLEYBALL TRYOUTS



Due to soccer finals we are unable to do volleyball tryouts next week.  
We will announce the next date on Tuesday, October 15th.

Thank you to everyone who came out to join!

# CROSS COUNTRY

The final meet is October 15th at Wolastoq Park at 3:30.



# EXTRA CURRICULAR CLUB REMINDERS

- GSA is Monday at lunch in Room 34.
- SRC is Tuesday at lunch in the SRC room. All SRC members and class reps are expected to attend.
- Lunch with Sonny & Joey on Wednesday in the Bolt Center
- Cafe Francais is Thursdays at lunch in Mme. Lise's classroom.
- Study Hall is Tuesdays and Thursday at lunch in Room 38.
- Books & Board Games is Thursdays at lunch in the Learning Commons.
- Grade 6&7 Math Help is Thursdays afterschool from 3-4.

# STAFF SPOTLIGHT

MR. AMAL KOSHY-GEORGE

Position: Behavior Invention Mentor

Teaching Experience: 1 year  
Years at Barnhill: First

Favorite teacher you had and why: Moria Law (UNB).

Favorite subject in school: Psychology

Interests: Currency collection

Interesting fact: I can speak four languages but not French

Family: Single





# ON THE HORIZON

- Mock election on Monday, October 21st.
- Picture Day will be on Thursday, October 24th: Photos will be available to view online <https://harveystudios.fotosource.com/> five business days after photo day.
- The Halloween Dance will be on Thursday, October 24th.
- The next Drama Workshop will be on Wednesday, October 30th.
- Halloween Spirit Week is October 25th - 31st.

# LEGION REMEMBRANCE DAY CONTEST



- The Royal Canadian Legion is sponsoring its Annual Poster and Literary Contest!
- This contest is open to all students!
- For detailed information, please visit [www.remembrancecontests.ca/](http://www.remembrancecontests.ca/)
- Entries are due on November 11th