



# Lloyd S. King Elementary School

## November 2018 Newsletter

### BAASHKAAKODIN Giizis (Freezing Over Moon)

#### From the office

November is now upon us and Freezing Over Moon is bringing big changes to our weather. It is important for all students to wear appropriate footwear and outerwear to keep them warm and dry.

All students are expected to be outside for active break unless rain or extreme cold prevent outdoor activity. Time outside for exercise, fresh air, and connecting to nature significantly helps students to focus and learn while in the classroom.

Please note that due to interviews to discuss student progress, there will be early dismissal on Friday, November 23rd, 2018. Dismissal will be at 12:00 noon, and buses will leave shortly after that time. Student Progress Reports will be

available for pick-up and review during parent/teacher interviews. Interview times are available Thursday Nov. 22<sup>th</sup> 4-6pm and Friday Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1-3pm.

Interviews are fifteen minute sessions so if you require more time, please contact your child's teacher to set up an appointment for another time as well.

Please complete the interview request form, sent home with your child, and return it with your first and second choices.

We look forward to seeing you at the parent/teacher interviews.

Miigwetch,  
Mrs. H. Danielle MacDonnell  
LSK Principal

#### Reminders

**Absences** - If your child will be absent for the day or part of the day please call the office by 9:30 am.

**Dismissal** - Our school day ends at 3:15 pm. Students are expected to remain in their class until the bell rings and they are dismissed by their teacher. If you are picking up your child please wait until the bell rings!

**Parking** - There is no parking along the sidewalk at the front

of the school, please park within the parking lot and walk to the front of the school to greet your child.

**Late Arrivals** - Your child is marked late after the bell rings at 8:45 am. Please have them come to the office for a late slip prior to going to their classroom. Your continued cooperation to keep our school safe is greatly appreciated! Chi-Miigwetch

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#### REMINDERS

- *If you are changing your child's dismissal ~ picking up early or sending on the bus, please call the school by **2pm** @ 905-768-3222*
- *ALL students MUST have indoor shoes in order to participate in daily gym.*

**Drop Offs** - Please DO NOT drop off your children prior to **8:30**. Children left at school before 8:30 are unsupervised and students are not permitted in the school until the bell rings at **8:45 am**.

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## LSK Green Team

Two volunteers from Gr 4-8 collect recycling each day in the building. Here's a couple of tips:

- For lunches use refillable or reusable containers
- Tap water is perfectly healthy and can be filtered. Cut back on plastic bottles by using a water bottle.
- When grocery shopping use reusable bags instead of plastic.



## LSK Bazaar

In light of not having a toy bingo, LSK staff will be hosting a bazaar to help raise money for the LSK students and classrooms. The bazaar will take place on Saturday, December 1, 2018 just in time to get your Christmas presents! The bazaar will be held in the LSK gym and will feature food and refreshments, raffle tickets, student crafts for purchase, a bake sale and vendors. For more information, please contact Katharine Brown, LSK Home & School Committee, 905-768-3222. Miigwetch!

## Report cards/ Parent Teacher Interviews

Due to unforeseen circumstances progress reports & parent/ teacher interviews will be rescheduled.

### Following Dates:

Thursday Nov 22/18 from 4pm-6pm

Friday Nov 23/ 18 from 1pm-3pm

### Niigaanzijik

*"The ones that are in the leadership role."*

- Miigwetch to the Grade 8s for organizing and running the School-Wide Soccer Tournament on Friday Oct 19th.

Everyone had a great time!

### Student leadership roles:

- Primary Soccer Coach- Jr. Soccer Coach
- Soccer Tournament Referees/Helpers-Grade 7/8 Class.
- Recycling Program- Grade 8 Class
- Halloween House 7/8 helpers

### December Events

- *Grade 7/8 Food Bank Cereal Drive.*

### Veterans Assembly

Our Veterans Remembrance Day assembly will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 7th @ 2:00 pm in the LSK gym. Everyone is welcome!

