

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 November 27th – December 1st.

Thank you to the many Parents/Guardians who attended Parent Teacher Student Conferences. We look forward to seeing you again at the next Parent Teacher Student Conferences to be help in March. We remind you that you can contact your child's teacher at any time to discuss your child's progress and how we can work together to see they meet their full potential.

A few messages from your dedicated Home & School Association regarding upcoming events. Any questions regarding Home & School events please email: LLShomeandschool@outlook.com

- The Home & School Association is looking for gently used, new to you items and Christmas wrapping paper for the upcoming Loch Lomond School Christmas Bazaar to be held on Friday, Dec. 8th. Gift items and wrapping paper can be dropped off in the front lobby of the school starting on Monday, Nov. 27th. Thank you for supporting your Home & School Association as they make this holiday season a merry one for all students!
- The Home & School Association is starting their next fundraiser this week, it will be the QSP Discount Cards, the cost is \$20 per card and are available online at **LochLomond.hotlunches.net** using access code: **LLHL** until December 14th. Forms will be going home this week. We are also accepting cash payment for these however, money <u>WILL ONLY</u> be collected after school hours on November 29th & 30th during the Book Fair and December 8th during the Christmas Bazaar at the school.
- The Home & School Association annual Pancake Breakfast will be December 14th and any parents/guardians that are able to help are welcome to participate. Please be reminded if you have a cooktop and spatula please bring these items with you.
- The Home & School Association will be hosting a raffle to win \$100 meat draw from On The Vine during the Christmas Concert on December 19th. Tickets can be purchased before each concert starts and will be drawn at the end of the final concert in the afternoon. Tickets are \$2 each or 3/\$5.00

November 28th the Science East Planetarium will be in the Lion's den for a one of a kind space learning experience. The Science East's portable planetarium is unique to New Brunswick and will provide select classes with an interactive show perfect for our space-related curriculum and stargazers alike!

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Nov. 29th students who have returned consent forms will receive their weekly Fluoride Mouth Rinse. The program is a very effective way to prevent tooth decay in children. Parental consent forms are required to participate in this free program.

Nov. 29th & 30th the Fall Scholastic Book Fair will be open for business from 3:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Thank you to our volunteer team that generously gives of their time for this two day evening event. Parents are reminded that individual classes will have an opportunity to visit the Scholastic Book Fair throughout the school day on Nov. 29th, 30th and Dec. 1st. Please don't hesitate to contact your child's teacher if you have any questions.

Nov. 30th is PALS in the Park for Ms. Vaughan's Grade 4 Homeroom. Ms. Vaughan's homeroom will participate in a guided tour of the Cherry Brook Zoo and a nature hike. Thank you to our PALS and events like the annual Soap Box Derby that make these co-curricular events possible.

Nov. 30th the Loch Lomond Newcomb Ball Jamboree teams hit the court at Forest Hills School. If you require more information on how your child can participate, please contact Ms. Aylward our Physical Education teacher and Newcomb Ball Jamboree team coach and organizer.

Dec. 1st is Ring-a-Bell Campaign, where people across New Brunswick will be celebrating Dots for Kids Day. This campaign is part of a grassroots movement that has been empowering youth, family and community to take positive actions in support of kids' mental health since 2010. This year, as part of the Dots for Kids Day—RING A BELL Campaign, students in kindergarten to grade eight will be learning about mental health in schools across the province. The goal of the RING A BELL Campaign is to raise awareness and inspire youth, their families, and communities to take positive actions in support of youth mental health.

Nov. 25th our Loch Lomond School Choir performs on the Saint John High School Stage at the Empty Stocking Fund. Choir members are asked to be at SJHS at 1:00 and they will be performing at 1:45 p.m. You are invited to tune in to the broadcast or join the live television audience for this annual charitable Saint John event.

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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