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Good Afternoon:

This is Greg Norton calling, with a few updates regarding upcoming events at Loch Lomond School for Monday, Nov. 23rd – Friday, Nov. 27th.

This year our school will be offering a new, virtual format for our Parent-Teacher conferences, using Microsoft Teams. This is a secure online connection between you and your child's teacher that is easy to use and book in advance. The booking site for our Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences on Thursday, Dec. 3rd from 4:00-7:00 and Friday, Dec. 4th from 9:00-11:00 can be found here:

https://outlook.office365.com/owa/calendar/LochLomondSchool1@nbed.onmicrosoft.com/bookings/

To book, choose the teacher that you would like to meet with in the drop down menu, select the time you would like to meet with them, fill in the required information and click "Book" at the bottom of the page. You will then receive an email that confirms your booking and provides you a link to join the Microsoft Teams meeting at your scheduled time. A reminder email will also be sent with this information the day before your appointment. If you would like to attend the virtual meeting using your mobile device, we recommend downloading the Microsoft Teams app in advance.

If you do not have access to a device to take part in a virtual Parent-Teacher conference, please contact the school and we will make arrangements to book a time that you can speak with your child's teacher via phone. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the school at 658-6675.

Watch a quick video overview of the online booking process: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lGbSBvZwbL0 Watch detailed instructions on booking the virtual meeting: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bX1zdTpwXvM

- Monday, Nov. 23rd Friday, Nov. 27th Loch Lomond School will participate in *National Career Week*. During the week, our goal is to expose our students to the many different careers available in their future. Each morning there will be daily career announcements, and classroom conversations about careers. On Friday, November 27th students and staff are invited to participate in our always popular 'Career Dress Up Day' by dressing in attire that resembles a career choice for their future. For more information about 'Career Week' please contact our Guidance Department at michelle.babineau@nbed.nb.ca
- Tuesday, Nov. 24th every homeroom class will CELEBRATE a classmate as we present our monthly "ROAR Award" certificates. These special student recognition awards celebrate deserving students who best exemplify our ROAR motto Respecting Others & Accepting Responsibility. Certificate recipients are also consistently kind, ready to learn and participate positively.
- Wednesday, Nov. 25th Monday, Dec. 7th Loch Lomond School will be hosting a *Scholastic Virtual Book Fair*. With health and safety top of mind, our school will host a virtual career fair that is safe and user-friendly, while allowing Loch Lomond School to continue to earn valuable Book Fair Rewards. You can continue to refresh and enhance your home libraries, help Loch Lomond School, and spread the love of reading by supporting our upcoming virtual book fair. Mark your calendars and stay tuned for more information to come! Special thanks to Mrs. Hodder and her team for championing our Loch Lomond School Book Fairs!

Looking ahead in your calendar, Report Cards will be issued on Tuesday, Dec. 1st. As a reminder, there is no school on Friday, Dec. 4th, which is reserved for Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences throughout the morning and staff development in the afternoon.

For a complete list of 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 do not hesitate to call the school at 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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