

October 8, 2020  
Newsletter



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MOUSE MOUNTAIN ELEMENTARY

## Message from the Principal

Hadih and Hello!

As we head into the Thanksgiving long weekend, I am so thankful for the support that families have shown this year and for the kind and caring ways of our staff and students at Mouse Mountain! Last week, our school approximately 300 km at our Terry Fox Run and we are tallying our donations this Friday! Way to go students—you are amazing!

Next week on **Thurs Oct 15th**, we will have our first lockdown drill this year. RCMP attends to help us so please do not be alarmed if you see them at the school on this day.

Mouse Mountain and FLESS will be holding **parent-teacher interviews on Wed Oct 21st** and **students will be dismissed at**

**12:00 noon.** Parent-teacher interviews will look a little different this year: all discussions will happen by phone to minimize traffic in the school. **Please phone Mrs. Stanga at the school to schedule a 15 minute phone meeting** with your child's teacher between 1-6 pm. If you feel that an in-person meeting is necessary, please let Mrs. Stanga know and the teacher will contact you directly to organize this.

Please remember that Mon Oct 12 is a holiday and there is no school. I would like to wish all families and safe and enjoyable Thanksgiving weekend! Thank you for all you do to support our school.

*Mrs. Megan Boniface*

## Attention High School Parents /Guardians

We are now one month into the school year and like all things, some daily practices need reminders. Bus drivers are noticing that some high school students are either not wearing their masks on busses or not wearing them for the entire duration of their bus ride. We are asking parents / guardians of **high schoolers** to please remind their children

that these are guidelines that we are being asked to follow as a school district to ensure that we are doing all that we can to keep our schools, our students and our staff safe. We look forward to putting COVID behind us but for now, it is important that we all do our part. **THANK YOU FOR BEING AN IMPORTANT PARTNER IN KEEPING US ALL SAFE!**

## Picture Day

SAY CHEESE!



**Tuesday, October 20th**  
**is PICTURE DAY**

Photo's will start at 9 am

**It's that time of year....**

Just a reminder to please do regular checks for head lice. Its that time of year again, and we have had a few reported cases.



REMEMBER  
ONCE A WEEK,  
TAKE A PEEK

## MMES Parent Advisory Council

**Meeting: Oct 20th @ 5:30 at the school.**

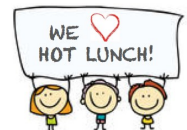
All parents welcome. Please call or text  
Christine at (250) 640-0990 if you would like to attend.  
Social distancing and virtual attendance options are available :)

## Hot Lunch

Hot Lunch is Thursdays

October 15 - Baked Mac & Cheese

October 22—Chicken Alfredo



## Allergy Information

We would like to let parents know that we are not aware of any students with dangerous peanut allergies. We do have seaweed allergies **so please do not send seaweed** to school.

If your child has any **Life-Threatening or other medical condition(s)** please call the office to ensure these details are in your child's file and that a safety plan is in place.



## School Board Meeting

**Monday, October 19, 2020**  
**6:00 pm**

**Location:** Integris Community Theatre  
At Nechako Valley Secondary School, Vanderhoof

### **Public Attendance Notice:**

\*\*\* Due to current public health and safety requirements, we are requesting that members of the public interested in attending this meeting, contact Tracy Austin at [taustin@sd91.bc.ca](mailto:taustin@sd91.bc.ca) or 250-567-2284 prior to the meeting so that seating arrangements for appropriate social distancing

### **Coming Events**

- October 12 Thanksgiving STAT holiday
- Oct 20 Picture Day
- Oct 21 Parent-teacher interviews (noon dismissal)



## Terry Fox Run

On Oct 2nd Mouse Mountain ran our Terry Fox Run. Here are some pics!

