Pike Lake Newsletter

November 22, 2023



Hello Pike Lake Families,

We've had a successful start to the 2023-2024 school year and our staff and students have been digging in to many new learning opportunities. In October we enjoyed a Mug-and-Muffin, raised our school tipi with Lyndon Linklater, and had a visit from the Delisle Fire Department. Also in October we held the first set of progress conferences. It was great to hear how your children are experiencing their time at Pike Lake School; thank you for making time for these important conversations.

Our school goal this year is related to helping students recognize when they need support in their learning and how to access this support. This might look like a student deciding which addition strategy to use in math, working toward reading fluency by reading aloud to another person, or recognizing that they are experiencing conflict with a peer and using a conflict resolution strategy. This goal will inform the work we do with students throughout the year as we teach them strategies to think about their own successes, challenges, and next steps forward.

In November we held our Remembrance Day Ceremony, which families and community members attended. Thank you to our students and staff for your efforts commemorating Remembrance Day; it was an important reminder of that it is up to all of us to advocate for peace in our local and global communities.

Sincerely,

Brian Knowles

Growing Smiles Plant Fundraiser Pickup Tues. Nov 28 3-6pm

Thank You!

Thank you to everyone who supported our Mom's Pantry and Growing Smiles fundraisers. Funds raised will help to support our school goal.

Dates To Remember

Nov. 28 – Growing Smiles pick-up 3-6pm

Dec. 1 – Progress Reports

Dec. 3 – PLCSA Craft Sale 10am-4pm

Dec. 20 – School Concert – 11am and 6:30pm

Dec. 21 – Field trip to WDM and Bowling

Dec. 22 – Last day of Classes – PJ Day

Dec. 23 - Jan. 7 - Break

Jan. 8 – Gr 1-4 Classes Resume

Jan. 9 - Kindergarten Resumes



<u>Pike Lake Community</u> & School Association Craft Sale

Once again, we will be supporting the PLCSA Craft Sale that is taking place on **Sunday, December 3 from 10am to 4pm.**The school and SCC will be providing the food and operating the concession during the sale.

The students, along with their parents/guardians, will be assisting the staff and applying their academic skills at the order window. Please come down and support the PLCSA Craft Sale and our school students. Watch for an email from the school to schedule a time to help with your child at the concession!



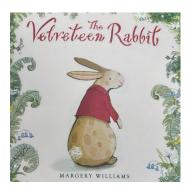


Once again, Pike Lake School has received a grant from Nutrien in support of our Nutrition Program. It is because of their generosity that we have been able to supply students with snacks at school at no cost. Pike Lake School is truly appreciative of the support that has been given from Nutrien in the past years.

THANK YOU NUTRIEN!!

Pike Lake School is Proud to Present a Performance of....

The Velveteen Rabbit



Wednesday, December 20 11am & 6:30pm

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REMINDER

With the winter season upon us, it is very important that the children be dressed appropriately. Students are outside for recess and outdoor activities all through winter unless the windchill is below -27. We want your child to be comfortable and warm so they can enjoy their time outside.

A warm jacket, ski-pants, toque, mitts and neckwarmer/scarf all ensure that students stay warm during the chilly outdoors.

