



LOCH LOMOND SCHOOL

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Good Afternoon,

This is Greg Norton calling from Loch Lomond School, with a few announcements regarding upcoming events at your school for the week of May 14th – May 18th.

Thank you to all those who helped support our 2nd Annual Fine Arts Gala at the HOPE Centre, this past Tuesday evening. Events like this are simply not possible without your support. Our Loch Lomond school community raised a total of \$1198.00 during the silent art auction portion of the event. Half of the proceeds will be donated to the Canadian Red Cross to help support people impacted by flooding in New Brunswick – the result is a \$599.00 donation to support the Canadian Red Cross in their NB Flood relief efforts.

Our Spring Fundraiser is underway and you can have a chance to win \$1000.00 first place prize, \$500 second place prize and \$250 third place prize. Raffle tickets are \$10 each and only 500 tickets are available for sale. Tickets can be purchased by visiting the school office or contacting your child's teacher. The draw date is the last day of school on Friday, June 22nd -- just in time for summer break.

Thank you to our Partners Assisting Local Schools at *Offline Board Game Café* for offering free play to all Loch Lomond School families on Mother's Day and 10% of all purchases will go to Loch Lomond School.

May 15th the Home & School Assoc. will be hosting their regular monthly meeting in the Makerspace & Innovation Lab. A reminder that meetings are open to the public and your participation is encouraged. Thank you to our Home & School assoc. for their valuable partnership and contributions to Loch Lomond School.

May 16th there is no school for our Kindergarten students on Wednesday, May 16th. This day is reserved for our Kindergarten Orientation day for Pre-Kindergarten students, registered to attend in September for the 2018-2019 school year.

May 16th will be our Kindergarten Orientation. Children will participate in kindergarten activities and will have the chance to discover what a kindergarten classroom is all about. While the children are visiting the classrooms parents will participate in school workshops given by literacy mentors, guidance counselors, nutrition consultants, and public health specialist. Also at this time children and parents will participate in a bus tour and a bus safety discussion with a member of the district transportation team. If you have questions as to which orientation session your child attends please contact the school office.

May 16th is the regular monthly PSSC (Parent School Support Committee) meeting. This public meeting starts at 6:30 p.m. and is open to all members of our school community. If you would like to join the PSSC or find out more about the important roles and responsibilities of a PSSC member, please don't hesitate to contact the school administrative office or contact our PSSC Chairperson by visiting the Loch Lomond School website.

May 17th our Grade 5 students will be travelling to Harbour Station to attend the WE Believe Saint John event. The event WE BELIEVE-in support of WE will feature 7000 school students, motivational speakers and lots of music. Consent forms are required to attend this all day special event which promotes volunteerism, leadership and social action through year-round activities.

For a complete list of the week's activities and future events, please refer to the Loch Lomond School webpage or follow us on Twitter @LochLomondNB. If you have any questions or concerns please don't hesitate to call the school office @ 658-5350. We always welcome your feedback on how to make our school a better place to learn and visit.

Yours in Education,

Greg Norton,
Principal

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