## November Nbwaakaawin (Wisdom)

To cherish knowledge is to know WISDOM

- To take time to reflect on everything we experience
- To acknowledge the opportunity of every lesson learned
- Consistently seek to extend knowledge & improve skills
- Striving for accomplishment of our vision & our goals
- To seek guidance from our Elders

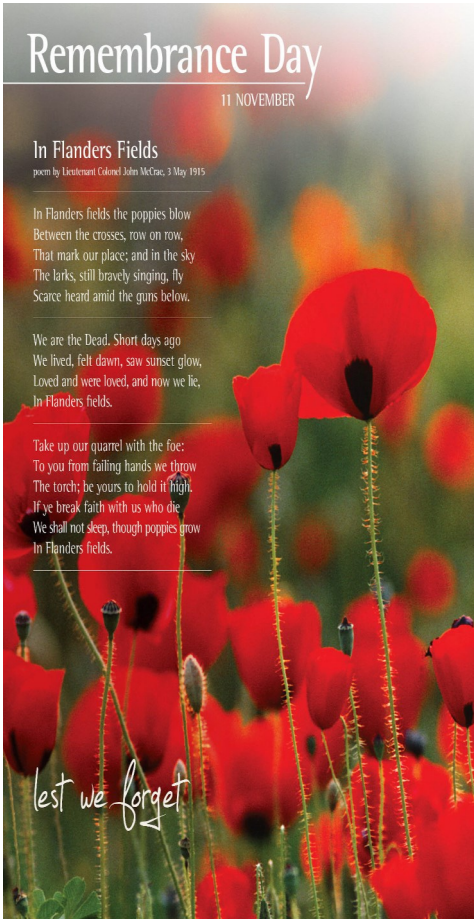
## Active and Nutrition Breaks

10:45-11:05 Grade K-8 Active

11:05-11:25 Grade K-8 Nutrition

1:10 - 1:30 Grade K-8 Active

1:30 - 1:50 Grade K-8 Nutrition



## Grandfather Awards

Respect Awards for September were handed out to the following students:

**Kindergarten:** Ellie McDonald and Colton Thomson

**Grade 1:** Mabelle Hill, Genevieve Martinson-Sault and Darnell LaForme

**Grade 2:** Kaiah King

**Grade 3/4:** Gracie Hill

**Grade 4/5:** Darren Hill

**Grade 5/6:** Keaton Jonathan and Kya MacDonald

**Grade 7/8:** Ashlee LaForme and Teyha King

## Sports

### Soccer updates

**Junior-** The whole team played hard, represented their school well and made their community proud!

**Intermediate-** The team demonstrated great team work and skill, placing 2nd. Congratulations!

**Primary-** with no substitutions the team played their hearts out and placed 3rd. Great Work!



### Nature Club

Mondays 1:10pm K-8

### Big Drum

Tuesdays 1:10pm K-8

### After School Program

After school skating will be running every Wednesday till March 27, 2019 from 4:00- 4:50pm.

Please pick your child up at the arena by 5:00pm! Inform a staff member when you are leaving with your child.

**Please wear helmet and proper warm clothing .**

*All New Credit Community members welcome to come skate!*



## Picture Retakes!

Picture retakes will take place on Wednesday Nov. 7th. If you missed picture day or want to smile again please be ready to have your picture taken first thing in the morning and bring your previous order forms with you!

## Book Fair

The book fair is coming to the library in November.

### Following dates:

Wednesday Nov. 7, 2018 from 8:30am- 4:00pm

Thursday Nov. 8, 2018 from 8:30am- 6:00pm

Friday Nov. 9, 2018 from 8:30am- 12pm

*Every purchase adds books to our library.*

## From the School Counsellor

Aanii! The Leaves Falling Moon flew by and it's hard to believe that the Freezing Over Moon is already with us! This month we emphasize the teaching of wisdom. There are two evening workshops coming up entitled "Finding Your Way with ADHD in Your Home: for parents of children with Focusing Challenges and ADHD" on Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> from 8-9pm at Social and Health Services. Call (905) 768-1181 x250 for more info or to let us know you're planning on coming! **Refreshments and supervised childcare will be provided.**




# November 2018



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Grandfather Teaching: Nbaakaawin (Wisdom)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				<b>1 PD DAY/No School</b>	<b>2 PD DAY/No School</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>5 Bravery/Freezing Over Moon Assembly</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7 Book Fair 8:30 – 4:00</b> <i>Picture Re-Take</i> <b>Remembrance Day Assembly @ 2 pm</b>	<b>8 Book Fair 8:30-6:00pm</b> 	<b>9 Book Fair 8:30-12:00pm</b> 	<b>10</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>12 Assembly 8:45</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14 Junior Volleyball</b> 	<b>15</b>	<b>16 Hat Day</b> 	<b>17</b>
<b>18</b>	<b>19 Assembly 8:45</b> Gr. 7/8 1pm Immunizations	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22 Parent/ Teacher Interviews 4-6pm</b>	<b>23 Progress Reports Parent/ Teacher Interviews 1-3pm</b> <b>Early Dismissal 12pm</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>25</b>	<b>26 Assembly 8:45</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29 Pizza Day</b> 