

## LORNE MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Good Afternoon.

This is Greg Norton, Principal of Lorne Middle School, here with a few announcements regarding upcoming events @ your school for the week of May 25<sup>th</sup> – May 30<sup>th</sup>.

Please be reminded that we are a no scents school. Students, staff and visitors are encouraged not to where scents as some are sensitive to these smells. Thank you for your cooperation.

With warm weather comes concern re. ticks. For information on preventing tick bites and looking for ticks here is the link to Office of the Chief Medical Officer of Health on Lyme Disease with further links to information on ticks: http://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/departments/ocmoh/cdc/content/vectorborne andzoonotic/lyme.html

By way of reminder we would also remind students to dress appropriately for school and recommend only wearing clothing that is suitable for a school-place environment. It is also recommended that student not exchange headwear such as helmets and hats as a preventative measure to reduce the spread of head lice.

Students who are currently participating in the Golden Glove Boxing Extracurricular After-school Activity are reminded to come prepared to hit the gym for more training on Monday, May 26<sup>th</sup>. Thank you to Mr. Harquail for leading this extracurricular after-school activity.

Students will participate in the transplant of a variety of vegetables into our outdoor school garden on Thursday, May 29<sup>th</sup>. This project based learning activity is a sure indicator of warmer weather and hands-on student learning. Thank you to Mrs. Lisik, Mr. Harquail, and our community school partners who have provided leadership and vision for this project.

Special congrats to Aliviah Dalling for receiving the ASD-S Turnaround Achievement Award for Lorne Middle School. Aliviah's constant positive influence at Lorne Middle School ensures that Phoenix pride continues! Thank you to Mme. Shannon and Mrs. McMillan and the entire faculty and staff for sponsoring and endorsing Aliviah's nomination.

Any parent or guardian wishing to become further involved with your child's school, the Parent School Support Committee is seeking new volunteers to join their membership. The PSSC will meet next on the evening of Wednesday, June 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. in the school library.

For a complete list of the week's activities & future events please refer to Lorne online @ www.lornems.nbed.nb.ca, or follow us on Twitter @LorneMS. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the before mentioned announcements please call the school office @ 658-5351.

Yours in Education,

Greg Norton, Principal