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Administrators' Message

Happy New Year from the staff and students of Bible Hill Consolidated Elementary School! We hope you and your family enjoyed a wonderful holiday and we wish you all the best for 2018.

We are happy to see that our students have settled back into the school routine and are attending well to term two instruction. Please continue to read at home with your children on a regular basis.

Yours in Education,

Kathy Fougere & Stephen Fultz.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Early French Immersion

The information session for Early French Immersion (Grade Primary entry for 2018-2019) will be held at Truro Elementary School on Tuesday, January 9th, 2018 at 6:00 pm with a storm date of Wednesday, January 10th, 2018 at 6:00 pm.

New Primary Registration 2018/2019

Primary Registration for students beginning school in September 2018 will take place on **Monday, January 29th, 2018**. If you have a child that will be 5 years old by December 31, 2018, please contact the school at 896-5511. If you know of any other families that have school aged children, please pass on this important information.

Thank you.

Of Special Interest

January 3rd, 2018

First day of classes

January 9th, 2018

Early French Immersion Meeting at Truro Elementary

January 20th, 2018

Public Open House

1:00–3:00 pm

January 25th, 2018

PTG & SAC Meeting

January 26th, 2018

Family Literacy Day

1:00–1:45 pm

School Assembly—1:45 pm

January 29th, 2018

Primary Registration

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Late Arrivals

A reminder that our morning supervision begins at 8:20 am and the first bell rings at 8:40 am with the instructional day beginning at 8:45 am. Students should arrive sometime between 8:20 and 8:40 am. Please ensure your child/children are arriving at school on time. The late arrival of students interrupts the learning environment of others and the students arriving late miss out on important announcements, information, and instructions. Five minutes can make a big difference. Thank you for your attention to this concern.



After School

After school dismissal can be a very busy and active time of day. If you are collecting your child early, please try to do so before 2:15 pm. Teachers and office staff are preparing for after school dismissal and when we phone the classroom, they may not hear us if students are in the hallway, dressing to go outdoors. We don't always have the time to walk to the classroom. As well, if your child is travelling elsewhere after school, outside their regular location, please ensure you have communicated this change directly with the person collecting your child and the school should be aware of any of these changes. Thank you.

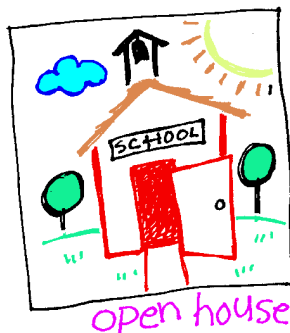
Winter Weather

Please remember that it's that time of the year again—please send extra mittens or gloves and a hat with your child. Students without snow pants are asked to stay off the snow so that they can return to class warm and dry after recess play time. It is preferable for your child to have snow/splash pants for active play at recess time.



Open House

There will be an Open House on Saturday, January 20th, 2018 from 1:00—3:00 pm for the general public to view our wonderful facility.



*Important * New Nut Allergy

Effective immediately , raw nuts such as: almonds, pecans, etc will NO LONGER be permitted in the school due to a severe allergy. However; PEANUT BUTTER is still ALLOWED. If anything changes we will notify parents .

December Assembly Highlights

Congratulations to the students who participated in the December Principal's Lunch:
Ty Pham, Aubree Currie, Maria Bagnell, Ellie McNutt, Austin Perry, Campbell McIntyre, Aiden Angers, Brooklynn Upton, Brooke Penney, Maddy Thibodeau, and Daniel Chang.

Golden Broom Award: Mrs. Decker's grade Primary class

Our next Assembly will be on January 26th, 2018 at 1:45 pm.

Notes from the Cafeteria

- Please remember your child's first and last name on your order form
- Please complete a separate slip for each child. Money for multiple children can be put in one bag
- We encourage you to put your child's lunch order in the communication folders each day so they can find it easily to put in the basket
- If your child has an outstanding bill, you are asked to pay as soon as possible . You would have received a note with the amount.
- Please keep track of storm days on which you have ordered and use credits the next time you order.

Thank You!

We would like to take this opportunity to thank those groups and businesses that have supported the school during the past few months. A big thank you to the PTC for organizing, preparing, and hosting a wonderful Christmas Dinner and the Christmas Bazaar.



HAPPY NEW YEAR



IMPORTANT EVENTS—January 2018

3rd (Wednesday)	-	8:40 am		School Resumes
9th (Tuesday)	-	6:00 pm		Early French Immersion Meeting (Truro Elementary)
20th (Saturday)	-	1:00–3:00 pm		Public Open House
25th (Thursday)	-	6:00 pm		PTG Meeting
		7:00 pm		SAC Meeting
26th (Friday)	-	1:00–1:45 pm		Family Literacy Day
		1:45 pm		School Assembly
29th (Monday)	-	9:00 am		Primary Registration 2018-19 school year

Looking Ahead To February, 2018

1st	Assessment & Evaluation Day—No School
19th	Nova Scotia Heritage Day—No School