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November Newsletter

We've had a very busy October leading up to November. Highlights over the past month have been: fire prevention week and fire truck tour, cross country meets, running club, a presentation to 7/8s by a former NHL hockey player from Aamjiwnaang, Dussehra school wide learning; Halloween party organized by our 7/8 class and teacher; and volleyball start up! We've also had other programs start in the school: 5/6 students are participating in a social skills development group called Persevere weekly; and Big Brothers & Sisters have started weekly mentoring sessions.

Dates that are important to your family:

If you notice we are missing a date for November please call the office to let us know. This month we look forward to learning more about the following important dates: Day of the Dead, Remembrance Day, and Diabetes Awareness Day.

Family/Teacher Interviews

Progress reports (Grade 1-8) and initial observations (FDK) will go home on November 10th. Interviews will take place November 16th - 17th, in person or by phone. Classrooms will be reaching out to schedule a time and preferred method with you during the second week of November. If you would like our resource teacher, a curriculum partner, or anyone else in attendance please be sure to request this when booking your time.

Update from School Council Chair:

Wow, what a wonderful start to our year. I can't believe we are already two months into the school year. It's been wonderful seeing everyone adjust back into the routine of things. I'm very excited for this month as we have our first big school fundraiser for the year! Watch for the Kernels form soon! We also have Spirit Wear available for order. I love seeing all the students wearing our husky gear and showing their love for our school. Do you have Spirit Wear that is now too small? Consider donating it to the school and it will be passed on to a student that could use it. As always, if you are interested in helping with fundraising or hot lunches, please reach out to Mrs. Weston for information on how to become a volunteer. It's so rewarding, you won't regret it. Happy Fall, Sabrina Knol

Breakfast Club:

Thanks to Central Baptist Church Volunteers, the breakfast program is up and running! Volunteers will welcome students at 8:40—8:55am daily to eat breakfast at the school.



Bus Zone:

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Social Media

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School Website:

https://www.lkdsb.net/school/hanna

Treaty Week

The Lambton Kent District School Board (LKDSB) commemorates Treaties Recognition Week from November 5-11th, joining school boards across the province in promoting education and awareness about treaty rights and treaty relationships between Indigenous and non-Indigenous people in Ontario. During Treaties Recognition Week, students and staff will engage in curriculum activities related to honouring the original promises of the land. At Hanna, students will learn about the treaties relevant to our area. Each class will make a territorial acknowledgement that will be played on our school video announcements. Throughout the year, classes will be making an actionable commitment to the environment.