

BAYVIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Mission Statement: To provide each student with a safe, supportive environment, promoting responsible citizenship, leadership and dedication to learning.

*Vision Statement: Be Responsible. Learn by Doing
We are Future Leaders in Progress*

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OCTOBER NEWS 2017



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

DATES TO REMEMBER

Oct 8-14th - Fire Prevention Week

*Oct 9th – Thanksgiving Day
(No School for Students)*

Oct 10th – PSSC Meeting at 6pm

Oct 10-13th – K registration week

Oct 19th – School Photos

Oct 24th – Kick off to Kindergarten 4pm

Oct 25th – ½ day for students (11:00 dismissal)

Oct 26th – Train Ride Gr. 4's

Oct 25th – Pumpkin Decorating Contest

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION - The week of October 10-13th is Kindergarten Registration week. This is the time to register your child at Bayview School for the 2018-2019 school year. All children who will be 5 years of age by December 31st, 2018 are to be registered for Kindergarten. Please bring your child's birth certificate, Medicare card, and proof of immunization with you when you register at the school between 8:00 am and 3:00pm. It is important to register your child during this time as you will receive information throughout the year on important dates and events to attend. Please share with all your friends and on social media sites. Thanks!

KICK OFF TO KINDERGARTEN – Bayview School will have their “Kick off to Kindergarten” on Tuesday, October 24th from 4 -5 pm for parents of our new Kindergarten students for the 2018-19 school year.

REMINDER MESSAGE TO KINDERGARTEN PARENTS RE: IMMUNIZATION RECORD - Please send an updated copy of your child's immunization record to the school office. Many students did not have the 4 year booster at the time of school registration. Students are required to show proof of immunizations for school entry. If you have questions, please contact your local public health office (Saint John- 658-2285).

PARKING /DROP OFF– There is to be **NO PARKING OR DRIVING** at the front of the school as this is the drop off and pick up for buses ONLY. Please drop off students at the side of the building by the sidewalk to ensure their safety. Drive into the driveway by the basketball court and continue to drive out the driveway by the gym.

SCHOOL WEBSITE - Please check out our school website for up-to-date announcements along with our school activity calendar <http://bayview.nbed.nb.ca>.

NEW REPORT CARDS – This year, our district is using a new report for assessing our students. An information pamphlet was sent home last week with your child to share what this report will look like and how the students are being assessed. If you have any questions, please ask your child's teacher.

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Mark It on Your Calendar!



SCHOOL PHOTOS – Harvey Studios will be here on Thursday October 19th. So mark your calendars, dress sharp and bring those smiles!



PUMPKIN DECORATING CONTEST – Bayview School is having their annual Pumpkin decorating contest later this month. Children may bring in a decorated pumpkin, but the pumpkin cannot be larger than the child's head. **DO NOT CARVE THE PUMPKIN...ONLY PAINT OR DECORATE.** Please bring your decorated pumpkin in on Wednesday, October 25th. The Pumpkins will be sent home on Monday, October 30th.



SOCCER JAMBOREE – This will be on Thursday, October 12th at Forest Hills School (3:30pm). Please see Mrs. Sarah Kalemkiarian for more information about this jamboree.



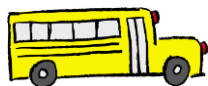
Dolphin Highlights



We want to thank all of those who contributed to our Bake Sale in September. We raised close to \$200 for our school and could not have done so without your support! If you have not received your container please let your child's teacher know as those that were labelled have all been returned.



A special thanks also goes out to all the parents who have been taking their children to the cross country meets this fall. We could not be more proud of our Bayview Students for their participation and valiant effort in these running competitions. Great job to everyone! Remember that the big Cross Country meet this Wednesday October 4th at Wolastoq Park at 3:30pm.



We had our annual bus safety training on Thursday, September 28th. We had some buses and their drivers here to go over bus safety rules with our students. Ask your child about what they learned as it would be great to review the rules often to ensure the safety of all the students in our school community!

Bucketfilling Information – This month's character theme is RESPECT. All classes are spending time talking about respect, what it means to be respectful to yourself, others and your surroundings. Be sure to ask your child about this month's theme! If you wanted any further information about our Bucketfilling program, please visit bucketfilling101.com and see all that is there.